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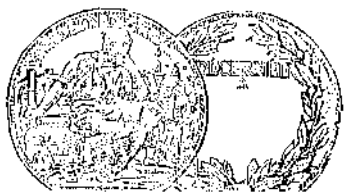

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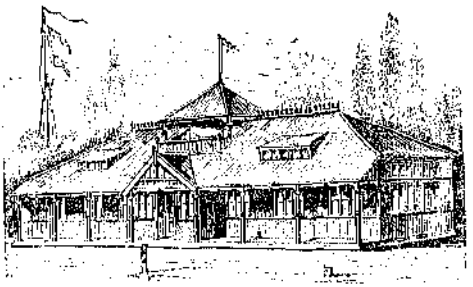

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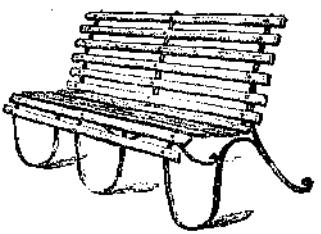

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PREFACE.

I HAVE at last reluctantly been compelled to realise the fact that the publication of THE ANNUAL in April is an impossibility until Club Secretaries do their part more readily. However, despite the failure of many Secretaries to respond to my circular, I have been able to compile in the Club Directory an array of statistics which, embracing particulars of 999 clubs, eloquently testify to the amazing development of Golf in all parts of the world.

To Club Secretaries and my old and valued contributors I again tender my grateful thanks for aid and counsel.

DAVID SCOTT DUNCAN.

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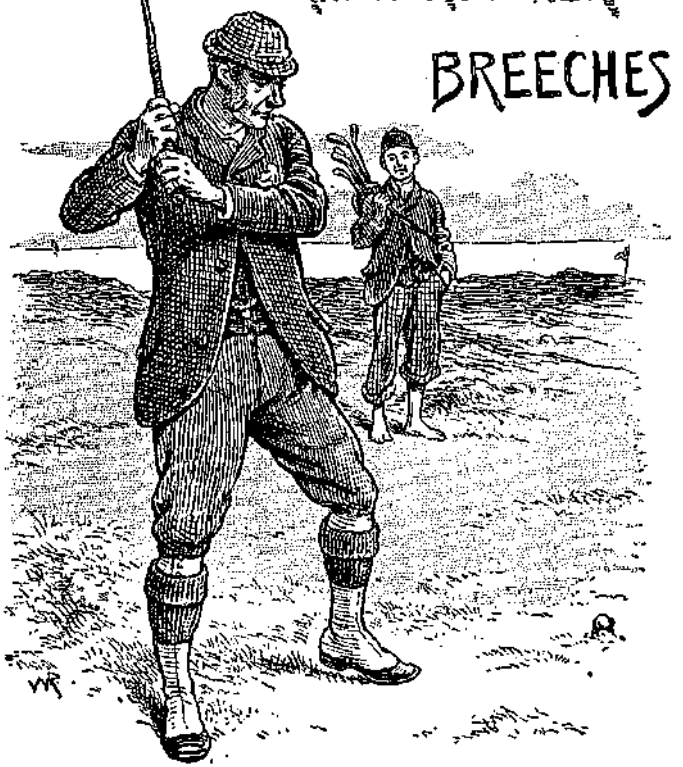

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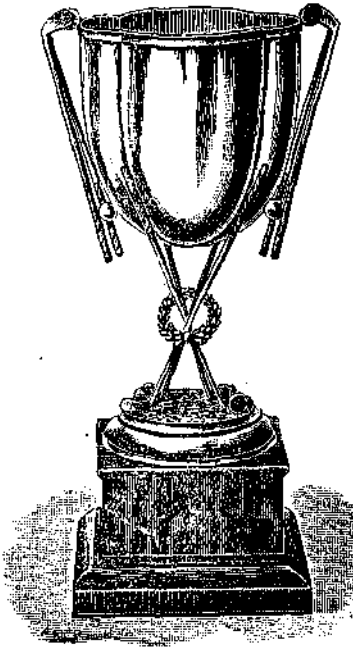

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THE AUTUMN MEDAL MEETING AT ST. ANDREWS, 1894.
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AN ANCIENT GREEN.

By Rev. T. D. Miller.

Perth claims distinction as the smallest of towns on the ground that it is built on two Inches, but these spaces are rather the occasion of its greatness, and not least in the ancient annals of golf, for at some time or other both of them have been put under tribute to the game. It is around the North Inch, however, that all later tradition clusters, and it is now the only available course. It is known in legendary lore as the scene of the battle of the clans, embalmed by Sir Walter in his romance of "The Fair Maid," when just five hundred years ago the citizens were assembled to witness the gladiatorial contest between three score of hot-headed Highlanders, of which Wyntoun tells—

> "A thousand and thre hundred yere,
> Nynty and sex to mak all clere—
> Of thre-score wylde Scottis men,
> Thretty agane thretty then,"

and it has been the scene of many a bloodless battle since, not one whit less intense than then.

Wherever they played, whether north or south, the honest burghers have for centuries indulged in the game, sometimes, as the city archives show, with more diligence than discretion,*

* Extract from the Kirk and Session records, January 2, 1604: "The visitors report that good order was kept the last Sabbath, except that they found some young boys playing at the gowf in the north Inch in the time of preaching afternoon, who were warned

for is it not written in these records that the authorities of the town, the sheriffs and portly bailies, had need to reprove and restrain them from the too absorbing passion, and compel them to the bow *bughts* on the burgh muir to practise themselves in the art of archery for the better defence of the city walls? They thus substituted one form of recreation for another in order to combine a little business with their amusement, for Latimer's recommendation of archery is no less appropriate to golf—"It is a goodly art and a wholesome kind of exercise, much commended in physic."

The oldest of the present clubs—the Royal Golfing Society—only dates its existence from the third decade of the century, but that there was an earlier organisation is witnessed by a mural tablet in the High-street, which informs the inquiring eye that at that spot there once stood the Castle of the Green, an ancient house in which, tradition tells, golfers used to keep their clubs and balls. It was built on the site of what was understood to be an ancient British temple, ultimately, therefore, to be set apart for the use of the devotees of the dinted sphere. Another of the clubs, of which there are four, has appropriated the name of the first King of the Union, possibly with the intention of making reparation for his unkindly reception in Gowrie House, and had not high colours fallen into ill-repute we should have expected the loyal members to have shown in green jackets.

Perth is one of the earliest links in the kingdom, and it is therefore a golf green of the "fine old crusted" order, but in the earlier part this is just where it most falls short. It is not uniformly sand-crusted. At present it affords the player a taste of three distinct orders of turf, uniting the public park to the crisper seaside sward, and the rough pasture or wintering fog-

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then by the officiars to compear before the Session this day. Compear Robert Robertson and others, all warned to this day, who were convicted of profaning the Lord's Sabbath by absenting themselves from hearing of the Word, and playing at the gowf in time of preaching; and therefore the Session ordained, first, Robert Robertson, who was ringleader to the rest, to pay an merk to the poor, and, secondly, ordains him and the rest to compear the next Sabbath into the place of repentance, there to declare their repentance in the presence of the whole congregation."

gage ground, so that it calls for a diversity of operations in playing through it. It is essentially a double-season course, playable only in spring and autumn—too soft in winter and too strong and rank throughout the summer months, besides being sheeted over with daisies, and at the opening of each season the greens are slow and uncertain. One feels impelled to say the wrong thing when his ball stops suddenly on the lip of the hole as if repelled by magnetic force. But it is always pleasant to be able to palliate one's weakness in golf as elsewhere, with some show of reason, and a rough green is like a balm to the wounded spirit of a weak putter. Even the greatest fail somewhere, for young Tommy used to say, "My faither would be a fine putter if the hole was a yard nearer to him." One recalls the merry young player on this green, for here his first recorded contest was played, when at the close of the tournament in '64 he was matched against an Academy boy for a sovereign, and presaged his many later and greater triumphs.

To a stranger, at the first glance, the Inch seems sadly lacking in hazards, but the native only laughs in his sleeve, for he knows that his too confident antagonist will find hazards enough before he gets home again.

The Inch lies alongside the river Tay, and has been allowed, by those who ought to know, to be as fine a cricket field as any in the land; and in the park part there is ample scope for the wildest of drivers, so much so, that drawing and heeling are never proportionably punished. We can recall a couple of cronies at St. A. taking divergent courses from the tee among the whins to the right and left, and, conscious each of his besetting sin, starting off to explore the country on either side of the course, and parting with a wave of the hand and the salutation, "We'll meet at Putty-holie."*

But it is when we leave the Inch and gain the peninsula that the real sport begins, and at this point we get our first near sight of the river, running still and slow by Springland Tower.

* Probably Putcoli, the Liverpool of ancient Italy and the East, where the historian of the Jews once met a player, who played his game for him so effectively that he came off victoriously even against Roman metal.

Perth may not claim a place among front rank greens, but no one can dispute its possession of as fair a fringe and setting as any of the better known links, and this goes far to enhance the poetry of the playground. See the Inch as we did last autumn, when the river's bowered banks from Mansfield to Kinnoull were ablaze with all the varied tints of red, yellow, and brown, intermixed like the pigments on an artist's palette, and with the massee of colour doubled by reflection in an unruffled stream; see that glorious sweep of wood and river far up to the old abbey of the Scottish Kings and down to the brow of Kinnoull, and you do not need to travel so far as Heidelberg to view quite as picturesque a scene.

Although under ordinary conditions not a hard hole, "the peninsula," in a flood tide or an early winter spate, with the swollen burn in front and the distended river beyond, is by no means easy to negotiate from either side of the footpath mound; to pitch the ball on a strip of turf so as neither to fall short nor overrun the narrow limits, calls out all the finer qualities of proficiency—nerve, skill, and judgment, and offers no hope for anything like haphazard fluking. At this point, too, we get a firmer footing, because a sandier soil, and the eye is delighted with the sight of bunkers and whins, though these last, as in some other places, are becoming sadly worn. When are we to see a bill for the better preservation of whins on golf courses, severely penalising the player who does not treat them as though he loved them? It will come none too soon if the exquisite pleasure of the other fellow is not to be seriously diminished. The old end hole, before the extension of the green was accomplished, is another of the sporting order, with the whin-covered embankment behind and one end of the pond protruding well across the line of approach. The brothpot in the corner has been the receptacle of many a baffed and boyish ball. Into that turbid pool, bottomed with semi-liquid slime, the ball would steal in early days when one tried to cut the run up all too fine, and there it lay as safely hidden away as Alfred in Athelney. The new portion stretches beyond the pond into the Muirtown field, and carries one nearly opposite Scone Palace, opening up, for those who care to look about them, a rural scene with tints of green and glints of running water. When the tough fogage has been worn out, this will be a valuable addition, bringing the

number of holes up to the mystical eighteen, and, what is more important, relieving the congestion of the Saturday afternoon; but at present fore caddies are much in vogue, and while avoiding anything like adverse criticism, as a relief to pained feelings one cannot avoid suggesting the appositeness of Mr. Migg's dictum, "Some things are which you might wish wasn't, and some things isn't which you might wish was."

One of the best-known figures on the Inch is that of Bob Andrews, who bears the soubriquet of the "Rook," still to the fore, playing a steady telling game, though he has seen two generations of golfers come and go. He is justly proud of his own record, for he was once able to run such first-class exponents as young Tommy and Davie Strath very close, and these two youths, in their too brief day, were the masters of the field.

In Bob's mind are treasured up all the fading traditions of the green. He can tell more about the halcyon days of Perth golf than any other, and is an isolated link to the departed shades of the Condies, father and son, the elder of whom brought home the glossy laurels, not once only, from the neighbouring county of Fife. He can tell, too, of Johnnie Jackson, whose heads of apple tree were hard as vulcanite, some of which still survive among old collections, relics of a bygone age and shape, side by side with cleeks that are suggestive of pruning hooks and irons that look like ploughshares.

Until of late, when the girls have taken up the game, the local maker found it stiff work to keep the wolf from the door. The intermittent season generally froze him out. Jamie Anderson and Andrew Forgan, brother of the world-wide maker, each in turn made a stern fight, but found the Inch inhospitable, and betook himself to more summerly quarters. But it offers a fine view, if only a scant livelihood, and when we turn our back on the peninsula and get well on to the Inch again, we can take in the charm of the Fair City's situation, banked up with tinted greenery, backed by the hill of Moncrieff, and sheltered and overshadowed by towering Kinnoull.

The Inches are the lungs of Perth, but they are something more, for they have helped to inspire the poetic and artistic, as well as the athletic taste, among the better endowed of the citizens. The outlook beyond the North Inch gave early and

ample scope for the genius of the finest of England's art critics and the great prose poet of the age, for a glance across the river from the last hole will reveal the home of John Ruskin's early years, and if you have been any way interested in the "Præterita," a wander on the river bank will show you the very pools, inky black and flaked with snowy foam, that filled his youthful mind with fear and awe.

PAU GOLF LINKS.

In "Blackwood" for October there is an article on Continental golf links by that eminent golfer Mr. Horace Hutchinson. It may interest those of your readers who have as yet not made up their minds where to go for the winter to hear some more details about Pau from one who has played there for more years than Horace Hutchinson has days.

As regards climate, without doubt some people find it relaxing, but many of us, some well advanced in life, have for years past played our two rounds a day from the beginning of November to the end of April, so there cannot be anything very enervating about it. The great charm of Pau, from a golfer's point of view, is the absence of high winds and the general equability of the weather. From the 15th of January onwards it is always bright and fine, and, taking it all round, there is no place where one can play every day throughout winter with so much pleasure as at Pau.

As Horace Hutchinson says, the turf is beautiful and the course a long one, giving scope for every kind of play. There is an absence of obtrusive hazard, there are no sand-hills or masses of whins, as on many of our home links, there are no arms of the sea or devil's punch bowls to be negotiated, and at first sight it may appear rather tame. But this is not really the case; there are plenty of hazards in the way of quarries, streams, bushes, &c., which entail careful straight play. It is not the length of the course that prevents the ordinary player making a good round, but the difficulty of avoiding the obstacles. Good players, when once they know the ground, make very low records. Our professional (Lloyd) goes round in 77. He is, of course, an exceptionally fine player, but our crack amateurs go round under 80. That the ground gives plenty of practice in passing bunkers and hazards is shown by the fact that in the numerous matches between Pau and Biarritz, both professional and amateur, played at Biarritz, Pau has always come off

victorious, and the Biarritz course bristles with hazards. Some people like our course and some another; it is all a matter of taste; and, as Horace Hutchinson aptly puts it, "to a golfer who is playing badly the scene of his sorrow cannot be a pleasant one." So, if you can afford space, the best way of enabling golfers to judge for themselves will be to briefly describe each hole in turn.

First Hole.—Two long drives over a bank and between bushes, and an iron approach over scrub jungle, with a river in close proximity to catch wild shots.

Second Hole.—Two very long drives or two good drives, and an iron approach, sand bunkers and bushes to be avoided.

Third Hole.—One long drive over the dry bed of a stream, requiring a 100-yard carry, another drive over bushes, and a delicate iron approach.

Fourth Hole.—A long drive, avoiding a sand bunker on left, and an iron approach over a belt of thorns, with a road beyond running very close to the hole.

Fifth Hole.—A good drive over a quarry and road, requiring a carry of 120 yards to clear the quarry; an easy iron approach.

Sixth Hole.—A long drive over a road, stony bank, and quarry; an iron approach up a precipitous hill; the hole, being in an angle formed by two hedges, requires to be approached with great exactitude.

Seventh Hole.—A long drive over quarry, and an easy iron approach.

Eighth Hole.—A long drive over hillocks, and an iron approach over a road.

Ninth Hole.—A long drive over road and quarry, and a good brassy shot over a gravel bank and road.

Tenth Hole.—A cleek shot over a garden and quarry.

Eleventh Hole.—A long drive over hedges and road, and a brassy shot over scrub.

Twelfth Hole.—Four good drives, bushes, river, and bunkers to be avoided.

Thirteenth Hole.—A long drive over bushes, and a brassy shot over a belt of thorn, with sand bunkers on left.

Fourteenth Hole.—A long drive and brassy shot; an easy hole, the only difficulties being bushes on the left of green.

Fifteenth Hole.—A long drive over an arm of the Gave,

requiring precision to avoid bad ground; a long drive over road and old watercourse.

Sixteenth Hole.—A long drive over road, stony ground, and bushes; iron approach over road.

Seventeenth Hole.—Long drive over road and bushes, with Gave close at hand to catch a ball pulled in the slightest degree; an iron approach, the green being in an angle formed by the Gave and a tributary.

Eighteenth Hole.—A cleek shot over the tributary of the Gave and a quarry.

One thing may be taken as certain if the driving is straight and precise—a good lie will always be found; no good stroke is punished, but bad ones suffer severely.

It is unnecessary to give details about the ladies' course, but by all visitors it is acknowledged to be one of the best in existence, requiring long driving and good iron play.

The club-house is in a beautiful situation, with a grand view of the Pyrenees. There are charming rooms both for gentlemen and ladies, a very good cook, and good wines. What more can be desired? The lawn in front of the club-house is a favourite resort for afternoon tea in the spring.

"THE BULGER."

By Mr. RONALD ROSS, Edinburgh.

I sing of a club that's now well known to fame,
But of its inventor I know not the name;
Though I'm told of two men that the honour do claim,
So to Lamb, or to Park (to me it's the same),
Many thanks for the Bulger.

Old players exclaim, when it's spoken about,
Now what's in a Bulger? we can't make it out;
The club of our time is the best, without doubt;
So till we know better we'll continue to flout
The claims of the Bulger.

The club young Tom Morris did handle so well,
History loves to record the tale it did tell;
How it broke all known records, and bore off the bell
From each baffled pro. who at golf did excel.
Where then was the Bulger?

Now the ball from the tee may fly to the sun,
And go far and sure ere its course it has run;
But it's at the approach that the best play is done,
And with sure, deadly putting most matches are won.
No blame to the Bulger.

But when these old fellows a prejudice take,
Or when their minds up on a subject they make,
'Twould take a mind evolution, or a brainquake,
To alter their faith and convictions to shake
'Gainst things new like the Bulger.

With a halo of glory the past they invest,
Old players, old clubs, and old greens are the best;
The chief of good things with them lose their zest
When they come in strange shapes, or in new clothes are drest,
Like that good club the Bulger.

What need tell those cynics, who so sneer and scoff,
That progress ne'er halts, not even in golf;
That the grub will in time its old casings throw off,
And in butterfly glory emerge, quite a toff.
Even so with the Bulger.

Now a club's like a woman, to what's best and true
'Tis in touch and feeling, that opens your view,
And you find your affinity in what others eschew,
For what pleases them has no charms for you.
'Tis so with the Bulger.

Now the Bulger's the old head in shortened case,
What's ta'en from the toe is clapped on the face;
'Tis not a thing either of beauty or grace,
But merit and worth every feature embrace
Of the squab, bumpy Bulger.

My Editor friend gave me one for to try,
Which when it first met me, it pleased not my eye,
But o'er bunkers and whins, how it made the ball fly
Far, far from the tee, and as straight as a die:
This wonderful Bulger.

Thanks, thanks, Mr. Editor, many thanks for the same,
Your Bulger has vastly improved my long game,
And tho' not so young, nor so strong in the frame
As in my best days, I play much the same
With the aid of the Bulger.

Ye duffers and wasters of every degree,
Come sing in the praise of the Bulger with me,
'Tis the club of all others that suits you to a T,
And a better you never will handle or see,
Than the strong-headed Bulger.

I've tested the young, and I've tested the old,
And I've tested the cracks whose play is most bold,
And from each, and from all, I've had proofs manifold,
That for far and sure driving there's no club can hold
Up its head with the Bulger.

THE NORTHWOOD GOLF LINKS, MIDDLESEX.

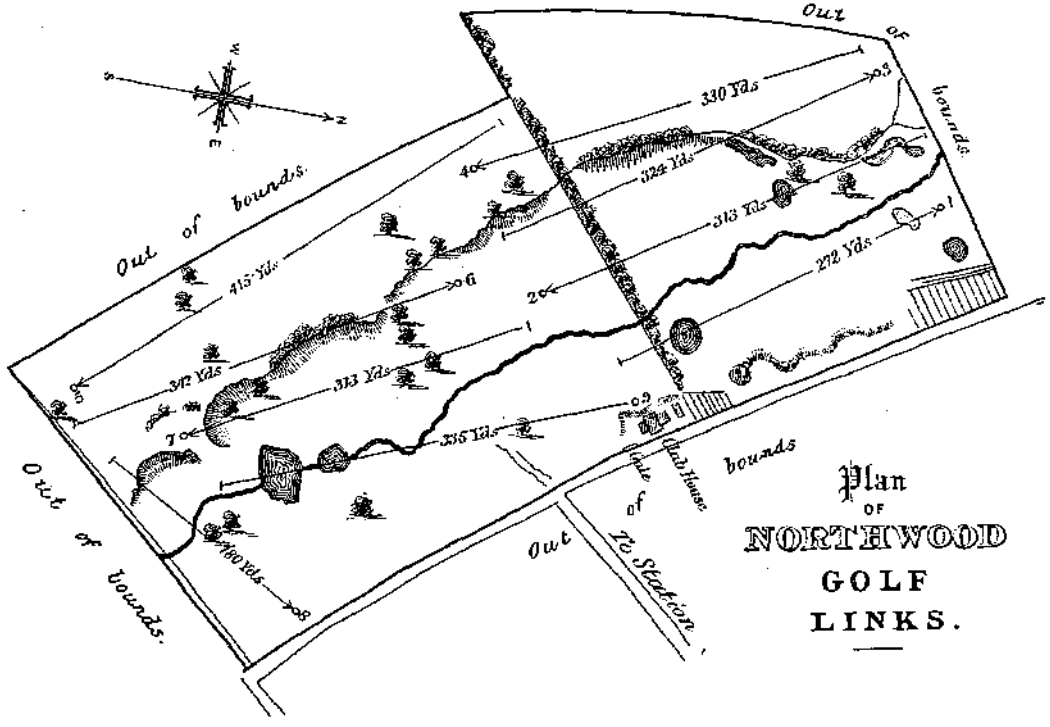
By Mr. Herbert Chipp, Hon. Sec. Northwood G.C.

The Northwood Golf Club began, like many another good institution, in a very small way. The possibilities of the links were discovered a few years ago by one or two enthusiasts, and the time is well within the memory of a considerable number of the members, when, on arriving on the ground, their first attentions were paid to a certain hawthorn tree, which served as hat-stand, hanging-press, and what not for their impedimenta; when too, after conflict dire, the inner man was restored, *al fresco*, in one or other of the deep bunkers—according as the wind blew—or under the lee of the high bank which traverses the links. Those were the days of flower-pot linings to the holes, of putting greens scarcely distinguishable from the rest of the course, of teeing grounds to match, and of manifold crossings. Now all this is changed, thanks to the energy and persevering enthusiasm with which the early members set themselves to work. No longer is the hawthorn burdened with aught save its own foliage, and deserted of luncheon parties are the bunkers which erstwhile served a double purpose—that of a hazard first, of a shelter afterwards. The world went very well then at Northwood, but most of the members would agree in saying that it goes much better now. Still, it is not impossible that, deep down in the hearts of one or two of the pioneers, "regrets unuttered lie" for the old course and the primitive methods of the past.

One of the distinctive features of the Club is the large number of medical men who have joined it. In fact, it might almost be called a doctors' club, so numerously is it recruited from the ranks of the medical profession. Painting and law also furnish their quota.

A commodious pavilion has been erected above the home hole, and altogether a flourishing state of things may be chronicled.

The links are reached by the Metropolitan Extension, the



Plan
OF
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journey from Baker-street occupying just thirty-five minutes. Arrived at Northwood Station, a walk of a quarter of a mile lands one at the gates of the club. Very picturesque and varied is the course, which consists of nine holes, and these nine holes measure some 2,834 yards in length. The green has this feature in common with the home of golf, that it is divided into highlands and lowlands by the steep bank—twenty to thirty feet high—which, roughly speaking, runs from north to south along the whole length of the ground. The other chief hazards are a watercourse (which also intersects the links, dividing it into two unequal portions), whins, ponds, trees, hedges, ditches, a famous bunker of considerable depth and difficulty known to members as "Death or Glory," one or two minor bunkers of somewhat similar nature, and the heights and hollows of a very undulating course. The lies throughout the green are good, and are daily improving, while the putting greens can scarcely be too highly praised, most of them being of a character the reverse of level, and covered with short turf of excellent quality. They are truly "sporting" greens. Indeed, this word "sporting" very accurately describes the entire links from tee to hole.

Mr. Franklin Ross holds the amateur record of the green—83 for the eighteen holes, made in July last. The previous best score was 90, by J. Cuthbert, the Stanmore professional, in March of the same year. Mr. Ross's fine score is not unlikely to remain untouched for some time to come. It reads as follows:

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Here is a brief description of the holes. It will be observed that the objectionable drive-and-iron distance is almost wholly absent.

1. NORTHWARD HO! (272 yards).—A hedge and—immediately beyond it—a pond have to be carried from the tee, and with a straight drive one's lines fall in pleasant places. A sliced ball is punished, and a similar fate awaits a pulled drive, the latter most probably finding its way into the watercourse which meanders through the links. A good second shot—a full iron—should reach the green, which is guarded by a small bunker of sand and whins. Bogey for this hole is 5, but it is often done in 4. In

that case the golf must be faultless. The green is a very undulating one.

2. TRAPPY (313 yards).—Immediately below the tee, which is an elevated one, are water and rough ground, into which many a topped ball finds its way. To the left runs the watercourse, while on the right is a high hedge. Further on, at about 100 yards' distance, are whins and a pond. These avoided, one's second shot should carry the hedge guarding the green, but it must be a good one to do so. In that case the player may hole out in 4, but 5 is a more frequent figure, for there are not a few traps on the way. A good putting green.

3. COPSE (324 yards).—The same hedge is utilised in driving to this hole. Here a sliced ball meets with little punishment. But, on the other hand, a pulled drive will generally result in a lost hole. A "bonnie lick" should land one in front of a formidable bank surmounted by a high hedge. A correctly played second takes one to within a wrist-shot of the green, if, indeed, not upon it. Then the hole may be done in 4 (Bogey is 5), but not infrequently a long score is run up.

4. FURROWS (330 yards).—Both sliced and pulled tee-shots are severely punished here. Of the two the first-named is the more disastrous mistake, for it will land one in a wood, from whose depths there is no recovery. The hazard guarding the green is extremely well placed, for only after a good drive from the tee can one hope to carry it with one's second. That done, however, the ball may find the bottom of the hole in 4. But again the golf must be immaculate. Bogey for this hole is 5.

5. RUISLIP (415 yards).—The long hole of the course, and at present, it must be confessed, a rather uninteresting one. A sliced drive involves the loss of the hole, but other mistakes may here be made almost with impunity. A bunker in front of the tee is in contemplation, and then the hole will be much improved. The green, which at present has no actual bunker to guard it—one could easily be made—is fronted by numerous undulations, and should be reached in 3, though that presupposes very correct golf. Bogey is 6.

6. AVERNUS (342 yards).—Here again a bunker to intercept topped drives would be useful—and instructive. The second shot is the all-important one at this hole, as indeed is the case throughout this course. The land slopes considerably here, so that one is

generally standing above one's ball, while a formidable thicket and a deep bunker catch a sliced shot. The way to the hole is through a gap in some trees, and then *facilis descensus Averni*. Five may be put down as representing good play. The putting green is a good one, but it is one of the few level greens, and is consequently not so "sporting" as most of the others.

7. DEATH OR GLORY (313 yards).—The "swagger" hole of the links, and as good a one as will be found on any inland green. The line is over some trees, and one's second should take one to the edge of the great bunker—a yawning pit with whins not only fronting but also flanking the hole—out of which it is not easy to emerge without the loss of a stroke or two, and, occasionally, a portion of one's self-respect. The green, which forms a sort of peninsula, is also guarded on its farther side by whins, so that the approach shot has to be made with extreme accuracy. It is a most "sporting" hole, and is sometimes done in 4, though more often in 5, which is Bogey.

8. THE HATCH (190 yards).—The short hole. From the tee, on high ground, one drives over a portion of the bunker spoken of just now, and over some whins—a topped ball is fatal here—beyond which, at a distance of about 120 yards from the tee, is the watercourse. These obstacles carried, one's troubles are at an end. A good drive should reach the green—an excellent one. Bogey is 4, but the hole should be negotiated in 3; in fact, it has on several occasions been done in 2.

9. HOME (335 yards).—At a distance of some fifty yards from the tee is a large pond—supposed to be lined with good intentions in the shape of Silvertowns—backed up by a smaller one, while, if these hazards are successfully carried, there yet remain the sinuous attractions of the watercourse to be evaded. Following a good tee-shot, however, one's second should nearly reach the green, which is practically unguarded, save by a solitary hawthorn—the whilom hat-stand—and is the best on the links, most charming undulations placing one on one's mettle in the approach putt. Bogey is 5, though the hole is sometimes negotiated in 4.

As already mentioned, these nine holes represent 2834 yards, or 1 mile 4 furlongs and 194 yards. Therefore, speaking roughly, the eighteen holes may be taken as involving a walk of some three and a quarter miles.

GOLF IN AUSTRALIA.

By Lieut. G. P. Campbell, R.E.

In the "Golfing Annual" of two years ago I had the pleasure and the privilege of giving a short account of golf in Ceylon, where I was then hon. secretary of the Colombo Golf Club.

Last year I went from Ceylon for a four months trip to Australia, taking with me my golf clubs, as I hoped that the "royal and ancient" game had taken root, and flourished, throughout Australia, as cricket has done. But alas! I turn up my golfing diary, and find blank, blank, blank, except for the days I spent in Melbourne and Adelaide, which I now consider the only civilised places in the great Australian continent.

Victoria.—The "St. Andrews" of this colony is the Melbourne Golf Club, which is a well-established and well-filled club, and possesses a very fine natural course, over undulating ground, of eighteen holes. There is a comfortable clubhouse on quite approved principles, an imported greenkeeper (from Hoylake), who is also the "sister of mercy" to maimed or broken clubs. But, above all, there is the keen spirit of golf and the generous spirit of hospitality.

The links are at Caulfield, which is some five or six miles from Melbourne by rail, and boasts one of the finest racecourses in the "sunny south." The hazards are roads, gorse jungle, a brook, and made banks and ditches. The ground is heavy going in places, and the putting greens far from good, but, on the whole, the course is very sporting, and a day's golfing on it most enjoyable. My first adversary was, of course, named Balfour—a brother or a cousin (I am ashamed to say I forget which) of Mr. Leslie Balfour-Melville. He soon showed me how practically he upholds the traditions of the game and the name of Balfour.

South Australia.—When I reached Adelaide, where unfortunately I knew nobody, I wandered about asking in vain where the golf links were. Eventually I found myself in the "Adelaide Arcade," and seeing a name (which I presumed was that of one of the Australian Eleven), "A. H. Jarvis," over a cricketing-material shop, I went in and said to the man in

charge, "Could you kindly tell me where the golf links are?" I was rather taken aback when he replied: "No; *I don't keep them, and what is more you won't get any in this Arcade.*" However, when I'd elaborately explained what I wanted, he "remembered that he *had* heard of that new game," and he then "put me on the right track," and so I managed to play a round on the links of the Adelaide Golf Club, which is only just started. The course is a rough one of nine holes, and, with its hard, nubbly ground and "wobbly" putting greens, reminds me of what Mr. Hutchinson calls "park" or paddock links.

NEW SOUTH WALES.—The Colony of New South Wales is, according to the most recent surveys, hundreds and hundreds of miles long, hundreds and hundreds of miles broad, and hundreds of square miles in area. Yet, in the whole of this vast extent of country there is not so much as one solitary putting-green. And such turf as there is, too! Such beautiful rolling downs! Such perfect natural *links!* Such broad expanses of grand golfing country! All wasted! Thrown away, on sheep and cattle! Do what I could, say what I would, I could not get the people of New South Wales to view the matter in a proper spirit. They are in their "Dark Ages" or "Darkest Africa."

For instance, I had heard that one of the professors at the Sydney University had started links, so I wrote to the Registrar, whom I had the pleasure of knowing, to ask if he could find out about these links. His reply was this, only this: "My dear Campbell,—I have made every inquiry for you, but I only get this question in reply—'What is golf?' By the way, *what* is golf,—Yours sincerely, ——."

I then inquired of another acquaintance, who prides himself on being a man of education and intelligence. His answer was: "Oh, nobody plays that game here except the Government House fellows, as the *properly trained ponies are so expensive.*"

When a third acquaintance, to whom I'd shown my clubs and described the game, said: "By jove, if you were to start such a game in N. S. W., you'd be stoned to death for a certainty." I then gave up my search for golf links in New South Wales.

However, since my visit there, I have heard that links have actually been laid out, and that the noble game has taken root as in the sister Colony of Victoria.

"A BROKEN SHAFT."

By Mr. Webster Glynes, St. George's Golf Club.

Born in the forest, far away in the West,
Nursed by the sunbeams and fed by the dew;
The tall stems of my kindred fondly protecting,
A handsome young sapling I flourished and grew.

To a far distant clime at length I was taken,
Snatched from my birthplace they bore me along;
To a land in the North across the big waters,
Ruthlessly carried when supple and strong.

A shaft I was made, to a Philp Head was fitted,
With skill I was fashioned by a maker well known;
Well balanced and slim I soon found a lover,
A Golfer soon wooed me and made me his own.

Oft round his shoulders I deftly have circled,
Lithesome and free I've answered his call;
Swift as the lightning I've downwards descended,
Far have I wafted the little white ball.

Oft at St. Andrews with awe I've been welcomed,
Oft have been praised and handled with glee;
Oft have been honoured and many times chosen,
Before all my fellows to drive off from tee.

Oft have I rescued the game of my owner,
At critical moments when one or two down;
With cheers have they greeted my prowess and power,
When I've succeeded and gained him renown.

Fearless of death I've many times conquered,
In the days of my youth that have vanished and past;
Now old age has seized me, of suppleness robbed me,
Dried up and riven I am shattered at last.

Take me up gently, now I am done for,
Handle me softly, once supple and strong;
Remember my triumphs, oh! do not burn me,
Think of me kindly, oh! think of me long.

Bury me carefully, ever guard over me,
Lay me below, all covered with earth;
Save me from those that will not respect me,
Restore me to whence I first took my birth.

Farewell, beloved Golf, my career's now ended,
Gladly in life I've been under thy spell;
No more, alas! again may I see thee,
Long may'st thou flourish! For ever, farewell!!

THE LADIES' CHAMPIONSHIP.

SOME there are who have attempted to belittle the Ladies' Golf Union, asserting glibly that it is not a national body, that its annual championship is one in name only, and that there are many lady players in Scotland who could with the utmost ease defeat the so-called lady champion. The phenomenal success of the Union, its growing popularity, and, above all, the large and representative field of players who did battle in the second championship at Littlestone last summer, give these captious critics the lie direct. From all parts of England, and even from France, came ladies eager for the fray, the entry list numbering sixty-four, an increase of twenty-six on that of the previous year. Unfortunately Scotland was again unrepresented, but good exponents as there are North of the Tweed, we venture to assert none of them could have altered the result.

The competition was played over the men's course, which was altered and shortened for the occasion, but was still kept sufficiently long and hazardous to thoroughly test the candidates for honours in every department of the game. That Lady Margaret Scott secured her second successive victory is an eloquent tribute to her inimitable play. Her form stamps her as far above her compeers. In the case of the "runner up" also, history repeated itself, Miss Issette Pearson, the hon. secretary of the Union, again working her way into the final only to succumb, as at St. Anne's, to Lady Margaret Scott. But Miss Pearson showed greatly improved form, and, keeping in view the fact that she had undergone the ordeal of three stubborn tussles before she played the final, and that she had the worries of management on her mind, she is entitled to very great credit for her gallant fight. Other ladies who showed form much above the average were Mrs. Wilson Hoare, Mrs. Tennent, Mrs. Willock, Miss Bonoe, the Misses Mugliston, and

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the Misses Welch. Several of these drove quite as far as the lady champion, but she surpassed all of them with her wonderfully accurate approaches. The competition began on Tuesday, May 29, and concluded on the forenoon of the following Friday, June 1, and, excepting for a stiff south-westerly breeze, the conditions were favourable. Needless to say, the course was in apple-pie order, and the general arrangements reflected credit upon all concerned, but more especially upon Miss Stringer, Mr. Wintle, and Mr. Hedderwick, of the Littlestone Golf Club. Details :—

FIRST ROUND.

Miss Stringer (Littlestone) beat Miss Turnbull (Lytham and St. Anne's) by one hole after a tie.

Miss W. Rowlandson (Littlestone) beat Mrs. Parker (Barham Downs) by seven up and six to play.

Miss Lena Thomson (Wimbledon) beat Miss E. Cobb (Littlestone) by six up and four to play.

Miss M. Cobb (Littlestone) beat Miss B. Borrow (Barham Downs) by three up and one to play.

Miss May Mugliston (Lytham and St. Anne's) beat Miss E. Terry (Lytham and St. Anne's) by five up and four to play.

Miss Mugliston (Lytham and St. Anne's) beat Miss Edwards (Folkestone), by one hole.

Miss C. M. South (Littlestone) beat Miss H. M. Frere (Wimbledon) by one hole after a tie.

Miss H. Stringer (Littlestone) a bye, Mrs. Heywood (Timperley) scratched.

Mrs. Woodhead (Clapham Common) a bye, Mrs. Purves (Wimbledon) scratched.

Miss A. Dawkins (Southdown and Brighton) beat Miss M. Bradbury (Clapham Common) by five up and three to play.

Mrs. Tennent (Cannes) beat Miss B. Wood (Folkestone) by three up and one to play.

Mrs. Dill (Southdown and Brighton) beat Miss Dawkins (Southdown and Brighton) by one hole.

Miss Issette Pearson (Wimbledon) beat Miss E. Rowlandson (Littlestone) by eight up and seven to play.

Miss Welch (West Lancashire) beat Miss South (Littlestone) by four up and three to play.

Miss B. Martin (Southdown and Brighton) beat Mrs. Lawrell (Wimbledon) by one hole.

Miss D. Jeffery (Folkestone) beat Miss M. P. Birch (Ashdown Forest and Tunbridge Wells) by three up and two to play.

Miss N. Ramsay (Barham Downs) beat Mrs. Turberville (Kenilworth) by three up and one to play.

Lady Margaret Scott (Cotswold) beat Mrs. E. Catteral (Lytham and St. Anne's) by six up and four to play.

Miss B. Welch (West Lancashire) beat Mrs. W. Davies (Minchinhampton) by three up and one to play.

Mrs. Stubbs (Barham Downs) a bye, Miss Rollo (West Lancashire) scratched.

Miss Dod (Moreton) beat Mrs. F. W. Catteral (Lytham and St. Anne's) by ten up and eight to play.

Miss F. South (Littlestone) beat Miss D. Rowlandson (Littlestone) by five up and three to play.

Mrs. M. Stewart (Ashdown Forest and Tunbridge Wells) beat Mrs. Miller (Lytham and St. Anne's) by four up and three to play.

Mrs. Cameron (Wimbledon) a bye, Mrs. Alsop (West Lancashire) scratched.

Miss Bence (Royal Eastbourne) beat Mrs. Richardson (Royal Eastbourne) by three up and one to play.

Mrs. R. Sanderson (Southdown and Brighton) beat Miss Swan (Minchinhampton) by six up and four to play.

Mrs. King (Wimbledon) beat Miss Stoddard (West Lancashire) by two up and one to play.

Mrs. W. Hoare (Westward Ho!) beat Mrs. H. C. Willock (Wimbledon) by one hole after a tie.

Miss M. E. Phillips (Wimbledon) a bye, Miss A. A. Tyrwhitt-Drake (Wimbledon) scratched.

Miss E. P. Ramsay (Barham Downs) a bye, Miss A. L. Tyrwhitt-Drake (Wimbledon) scratched.

Mrs. Stobart (Westward Ho!) a bye, Mrs. Maclaren (West Lancashire) scratched.

Miss Elsie Bower (Moreton) beat Mrs. T. S. Whitfeld (Royal Eastbourne) by nine up and eight to play.

SECOND ROUND.

Miss Stringer beat Miss W. Rowlandson by eight up and seven to play.

Miss Lena Thomson beat Miss M. Cobb by nine up and eight to play.

Miss May Mugliston beat Miss Mugliston by two up and one to play.

Miss C. M. South beat Miss H. Stringer by three up and two to play.

Miss A. Dawkins beat Mrs. Woodhead by six up and five to play.

Mrs. Tennent beat Mrs. Dill by eight up and six to play.

Miss Issette Pearson beat Miss Welch by three up and two to play.

Miss D. Jeffery beat Miss B. Martin by eight up and six to play.

Lady Margaret Scott beat Miss N. Ramsay by eight up and seven to play.

Miss B. Welch beat Mrs. Stubbs by six up and five to play.

Miss Dod beat Miss F. South by seven up and six to play.

Mrs. Cameron beat Mrs. Stewart by six up and four to play.

Miss Bence beat Mrs. Sanderson by four up and three to play.

Mrs. W. Hoare beat Mrs. King by seven up and five to play.

Miss E. P. Ramsay beat Miss M. E. Phillips by four up and three to play.
Mrs. Stobart beat Miss Elsie Bower by three up and two to play.

THIRD ROUND.

Miss Lena Thomson beat Miss Stringer by four up and two to play.
Miss May Mugliston beat Miss C. M. South by nine up and seven to play.
Mrs. Tennent beat Miss A. Dawkins by seven up and five to play.
Miss Issette Pearson beat Miss D. Jeffery by three up and two to play.
Lady Margaret Scott beat Miss B. Welch by five up and four to play.
Mrs. Cameron beat Miss Dod by one hole after a tie.
Miss Bence beat Mrs. W. Hoare by one hole.
Miss E. P. Ramsay beat Mrs. Stobart by three up and one to play.

FOURTH ROUND.

Miss May Mugliston beat Miss Lena Thomson by one hole.
Miss Issette Pearson beat Mrs. Tennent by one hole.
Lady Margaret Scott beat Mrs. Cameron by five up and four to play.
Miss Bence beat Miss E. P. Ramsay by one hole after a tie.

FIFTH ROUND.

Miss Issette Pearson beat Miss May Mugliston by nine up and seven to play.
Lady Margaret Scott beat Miss Bence by six up and five to play.

FINAL TIE.

Lady Margaret Scott beat Miss Issette Pearson by three up and two to play.

The previous winner and runner up for the Ladies' Championship are as follows :—

1893. Lady Margaret Scott (Cotswold) beat Miss Issette Pearson (Wimbledon) by seven up and five to play.—At St. Anne's.

This year the Championship will be held at Portrush.

IRISH LADIES' GOLF UNION.

By Miss C. E. McGee, Hon. Sec. Royal Belfast Ladies' G.C.

THE above Union dates its existence from 1893, the promoters being some members of the Royal Belfast Ladies' Golf Club—the senior ladies' club in Ireland—and it was the encouragement accorded to the Ladies' Golf Union on the other side of the Channel which stimulated them to efforts of a similar kind. At a meeting held in Belfast on December 15, 1893, attended by delegates from the principal ladies' clubs, and presided over by Mrs. G. M. Shaw (Royal Belfast Ladies' G.C.), the Union was formed. It was then agreed that the council should consist of delegates from the affiliated clubs, with the Countess of Annesley as President, five Vice-Presidents, namely, Mrs. G. M. Shaw (Royal Belfast Ladies' G.C.), Mrs. Stephen Maxwell (Co. Down Ladies' G.C.), Mrs. Montray (Killymoon Ladies' G.C.), Mrs. Mann (Royal County Ladies' G.C.), and Miss Graham (Lisburn Ladies' G.C.); an Hon. Treasurer, Mrs. G. H. Clarke (Lisburn Ladies' G.C.); and an Hon. Secretary, Miss Mulligan (Royal Belfast Ladies' G.C.).

The rules adopted, with a few exceptions and modifications, are the same as those of the Ladies' Golf Union. Entrance fees and annual subscriptions payable by clubs belonging to the Union are as follows:—

ENTRANCE FEES:

For clubs consisting of under 50 members...	£1	1	0
If consisting of 50 and under 100...	2	2	0
If consisting of 100 and under 200	3	3	0
If consisting of 200 and upwards...	5	5	0

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ANNUAL SUBSCRIPTIONS:

If consisting of under 50 members	£1	1	0
If consisting of 50 and under 100	1	1	0
If consisting of 100 and under 200 ...	2	2	0
If consisting of 200 and upwards...	3	3	0

It was decided that a championship cup should be subscribed for, and a handsome one, value twenty guineas, was selected, and also that a memento prize should be given to the winner, to be provided by the club on whose links the championship is played. There are now nine affiliated clubs, viz., Royal Belfast, Royal County, Co. Down, Lisburn, Belmont, North-west, Dungannon, Armagh, and Killymoon, and, judging from the vigour with which the whole scheme has been taken up by the ladies of the province, there is a useful future before the Irish Ladies' Golf Union.

At the first annual meeting, held in December, 1894, it was resolved to adopt a badge for the Union. The design chosen is a shamrock, in green enamel, bearing the letters I.L.G.U. in white enamel.

Miss Mulligan, Hon. Secretary, 3, Riverston-terrace, Holywood, Co. Down, will gladly answer any inquiries respecting the Union.

The links of the Royal County Club at Portrush have been selected for the championship meeting of 1895; those of the Co. Down G.C. at Newcastle for 1896.

THE CHAMPIONSHIP OF 1894.

The first contest for this much-coveted honour took place on April 12, 13, and 14, on the links of the Royal Belfast G.C., at Carnalea, Co. Down. There were forty-seven entries, and the players represented eight clubs belonging to the Union. The weather at the time was unfavourable, the ground being damp and heavy. Notwithstanding these disadvantages, some very good form was shown by the competitors, and some close matches were played. The round consisted of eighteen holes.

The following are details of the play:

FIRST ROUND.

Miss MacLaine (Royal Belfast) beat Miss White (Royal Belfast).
Miss Johnston-Smyth (Lisburn) beat Mrs. Hezlett (Royal County).
Miss Gunning (Killymoon) a bye, Miss Moore (Lisburn) scratched.

Miss Kerby (Royal Belfast) a bye, Miss Garratt (Royal Belfast) scratched.

Miss MacLean (Royal Belfast) beat Miss Maguire (Royal Belfast).

Miss N. Graham (Lisburn) beat Miss Hezlett (Royal County).

Miss Brownrigg (Lisburn) a bye, Mrs. Young (Royal Belfast) scratched.

Mrs. G. H. Clarke (Lisburn) beat Miss G. Shaw (Belmont).

Miss Graham (Lisburn) beat Miss Platt-Higgins (Royal Belfast).

Miss M. Johnston-Smyth (Lisburn) a bye, Miss C. E. McGee (Royal Belfast) scratched.

Miss Parker (Royal Belfast) beat Mrs. Mann (Royal County).

Miss Creighton (Royal County) beat Mrs. Hamilton.

Mrs. G. M. Shaw (Royal Belfast) beat Miss Ada Moore (Lisburn).

Miss Gregg (Royal Belfast) beat Miss Macrory (Royal Belfast).

Miss Hamilton (Royal Belfast) beat Miss C. Adair (Killymoon).

Miss Alys Garratt, Miss Mulligan, Mrs. Brown, Miss Carson, Miss Coates, Mrs. Lepper (Royal Belfast), Miss Magill (Co. Down), Mrs. Moutray, Miss Johnston, Miss E. Carter, Mrs. Adair, Miss Adair (Killymoon), Miss Cox, Mrs. Exham, Miss McKeown (Royal County), Miss L. Charley (Lisburn), Miss M. Scott (Belmont) received byes.

SECOND ROUND.

Miss MacLaine beat Miss Johnston-Smyth.
Miss Kerby beat Miss Gunning.
Miss N. Graham beat Miss MacLean.
Mrs. G. H. Clarke beat Miss Brownrigg.
Miss Graham beat Miss M. Johnston-Smyth.
Miss Creighton beat Miss Parker.
Miss Gregg beat Mrs. G. M. Shaw.
Miss Hamilton beat Miss Alys Garratt.
Miss Magill a bye, Mrs. Moutray scratched.
Miss Mulligan beat Miss Cox.
Miss L. Charley beat Mrs. Brown.
Miss Carson beat Mrs. Exham.
Miss McKeown beat Miss E. Carter.
Miss Coates beat Mrs. Adair.
Miss Adair beat Mrs. Lepper.
Miss Johnston beat Miss M. Scott.

THIRD ROUND.

Miss Kerby beat Miss MacLaine.
Miss N. Graham beat Mrs. G. H. Clarke.
Miss Graham beat Miss Creighton.
Miss Hamilton beat Miss Gregg.
Miss Mulligan a bye, Miss Magill scratched.
Miss L. Charley beat Miss Carson.
Miss Coates beat Miss McKeown.
Miss Johnston beat Miss Adair.

FOURTH ROUND.

Miss N. Graham beat Miss Kerby.
Miss Graham beat Miss Hamilton.
Miss Mulligan beat Miss L. Charley.
Miss Johnston beat Miss Coates.

FIFTH ROUND.

Miss N. Graham beat Miss Graham.	Miss Mulligan beat Miss Johnston.

FINAL TIE.

Miss Mulligan beat Miss N. Graham by two up and one to play.

The final tie was played under the most disadvantageous circumstances, a high wind and blinding showers making play for ladies nearly impossible. Miss Mulligan and Miss N. Graham were, however, not to be stopped by the elements, and deserved the greatest credit for the plucky way in which they fought out a keenly contested match. At the fourteenth hole they were all even; Miss Mulligan won the fifteenth; they halved the sixteenth; but Miss Mulligan won the seventeenth and the Championship by two up and one to play. Miss N Graham received the prize for the runner up. Consolation prizes for those put out in the first and second rounds were won by Miss Brownrigg and Miss A. Garratt; and Mr. F. Koeller presented a prize for those put out in the third and fourth rounds, which was won by Miss A. Hamilton.

Miss Mulligan, the Irish Lady Champion, is more remarkable for steadiness than for brilliancy; great evenness in all points of the game characterizes her play, and she never plays a careless game.

SANDWICH.

By Mr. JOHN ANDERSON, Royal Musselburgh G.C.

A FEW months ago, when a golfer was asked "Where is Sandwich?" he replied, in an indifferent sort of way, "Oh! it's somewhere about England, I believe," and emphasized his contempt for these kind of places by a half-smothered yawn. Ask him the same question to-day, and he immediately tells you, "That was where the Championship was played this year," evinces a deep interest in the matter, and launches out into anecdotes of "The Maiden," "The Sahara," tremendous carries from the tee, and "The Bell" Hotel.

In the short space of twelve months Sandwich, from being little more than a name to the majority of golfers, has become known as one of the few first-class courses in the kingdom. Wherefore this change? All because Sandwich is now a Championship green, and over it has been held what must undoubtedly be considered the most remarkable and successful Championship meeting in the history of golf.

Sandwich *is* somewhere about England. It lies on the east coast of Kent, about two and a half hours distant from London by rail, and, apart from its links, it is an exceedingly quaint little place. Curious wooden-fronted houses overhang the narrow, winding streets, which bewilder the stranger, while delighting his antiquarian and artistic proclivities. Its early history dates from the time of the Roman occupation, and thence downward there are records of the visits of kings, some of whom fortified the place, and one of whom made it a Cinque Port. There is a dark side, too, disclosed by these records, which also tell of the attacks of foes, who burnt and pillaged the town and carried off everything that was not too hot or too heavy.

SANDWICH, LOOKING FROM THE COURSE.

THE MAIDEN BUNKER.

Coming to modern times, any changes in the place have been more of a retrograde than a progressive character until the golf links were discovered, and since then the prosperity of the town has increased amazingly.

It is said, happy is the country that has no history, and if this be true, Sandwich, as a golf course, must indeed be blest. It is not, in this respect, like St. Andrews, or Musselburgh, or Prestwick, or others of the more famous Scotch links. The fame of these places has been of slow growth, and it may almost be said that they have existed as many years as Sandwich has seen months, or even weeks. This must not be regarded as detracting from the merits of the more modern green; it rather shows the skill that has been brought to bear on its formation.

The links at Sandwich has one marked peculiarity distinguishing it from all our Scotch Championship greens. While the latter have attained their present form by a species of evolution, the former has been laid out by measure, so to speak, according to preconceived ideas. It cannot be denied, and it can scarcely be conceived that there is anyone who desires to deny, that Sandwich is entitled to be ranked among the few first-class golf greens in the kingdom, but in first-class greens there are grades of superiority, and it is to be doubted whether Sandwich is really as fine a links as any of the old Championship greens. In general character the links is good, but if the details of each hole be critically examined, faults of a more or less serious nature can be found. It may be urged that the same applies to every links, and this is quite true, but the green with the fewest faults is bound to be the best. Adverse criticism is comparatively an easy task, as perfection must ever be a matter of opinion, and it is not difficult to pick to pieces the plan of a course that some may consider perfect. In every case, too, allowance must be made for the nature of the ground at the disposal of the prospector of the links.

While admitting that Sandwich deserves to be regarded as a first-class links, it appears to the writer that there are objections to it which can fairly be stated, and which are not entirely due to the nature of the ground. For the sake of clearness these may be divided into four parts—viz.: (1) the lengths of the holes; (2) the position of the hazards requiring to be carried

from the tee; (3) the character of the bunkers; and (4) the nature of the putting greens.

In regard to the first, the contributor of an article on Sandwich and its links, appearing in the "Golfing Annual," Vol. II., states: "The lengths of the holes have been so arranged that one, two, or three fair drives are usually required to reach the greens, and thus any really badly driven ball will prevent a player reaching the putting green in the proper number of strokes." It is to be questioned whether the placing of holes at such distances that they should be reached by one, two, or three fair drives is expedient and calculated to test golf. Given an ideal green laid out on this system, and given an ideal player, the game is divided into driving and putting. Cleek shots, and iron shots, and all manner of approaches, are entirely eliminated, and who will say that this is an advantage. While the principle appears to be wrong in theory, it does not seem that, at Sandwich at all events, the practical result is unsatisfactory, as the players there during the Championship week had a fair share of approaches to play.

Second. The position of the hazards. At nearly every hole a hazard has to be carried from the tee, and part of the plan seems to have been to place these hazards just short of the distance estimated for a fair drive. Now, while hazards so placed will catch half-topped drives they will not punish badly topped drives where the ball will lie short of the difficulties, and hence the more serious fault goes unpunished save by loss of distance, while the less serious is penalised by the hazard, combined with loss of distance. Another objection to the position of the bunkers is that it makes the carries too long. Long drivers have an undue advantage, by reason of carrying the hazards, and the golfer who is not a long driver, but who plays a neat, effective game, is too heavily handicapped. Even if the player be a long driver, he does not always get the most satisfactory lie for his second stroke; he may find his ball in such a position that he has a difficult stroke to play. The players at Sandwich during the Championship week embraced the best exponents of the game, and among the professionals, who are the strongest drivers, there seemed to be a consensus of opinion that the carries from the tee were too long.

Third. The bunkers. *It is admitted that there ought not to*

be a hazard out of which the ball cannot be extracted at the loss of one stroke. "Hell" and "Pandy" used to be regarded as very terrible bunkers, but they sink into insignificance when compared with "The Maiden," "Hades," and some others. Out of those formidable bunkers a ball *may* be extracted at the loss of a stroke, but the probabilities are against this, and two, or even three strokes may be required. Thus it may happen that the player who makes several mistakes may not be so severely punished as he who makes only one or two, if the latter is unfortunate enough to make his mistakes at places where the heavy penalties are exacted, and not at places where the difficulties are less. Further, there are two or three bunkers at Sandwich which have the form of steep banks of loose sand, and the writer's experience in one of them was that if a ball lofted in it the loose sand falling down completely buried the ball. The penalty for getting into such a bunker is a lost ball. The full extent of a hazard should be visible to the player, but this is not always the case at Sandwich, particularly at "Hades" and at the tenth hole, where the bunkers extend thirty or forty yards beyond the faces of the sandhills. There is also a water hazard crossed in playing to the sixteenth hole, which is unseen from the tee. In some instances the hazards are not sharply defined, and it is occasionally difficult to say whether the ball is to be regarded as in a hazard or lying on grass.

Fourth. The putting greens are the worst feature of Sandwich. Some of them are both large and beautiful, particularly those at the first and last holes. Others, again, are very bad; those near the sea are mossy and crumbling, and some are both hard and keen, and small in size. On these mossy greens putting is uncertain, and in the case of the hard small greens, it is not only difficult to put, but it is also difficult to approach; the ball will not stay on the green, but invariably rolls over the side into rough country, or some such hazard. A professional player, for whom the writer scored at the Championship, said of one of these greens that it was like putting over a "barn door," the particular kind of barn door being expressed by an alliterative adjective which the Editor has cut out of this sentence. Several players expressed the opinion that the putting greens had deteriorated since the tournament held some years ago, and others who frequently played over the course seemed to

think that they were in better condition during the Championship week than is usually the case in the summer months.

Notwithstanding the objections he has stated, the majority of which are capable of being remedied, the writer is, as he has already stated, of opinion that Sandwich Links is a first-class one, and well worthy of being a Championship green, and undoubtedly the display of golf witnessed during the Championship week was such that it may be safely said the like has not hitherto been witnessed at any golf meeting. According to usual custom, the whole arrangements were in the hands of the local club, the St. George's, and the Committee, taking advantage of the opportunity offered, devoted an entire week to golf, the first event being the Rolland-Park match, followed up by the Championship proper, extending over two days, and the play for St. George's Challenge Vase, and winding up with a competition between amateurs and professionals.

The three first mentioned events were conducted on the former lines, but the amateur-professional tournament was an entirely new feature, and brought to an issue what has for some time back been a moot point—viz., whether professionals are now able to maintain their superiority against amateurs. It might have been a fairer test of the respective capacities of the teams if the match had been played on the lines of an inter-club match, but this not having been the mode selected by the organizers, any comparison of the two classes of players must be made from the materials available. The teams taking part in the competition, though possibly not containing the best players on either side, were fairly representative, and that the professionals have proved themselves superior to the amateurs may be deduced from the results. The two classes met not only in the tournament, but also in the open Championship competition, and both of these must therefore be taken into account.

In the Championship the professionals secured the first eight places; and out of the first twenty places, sixteen went to them, and four to the amateurs.

In the Tournament the ultimate winner was a professional, in fact, the final match was between professionals; and in the first stage of it the professionals won six matches as against the amateurs' two. Again, if the play in the first stage be looked

at in the light of an inter-club match, the result is as follows, viz:—

Professionals.	Holes.		Amateurs.	Holes.	
Park	0	...	Mr. Ball	1	
Taylor	4	...	Mr. Hilton	0	... 3 to play.
Herd	0	...	Mr. Blyth	0	
Kirkcaldy	7	..	Mr. Hutchings	0	... 6 to play.
Auchterlonie	2	...	Mr. Mure Fergusson	0	... 1 to play.
Rolland	3	...	Mr. Hutchinson	0	... 1 to play.
Fernie	4	...	Mr. Stuart	0	... 3 to play.
Simpson	0	...	Mr. Tait	3	... 2 to play.
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According to this method of computation the professionals beat the amateurs by sixteen holes; but, on the one hand, the amateurs, who were down, might have reduced their opponents' lead; while on the other, the professionals, who were up, might have increased their lead. From the above it seems clear that amateur players as a class have a good deal of leeway to make up ere they overtake professionals; but it is equally clear that there are some amateurs who are very nearly, if not quite, as good players as the best professional.

Mr. Rutherford, the honorary secretary of the club, and the other gentlemen associated with him in the management of the meeting, must feel rewarded for their pains by its success, and certainly the arrangements they made were excellent, and could not have been surpassed, one may venture to say, even in the smallest detail. Thanks to Ramsay Hunter, the genial green-keeper, the links were in beautiful condition, and bore traces of the forethought, skill, and labour bestowed upon it.

THE AMATEUR CHAMPIONSHIP, 1894.

As was generally anticipated at the time, the unexpected victory of Mr. P. C. Anderson at Prestwick in 1893 inspired such a number of players hitherto unknown to the Championship to go and endeavour to do likewise, that a record field of sixty-four assembled at Hoylake last spring to do battle against Mr. Anderson. Of course, several of the newcomers were, it now almost goes without saying, at the best only second-raters, but quite a number gave a really good account of themselves even if they did not manage to win, and, judging by their play, Championship honours will before long be distributed over a much wider circle than heretofore. But let us leave generalities alone, and proceed to describe the play.

With a field of sixty-four, for once in a way no byes were necessary, so all would have had to fight for their places in the second round if several entrants had not scratched. Play opened betimes on the morning of Wednesday, April 25th, and proceeded under favourable conditions, the rain earlier in the week having greatly benefited the putting greens. Jack Morris saw to matters at the first tee, and the attendance of spectators was large. In the opening bout no startling surprises were sprung, but several of the cracks had to fight hard for their places. Mr. J. E. Laidlay had his work cut out to beat by a hole Mr. C. E. Gilroy, whose putting was wonderfully good, and by a similarly small margin did Mr. Horace G. Hutchinson, the "Royal Liverpool" Captain, account for Mr. David Anderson, the Monifieth-cum-Carnoustie crack. Even harder was the tussle between Mr. L. Balfour-Melville and Mr. G. G. Smith, which was only settled in the former's favour after an extra hole had been negotiated, and in like fashion did Mr. W. Doleman, the veteran Glasgow player, succumb to Mr. T. T. Gray, who had been registering some low scores at Musselburgh shortly before the

Championship. Mr. C. Toppin effected a mild surprise in ousting Mr. L. S. Anderson, but the other results were true to form. Mr. Mure Fergusson had the luck to be favoured with a walk over, and, as he received a second edition thereof in the second round, he found his way into the last sixteen without having to strike a ball. In the second ties two prominent competitors received their *congé*—to wit, Mr. P. C. Anderson, the erstwhile champion, and Mr. Hutchinson, the winner of the first two of the series. Mr. Anderson, who was completely off colour, proved no match for Mr. J. P. Henderson; but Mr. Hutchinson did not cry enough to the redoubtable Mr. F. G. Tait until the nineteenth green was reached. Both had played good golf, and were all level at the end of the statutory round. When Mr. Hutchinson laid his second to the extra hole on the green, whereas Mr. Tait lay in roughish ground to the right in the like, the Hoylake Captain's victory seemed assured, but a fine approach and a fair putt on Mr. Tait's part saw his ball at the bottom in four. Mr. Hutchinson had a putt of less than a yard for the half, but he only sent it half way, and so gave Mr. Tait a present of the tie.

The weather on Thursday, April 26, was all that a golfer could desire. There was little wind, while a few gentle showers made the greens run true as a die. Mr. Macfie opened the third round by administering a severe drubbing to Mr. C. Hutchings. He was followed into the last eight by Mr. Laidlay and Mr. John Ball, jun., whose path, so far, had not been barred by any very serious obstacles. Then Mr. Gray, showing his very best form, worsted Mr. L. Balfour-Melville by a putt on the nineteenth green, albeit he had been two down with two to play, and Mr. Hilton did likewise to Mr. John Ball (2). Mr. Tait and Mr. C. E. Dick easily held their places; but Mr. Mure Fergusson, in his first essay, had the utmost difficulty in shaking off Mr. Henderson, the conqueror of Mr. P. C. Anderson. In the fourth round, Mr. Laidlay and Mr. John Ball, jun., easily got the better of Mr. Macfie and Mr. Gray respectively, and Mr. Mure Fergusson, for the second year in succession, proved too good for Mr. Dick. But the tussle between Mr. Tait and Mr. Hilton was a sight for gods and men. At Prestwick, in 1893, Mr. Tait beat Mr. Hilton by three up and two to play, after an interesting game, of which at one time Mr. Hilton looked to have much the

better. Once more did the St. Andrews man prove the winner, but only by a single hole, after an intensely exciting and punishing finish. Mr. Hilton began swimmingly by getting the first two holes, and preserved this advantage until the ninth hole. Here a grand approach and putt enabled the St. Andrews man to reduce his leeway, and he squared accounts at the next hole, on the way to which Mr. Hilton fell foul of a bunker. The next hole was halved, but the twelfth was pocketed by Mr. Hilton, who was now one up and six to play. Two holes later, however, a long brassy second deservedly won his opponent the hole. All square and four to play. This was the critical juncture, and it was Mr. Hilton who erred. His teeshot, a trifle off the line, unluckily found a resting place in a rabbit's scrape, and with it went his chance for the 1894 Championship, as Mr. Tait won the hole and halved the remaining three. The play was the best seen during the progress of the competition, and it was a pity both could not have won.

That the severe struggle had told on Mr. Tait was very evident the following day (Friday), when he came to play Mr. Muro Fergusson in the penultimate round, as, after leading one at the turn, he fell to pieces and was beaten three holes from home. Nor did Mr. Laidlay do himself justice against Mr. Ball, who led throughout and won comparatively easily. Thus what had been anticipated as two exciting ties fell wofully flat. Despite heavy rain supervening on a brief thunderstorm, there was a crowd of several thousands to see the final in the afternoon between Mr. Ball and Mr. Muro Fergusson. Mr. Ball opened in a way which pleased the natives, for he won the first four holes off the reel by faultless golf. The fifth was halved, but Mr. Fergusson got the next, and with three successive halves, the turn was reached with the local man three up. Such a lead would have daunted many men, but it had the opposite effect on Mr. Fergusson. He stuck pluckily to his work, and by winning three out of the next five holes, squared the match with four to go. Two steadily played halves intensified the excitement, and the feelings of the large crowd were with difficulty restrained. To the second last Mr. Ball got away the longer ball, and Mr. Fergusson played his second (for safety) short of the bunker guarding the green. With his trusty brassy Mr. Ball, on the other hand, essayed the long and perilous carry. Straight as

an arrow the ball sped for the hole, cleared the bunker, and landed at the hole side. This grand shot of course gave Mr. Ball the hole, and the Championship also, for the last was halved. Mr. Ball's win was naturally hailed with acclamation, and he was carried to the clubhouse shoulder high. Under trying circumstances he played good golf, and thoroughly earned his fourth win in the competition; but a meed of praise must be accorded Mr. Fergusson for his determined uphill fight. He had certainly the worst of the luck. May he have better next time. The following are details of the play:—

FIRST ROUND.

Mr. A. F. Macfie (Royal and Ancient) beat Mr. W. E. Fairlie (Prestwick) by six up and four to play.

Mr. W. E. Whineray (Royal Liverpool) beat Mr. J. Stevenson (Edinburgh Institution F.P.) by three up and one to play.

Mr. C. Hutchings (Royal Liverpool) beat Mr. G. Stewart (Hong-Kong) by seven up and six to play.

Captain A. A. Wolfe-Murray (Royal and Ancient) beat Mr. S. M. Crosfield (Royal Liverpool) by one hole.

Mr. D. S. Froy (London Scottish) beat Mr. R. S. Backhouse (Ilkley) by three up and two to play.

Mr. J. E. Laidlay (Honourable Company of Edinburgh Golfers) beat Mr. C. E. Gilroy (Dalhousie) by one hole.

Mr. C. E. Toppin (Malvern) beat Mr. L. S. Anderson (Aberdeen) by one hole.

Mr. J. Hornby (Royal Liverpool) beat Mr. A. E. Walker (London Scottish) by five up and three to play.

Mr. P. Dowie (Gullane) beat Mr. T. R. Henderson (West Lancashire) by two up and one to play.

Mr. J. Fairclough (Royal Liverpool) a bye; Mr. H. M. Braybrooke (Royal Ashdown Forest) scratched.

Mr. J. W. B. Pease (Alnmouth) beat Mr. E. W. Brown (Wallasey) by five up and three to play.

Mr. J. Ball, jun. (Royal Liverpool) beat Mr. J. Goldie (Airdrie) by seven up and six to play.

Mr. T. T. Gray (Royal Musselburgh) beat Mr. W. Doleman (Glasgow) by one hole, after a tie.

Mr. J. W. Tod (Honourable Company of Edinburgh Golfers) beat Mr. E. Goold (Royal Liverpool) by four up and three to play.

Mr. T. G. Buchan (Edinburgh Viewforth) beat Mr. E. H. Porter (Royal Liverpool) by four up and three to play.

Mr. L. Balfour-Melville (Royal and Ancient) beat Mr. G. G. Smith (Neasden) by one hole, after a tie.

Mr. J. Ball (2) (Leasowe) beat Mr. G. F. Smith (Southport) by four up and three to play.

Mr. J. M. Williamson (Royal Musselburgh) beat Mr. H. A. Farrar (Rhyl) by two up and one to play.

Mr. G. A. Gilroy (Dalhousie) beat Mr. J. D. Pettit (Aldeburgh) by four up and three to play.

Mr. H. H. Hilton (Royal Liverpool) beat Mr. T. W. Crowther (Royal Liverpool) by four up and three to play.

Mr. H. G. Hutchinson (Royal Liverpool) beat Mr. D. Anderson (Panmure) by one hole.

Mr. F. G. Tait (Royal and Ancient) beat Mr. J. G. Gibson (Royal Blackheath) by seven up and six to play.

Mr. R. B. Sharp (Royal and Ancient) beat Mr. W. G. Bloxsom (Honourable Company of Edinburgh Golfers) by seven up and six to play.

Mr. J. Ball, sen. (Royal Liverpool) beat Mr. F. Harrison (West Lancashire) by three up and two to play.

Mr. S. Mure Fergusson (Royal and Ancient) a bye; Mr. O. Williams (Royal Liverpool) scratched.

Mr. J. Dun (Royal Liverpool) a bye; Mr. W. Ballingall (Dalhousie) scratched.

Mr. P. C. Anderson (St. Andrews University) beat Mr. D. W. Greenwood (West Lancashire) by six up and four to play.

Mr. J. P. Henderson (Edinburgh University) beat Mr. E. J. B. Farrar (Royal Liverpool) by two holes.

Mr. H. H. Harley (Tantallon, North Berwick) beat Mr. A. C. M. Croome (Mitchinhampton) by three up and two to play.

Mr. D. Ball (Leasowe) beat Mr. J. Livingston, jun. (Rosslynlea) by four up and two to play.

Mr. H. W. Forster (Royal Liverpool) beat Rev. A. H. Cochrane (Royal and Ancient) by two up and one to play.

Mr C. E. Dick (Royal Liverpool) beat Mr. E. H. Johnston (Honourable Company of Edinburgh Golfers) by three up and one to play.

SECOND ROUND.

Mr. A. F. Macfie beat Mr. W. E. Whineray by eight up and seven to play.

Mr. C. Hutchings beat Captain A. A. Wolfe-Murray by five up and four to play.

Mr. J. E. Laidlay beat Mr. D. S. Froy by five up and four to play.

Mr. J. Hornby beat Mr. C. Toppin by two up and one to play.

Mr. J. Fairclough beat Mr. P. Dowie by two up and one to play.

Mr. J. Ball, jun., beat Mr. J. W. B. Pease by six up and four to play.

Mr. T. T. Gray beat Mr. J. W. Tod by four up and three to play.

Mr. L. Balfour-Melville beat Mr. T. G. Buchan by two up and one to play.

Mr. J. Ball (2) beat Mr. J. M. Williamson by one hole.

Mr. H. H. Hilton beat Mr. G. A. Gilroy by eight up and seven to play.

Mr. F. G. Tait beat Mr. H. G. Hutchinson by one hole, after a tie.
Mr. R. B. Sharp beat Mr. J. Ball, sen. (retired).
Mr. S. Mure Fergusson a bye; Mr. J. Dun, scratched.
Mr. J. P. Henderson beat Mr. P. C. Anderson by four up and three to play.
Mr. H. H. Harley beat Mr. Donald Ball by five up and three to play.
Mr. C. E. Dick beat Mr. H. W. Forster by six up and five to play.

THIRD ROUND.

Mr. A. F. Macfie beat Mr. C. Hutchings by six up and five to play.
Mr. J. E. Laidlay beat Mr. J. Hornby by five up and four to play.
Mr. J. Ball, jun., beat Mr. J. Fairclough by five up and four to play.
Mr. T. T. Gray beat Mr. L. Balfour-Melville by one hole, after a tie.
Mr. H. H. Hilton beat Mr. J. Ball (2) by one hole, after a tie.
Mr. F. G. Tait beat Mr. R. B. Sharp by five up and three to play.
Mr. S. Mure Fergusson beat Mr. J. P. Henderson by one hole.
Mr. C. E. Dick beat Mr. H. H. Harley by five up and three to play.

FOURTH ROUND.

Mr. J. E. Laidlay beat Mr. A. F. Macfie by four up and three to play.
Mr. J. Ball, jun., beat Mr. T. T. Gray by six up and five to play.
Mr. F. G. Tait beat Mr. H. H. Hilton by one hole.
Mr. S. Mure Fergusson beat Mr. C. E. Dick by three up and two to play.

FIFTH ROUND.

Mr. J. Ball, jun., beat Mr. J. E. Laidlay by five up and three to play.
Mr. S. Mure Fergusson beat Mr. F. G. Tait by four up and three to play.

FINAL TIE.

Mr. J. Ball, jun., beat Mr. S. Mure Fergusson by one hole.

The previous winners and runners up for the Amateur Championship are as follows:—

1886.—Mr. Horace G. Hutchinson (Royal North Devon) beat Mr. Henry A. Lamb (Royal Wimbledon) by seven up and six to play.—At St. Andrews.
1887.—Mr. Horace G. Hutchinson (Royal North Devon) beat Mr. John Ball, jun. (Royal Liverpool), by one hole.—At Hoylake.
1888.—Mr. John Ball, jun. (Royal Liverpool) beat Mr. J. E. Laidlay (Honourable Company of Edinburgh Golfers) by five up and four to play.—At Prestwick.

1889.—Mr. J. E. Laidlay (Honourable Company of Edinburgh Golfers) beat Mr. Leslie M. Balfour (Royal and Ancient) by two up and one to play.—At St. Andrews.

1890.—Mr. John Ball, jun. (Royal Liverpool) beat Mr. J. E. Laidlay (Honourable Company of Edinburgh Golfers) by four up and three to play.—At Hoylake.

1891.—Mr. J. E. Laidlay (Honourable Company of Edinburgh Golfers) beat Mr. H. H. Hilton (Royal Liverpool) by one hole, after a tie.—At St. Andrews.

1892.—Mr. John Ball, jun. (Royal Liverpool) beat Mr. H. H. Hilton (Royal Liverpool) by three up and one to play.—At Sandwich.

1893.—Mr. P. C. Anderson (St. Andrews University) beat Mr. J. E. Laidlay (Honourable Company of Edinburgh Golfers) by one hole.—At Prestwick.

This year the Championship falls to be held at St. Andrews on May 7th, 8th, and 9th.

MR. JOHN BALL, JUN.

CHAMPION AMATEUR GOLFER AND IRISH AMATEUR CHAMPION 1894.

MR. JOHN BALL, JUNIOR'S, doughty deeds on our golfing greens are too well known to require recapitulation here. This is the eighth volume of the *Annual*, and in five has Mr. Ball figured as winner of one or other of the leading competitions at his favourite game. Here is his record, stated in the briefest of terms:—Open Champion, 1890; Amateur Champion, 1888, 1890-2-4; Irish Amateur Champion, 1893-4; winner of scores of trophies at Hoylake, Sandwich, and elsewhere; and the first Englishman, and likewise the first amateur, to win the Open Golfing Championship. Our portrait is from a photograph by Messrs. Robinson and Thompson, Liverpool and Birkenhead.

MR. JOHN BALL, JUN.,
CHAMPION AMATEUR GOLFER, 1894.

THE GOLFING CHAMPIONSHIP, 1894.

UNTIL last year the Golfing Championship had been controlled by a Committee representative of the Royal and Ancient Golf Club of St. Andrews, the Honourable Company of Edinburgh Golfers, and the Prestwick Golf Club, upon whose greens the competition had since 1872 been decided in alternate years. But at a meeting of club representatives held in Edinburgh in June, 1893, it was very wisely thought that the time had come for the scope of the competition to be extended. With this view, the Royal Liverpool and St. George's Golf Clubs were admitted into what one might term the Championship "inner circle," with an equal voice in the management, and the St. George's fine green at Sandwich was fixed upon as the vantage ground for the 1894 competition.

That the departure was a wise one none can gainsay, for the game has advanced in England during recent years by leaps and bounds, and it was only in keeping with the fitness of things that an English green of the highest class should at last be favoured. True, it is a far cry to Sandwich for the bulk of the Scotch professionals; but it was, on the other hand, hardly fair that their brethren south of the Tweed—a rapidly increasing body—should, if desirous of tempting fortune, have year after year to face the long journey North either to St. Andrews, Muirfield, or Prestwick. But, after all, the unparalleled success of the competition at Sandwich is the most eloquent testimonial to the wisdom of the innovation. The conditions were similar to those which obtained in the two previous years. Play extended over two days (Monday and Tuesday, June 11 and 12), upon each of which two full rounds of eighteen holes had to be negotiated. The field of competitors was certainly the most representative,

as indeed it was the largest, that has ever tried conclusions for the blue ribbon of golf. The leading professionals were there to a man, but among what one might without any disrespect term an *omnium gatherum* of amateurs, we looked in vain for Mr. J. E. Laidlay, Mr. L. Balfour-Melville, and Mr. P. C. Anderson, the sensational amateur champion of the previous year. At St. Andrews, in 1891, eighty-three was the muster roll, and at Prestwick last year seventy-two entries were received; and if it was felt on these occasions that a large proportion of the players had slight pretensions to championship form, what must be thought of the entry of ninety-four, with which the executive at Sandwich had to deal? In the absence of any rule, the Committee have to accept the entry of all and sundry; but it is clear that the five associated clubs who, in turn, are put to the considerable expense incidental to the occasion, will have to devise, in self-defence, some scheme whereby the number of players may be kept within reasonable bounds. Playing four rounds at Sandwich is no doubt a vastly pleasant way of spending a couple of days, and, including the privilege of practising some days beforehand, cheap at half a guinea; but a moment's thought of the trouble entailed might have deterred several who entered from doing so. To begin with, it was no easy thing to find forty-two willing and competent scorers, especially after the completion of the first round, during which excellent, but modest, players found frequently that they had sacrificed their anticipated enjoyment of a good match for the sake of scoring for men to whom they could give a third perhaps. For seven mortal hours or more did play drag its weary course on the opening day (Monday), the first ball being struck off at a quarter to ten, while the last pair holed out at about half-past seven, in an anything but satisfactory light. It is not fair to impose a programme of such stupendous dimensions upon any body; nor can it tend to elevate the tone of the game to see a number of moderate players engaged in the principal competition of the year. That play under such circumstances proceeded without the slightest hitch, reflects the very highest credit on Mr. W. Rutherford, hon. secretary of the St. George's Club, upon whose willing shoulders the brunt of the management was laid.

On Monday morning four of the entrants failed to answer to

their names, which necessitated a slight alteration in the draw, and this was how the players started:

J. Keddie (Hastings) and Rev. A. H. Cochrane (Royal and Ancient).
J. Braid (Elie) and J. Burns (Wolverhampton).
Mr. P. M. Lucas (Cromer) and D. Herd (Hoylake).
Mr. John Ball, jun. (Royal Liverpool) and Mr. W. E. Dunsford (Royal North Devon).
R. Kirk (Wallasey) and Mr. F. S. Ireland (Royal Blackheath).
P. Paxton (Norwood) and G. Pearson (Rochester).
A. Kirkcaldy (St. Andrews) and Mr. J. L. Low (Royal Perth).
J. Longhurst (Ascot) and J. Marks (West Middlesex).
J. Lloyd (Pau) and R. Jones (Littlehampton).
J. Dalgleish (Nairn) and D. M'Ewan (Formby).
J. Rowe (Ashdown Forest) and Mr. A. Stuart (Hon. Company of Edinburgh Golfers).
Mr. W. O. S. Pell (Royal Blackheath) and Mr. C. Hutchings (Royal Liverpool).
Archie Simpson (Carnoustie) and J. Ross (Seaford).
J. Cuthbert (Stanmore) and D. Rolland (Limpsfield).
L. G. Ross (Sutton Coldfield) and Mr. F. G. Tait (Royal and Ancient).
R. Tait (Musselburgh) and J. Hughes (Carnarvon).
W. Aveston (Cromer) and R. Kelly (Norwich).
C. Gibson (Westward Ho!) and J. Kay (Seaton Carew).
Captain C. Coles (Neasden) and W. Auchterlonie (St. Andrews).
T. Chisholm (Chorleywood) and Captain Austin (St. George's).
H. Harris (Sandwich) and Mr. Horace G. Hutchinson (Royal North Devon).
Mr. J. P. Henderson (Edinburgh University) and A. Alexander (Littlestone).
Mr. A. D. Blyth (St. George's) and J. H. Taylor (Winchester).
G. Pulford (Hoylake) and C. Smith (Elie).
A. Jackson (Raynes Park) and Mr. G. G. Smith (New Club, Musselburgh).
J. Milne (Neasden) and C. Thom (West Herts).
Mr. E. Lehmann (Royal and Ancient) and W. H. Tucker (Reigate).
H. Kirkcaldy (Oxford) and T. Butel (Jersey).
R. Munro (Richmond) and G. Dunn (Mitcham).
Mr. R. Foulis (Ranfurly Castle) and T. Vardon (Ilkley).
Mr. H. H. Hilton (Royal Liverpool) and J. Boyd.
M. Park, jun. (Musselburgh) and Jack Simpson (Edinburgh).
Mr. H. L. Forbes (St. George's) and Dr. Bruce Goff (Royal and Ancient).
W. D. More (Chester) and Mr. C. E. Hambro (St. George's).
J. White (Chesterford Park) and D. Brown (Malvern).
W. Park, jun. (Musselburgh) and A. Toogood (Eltham).
P. Fernie (Wimbledon) and H. Vardon (Barrow-in-Furness).
Mr. C. E. Dick (Royal Liverpool) and G. Lowe (St. Anne's).

D. Pinkerton (Guildford) and A. Tinguy (Doncaster).
B. Sayers (North Berwick) and Mr. S. Munro Fergusson (Royal and Ancient).
Mr. A. Schacht (Blackheath) and Mr. H. C. Blyth (St. George's).
Mr. L. S. Anderson (Aberdeen) and Mr. H. S. Stobart (Royal North Devon).
A. Lumsden (Clifton) and D. Grant (North Berwick).
A. Herd (Huddersfield) and W. Fernie (Troon).
Tom Morris (St. Andrews) and Captain Tattersall.

Wind is a factor which has generally to be taken into account at Sandwich, but on the opening day it was more strongly in evidence than usual. It blew direct from the north-west, and so favoured the drives to the first four holes, the tenth and fifteenth, but was more or less hampering for all the others. Fortunately, as the day wore on, the breeze abated somewhat, but showers of rain added to the players' discomfort.

At starting, Taylor, Herd, and Rolland were undoubtedly the favourites as they were known to be in their very best form; and of course the brothers Kirkcaldy, and Messrs. Ball, Hilton, and Tait did not lack for backers. Of those fancied, Mr. Ball was first to drive off, and although he was scarcely in his best driving form, he played good steady golf on the whole, and set an 84 for the others to beat. Not long after him Andrew Kirkcaldy finished with 86, despite the fact that he had lost a ball, with consequent penalty; and Rolland, whose wonderful driving with the wind astonished the spectators, recorded a similar score, and that, too, without the aid of his favourite driver, which he had the misfortune to break at the turn. Archie Simpson and Mr. Hutchinson were each out in 39, but they fell slightly away coming home, and finished in 90 and 88 respectively. Auchterlonie, last year's champion, likewise made a promising start, but he fell foul of too many bunkers to be pleasant coming home, and his 96 thus early placed him out of the running. Little better did Mr. Hilton fare with 91, and, going from bad to worse in the afternoon, he retired from the competition. Partnered with Mr. A. D. Blyth, the local crack, Taylor, played fine, steady golf, and although he had the rain to face at the last two holes, he equalled Mr. Ball's score. Toogood, the youthful Eltham professional, registered a third 84 by sound golf, and topped his partner Willie Park's score by 4. Only a stroke worse than the leaders

were Sayers and Mr. C. E. Dick, while Mr. Mure Fergusson kept himself well in the running with 87, as also did H. Vardon and D. M'Ewan with 86, and T. Vardon with 87; but Hugh Kirkcaldy and Mr. Tait, each with 90, did not occupy such prominent positions as anticipated. Fernie and Herd were the last couple, and they created a bit of a sensation. With 83, Herd ousted the erstwhile leaders, with whom Fernie succeeded in tieing. Needless to say both had played fine, steady golf.

In the afternoon the second round was proceeded with under slightly better conditions, and some wonderfully good rounds were the result, Andrew Kirkcaldy and Rolland each equalling Mr. F. A. Fairlie's green record of 79. This Taylor had every chance of doing also, but he missed a short putt at the last hole, and so lost the honour. Fernie repeated his first round of 84, and so tied with his partner Herd, whose second round showed a deterioration of 2. By reason of an excellent 81, Sayers worked his way into fourth place, and Toogood, H. Vardon, and Mr. Mure Fergusson practically kept their old positions. Mr. Tait, Hugh Kirkcaldy, and Archie Simpson all improved considerably on their first essay, but Mr. Hutchinson came sadly to grief at the thirteenth and fourteenth holes, and ran up a 91 in consequence. At the end of the first day's play Taylor led by a stroke over Andrew Kirkcaldy and Rolland; Sayers being fourth with 166, Herd and Fernie next with 168, and Toogood seventh with 169. Among these seven the issue to all intents and purposes was narrowed when the second moiety was entered upon on Tuesday, 12th June; but although Mr. Hutchinson set an example to many others hopelessly out of the running by gracefully retiring, comparatively few took the hint. There was a new draw, and this was the order of despatch:—

W. Aveston and A. Kirkcaldy.
G. Lowe and G. Dunn.
W. Fernie and B. Sayers.
J. Milne and J. Lloyd.
Mr. R. Foulis and D. Rolland.
J. Simpson and J. Boyd.
P. Paxton and A. Lumsden.
R. Jones and J. Cuthbert.
A. Alexander and J. Dalgleish.
D. Grant and Mr. H. C. Blyth.
Dr. Bruce Goff and Mr. J. L. Low.
Mr. E. Lehmann and D. M'Ewan.
J. Kay and R. Kelly.
W. Park, jun., and Mr. C. E. Dick.
J. Braid and W. H. Tucker.
Mr. C. Hutchings and W. Auchterlonie.

T. Vardon and J. Longhurst.
Mr. L. S. Anderson and Mr. A. D. Blyth.
Mr. A. Stuart and D. Brown.
G. Pulford and Mr. J. P. Henderson.
W. Marks and Mr. S. Mure Fergusson.
G. Pearson and J. H. Taylor.
T. Chisholm and C. Gibson.
A. Tingey and A. Simpson.
H. Kirkcaldy and L. G. Ross.
Mr. F. S. Ireland and Mr. F. G. Tait.
C. Smith and A. Herd.
H. Vardon and A. Toogood.
Mr. C. E. Hambro and Mr. G. G. Smith.
T. Butel and D. Herd.
P. Fernie and W. D. More.
Mr. John Ball, jun., and J. Rowe.
J. White and J. Burns.
R. Kirk and C. Thom.
Captain C. Coles and Mr. A. Schacht.
J. Ross and Tom Morris.

The conditions were decidedly more favourable than on the opening day, but, rather singularly, no more scores under 80 were recorded. Andrew Kirkcaldy, from his prominent position, drew a goodly following. He was out in 39, and finished in 83, his approach to the last hole landing on the Press tent. Fernie and Sayers both went out in 41, but Fernie took seven to the thirteenth, and finished in 86, Sayers taking 84. Rolland was down in three at the third, sixth, and eighth holes, but was 40 out, and finished in 84, having been weak more than once on the green. Taylor had a large following, whom he pleased by playing the steadiest of games. Out in 40, and in in only a stroke more he totalled 81, and so added two strokes to his previous advantage. Hugh Kirkcaldy for a time looked like supplying the sensation of the day, for he was out in 37, but an eight coming home swelled his card to 80. A. Herd went round in 82, Toogood doing likewise; but although several of the others registered totals of 80 or little over, they were too far in the rear to profit much thereby. The leaders were now: Taylor, 245; A. Kirkcaldy, 248; Rolland, 249; Sayers and A. Herd, 250; Toogood, 251; H. Vardon and Fernie, 254; H. Kirkcaldy, 255.

Andrew Kirkcaldy started on the last round in wonderful fashion, and actually holed the first six in 22, his score for the first half being 36, and 40 for ten. Then came disaster, culminating in the water hazard at the fourteenth hole, which cost seven strokes, and ended all hope of the 1894 Championship, the

round being 84, making his grand total 332. Fernie and Sayers were next in of the dangerous division, Fernie in 80, and Sayers in 84—total for each, 334. Rolland finished in 82, making a total of 331, and thus beat Kirkcaldy by one. Whilst these players were coming in Taylor was on his way out, and it soon became an arithmetical certainty that to become champion he had to do an 85. At the first hole he was down in five, then came a four, and a wonderful mashie approach all but got him the third in two. Two more fours were followed by a three at the "Maiden." Short with his iron, to the seventh hole he took six, but only missed taking the eighth in two, and a five took him out in 37. This left him 48 to win. Overrunning the thirteenth, Taylor hit the fence, taking seven to the hole. He was hole high with his third at the long fourteenth; played short for safety to the fifteenth, which a well judged putt nearly gave him in four; and teeing for the last hole, found himself with ten strokes in hand. He easily found the bottom of the hole in five, thus completing the round in 81, and making his aggregate 326, or five in front of Rolland's total. As it was now utterly impossible for this aggregate to be beaten, Taylor was hailed the winner amidst loud cheering, and he certainly occupied a unique position in being not only the first English professional to win the Championship, but also the first one to win it on English soil. The features of his play were his wonderfully straight driving, his extreme steadiness, and, above all, his deadly approaching. When one compares his winning score with that of other Championships, one must bear in mind the *tremendous carries* at Sandwich. Many a golfer must have gone home sore at heart after his week's acquaintance with them.

Rolland, A. Kirkcaldy, Sayers, and Fernie all played up to form, but, mainly owing to his falling away in his last round, Herd did not occupy such a prominent position as expected. On the other hand, Toogood gave a brilliant account of himself, his play being a revelation to everybody. He played with the nerve of a veteran; and what with Taylor, Toogood, the brothers Vardon, More, and Jones, the English-born professionals must now be reckoned with in every Championship. Of the amateurs, whose play as a whole was disappointing, Mr. Tait and Mr. A. D. Blyth did best.

Subjoined are the detailed cards of the leading competitors, the order of the prize list, and full scores:

J. H. Taylor (Championship Medal and 30*l*.).

First Round.	—Out	5	4	4	5	4	4	5	4	5=40	84	164	
	In	4	6	5	5	5	5	3	5	6=44			
Second Round.	—Out	5	5	4	4	4	2	6	4	4=38	80		
	In	5	4	5	5	4	5	5	4	5=42			
Third Round.	—Out	4	4	4	5	4	4	6	4	5=40	81	162	
	In	5	4	5	5	5	5	4	4	4=41			
Fourth Round.	—Out	5	4	3	4	4	3	6	3	5=37	81		
	In	4	5	5	7	5	5	4	4	5=44			
													326

D. Rolland (20*l*.).

First Round.	—Out	4	4	4	5	4	4	7	5	5=42	86	165	
	In	3	5	4	6	7	4	4	6	5=44			
Second Round.	—Out	3	5	4	5	4	3	5	4	4=37	79		
	In	4	4	5	5	5	5	5	5	4=42			
Third Round.	—Out	5	5	3	5	5	3	6	3	5=40	84	166	
	In	5	5	6	6	5	4	5	4	4=44			
Fourth Round.	—Out	5	5	4	4	3	4	6	5	4=40	82		
	In	4	5	4	6	5	5	4	5	4=42			
													331

A. Kirkcaldy (10*l*.).

First Round.	—Out	4	5	4	6	4	5	6	4	4=42	86	165	
	In	4	5	5	5	5	6	5	4	4=44			
Second Round.	—Out	5	4	4	6	3	4	5	3	4=38	79		
	In	5	4	4	5	6	5	5	4	3=41			
Third Round.	—Out	5	5	4	4	4	3	6	4	4=39	83	167	
	In	4	5	5	6	5	5	4	5	5=44			
Fourth Round.	—Out	4	4	4	4	3	3	6	4	4=36	84		
	In	4	5	6	5	7	6	5	5	5=48			
													332

A. Toogood (7*l*.).

First Round.	—Out	5	5	3	5	4	3	6	4	5=40	84	169	
	In	4	5	5	4	6	5	4	6	5=44			
Second Round.	—Out	5	4	4	5	3	4	6	3	5=39	85		
	In	5	5	5	6	5	4	5	6	5=46			
Third Round.	—Out	6	4	4	4	5	3	6	4	4=40	82	164	
	In	4	4	6	5	6	5	4	4	4=42			
Fourth Round.	—Out	4	4	4	7	3	3	6	4	4=39	82		
	In	4	4	6	5	5	5	4	5	5=43			
													333

W. Fernie (4*l*.).

First Round.	—Out	4	4	5	4	3	5	6	4	6=41	84	168	
	In	4	4	5	7	6	5	3	5	4=43			
Second Round.	—Out	6	5	4	6	3	4	5	4	5=42	84		
	In	4	4	5	5	6	4	4	5	5=42			
Third Round.	—Out	4	4	4	5	5	3	6	4	5=40	86	166	
	In	4	5	6	7	5	5	4	5	5=46			
Fourth Round.	—Out	5	4	4	6	5	3	6	3	4=40	80		
	In	4	4	5	5	4	5	3	5	5=40			
												334	

B. Sayers (4*l*.).

First Round.	—Out	5	6	4	4	4	4	5	3	5=40	85	166	
	In	4	4	6	6	5	4	6	4	4=45			
Second Round.	—Out	4	5	3	6	5	4	5	4	5=41	81		
	In	5	4	4	5	5	5	5	3	4=40			
Third Round.	—Out	4	5	4	4	4	4	6	4	6=41	84	168	
	In	5	5	4	6	5	5	4	5	4=43			
Fourth Round.	—Out	5	5	4	5	4	4	6	3	4=40	84		
	In	6	5	5	6	6	5	4	3	4=44			
												334	

H. Vardon (4*l*.).

First Round.	—Out	5	4	5	6	4	3	4	5	5=41	86	172	
	In	4	4	5	5	8	5	4	5	5=45			
Second Round.	—Out	6	5	3	5	4	3	6	4	5=41	86		
	In	4	4	5	5	7	5	4	6	5=45			
Third Round.	—Out	6	5	4	5	3	4	5	4	7=43	82	162	
	In	4	4	4	5	5	6	3	4	4=39			
Fourth Round.	—Out	4	5	3	5	4	4	5	4	5=39	80		
	In	5	5	5	5	5	4	4	4	4=41			
												334	

A. Herd (3*l*.).

First Round.	—Out	5	5	3	4	4	4	6	4	6=41	83	168	
	In	4	5	5	5	5	4	4	5	5=42			
Second Round.	—Out	5	4	4	5	4	4	7	4	4=41	85		
	In	5	4	5	5	5	5	4	5	6=44			
Third Round.	—Out	4	4	4	6	5	4	5	3	4=39	82	170	
	In	5	5	4	5	5	5	4	5	5=43			
Fourth Round.	—Out	5	5	4	5	3	3	9	3	5=42	88		
	In	5	5	6	5	5	5	4	4	7=46			
												338	

	First Round.	Second Round.	Third Round.	Fourth Round.	Total.
Mr. F. G. Tait	90	83	83	84	340
J. Braid (2*l*.)	91	84	82	84	341
Mr. A. D. Blyth	91	84	84	82	341
W. Park, jun. (2*l*.)	88	86	82	87	343

	First Round.	Second Round.	Third Round.	Fourth Round.	Total.
D. Brown (it.)	93	83	81	87	344
A. Simpson (it.)	90	86	86	82	344
H. Kirkcaldy (it.)	90	85	80	89	344
Mr. John Ball, jun.	84	89	87	84	344
J. Lloyd	95	81	86	83	345
Mr. S. Mure Fergusson	87	88	84	87	346
T. Vardon	87	88	82	91	348
D. Grant	91	84	87	91	353
Mr. C. E. Dick	85	89	89	91	353
D. Herd	92	93	84	84	353
W. Auchterlonie	96	81	93	85	355
Mr. C. E. Hambro	96	90	82	87	355
J. Rowe	90	90	84	91	355
Mr. C. Hutchings	93	85	88	90	356
Mr. L. S. Anderson	90	87	91	88	356
C. Gibson	92	94	87	84	357
R. Jones	89	88	93	88	358
A. Lumsden	99	93	87	89	359
D. M'Ewan	86	92	91	92	361
A. Tingey	90	91	90	90	361
W. Aveston	98	88	88	89	363
Mr. F. S. Ireland	99	87	92	86	364
Mr. A. Stuart	88	95	96	86	365
W. H. Tucker	92	94	91	89	366
G. Pearson	94	96	88	88	366
J. Simpson	94	89	94	90	367
J. Loughurst	91	93	92	91	367
J. Kay	98	89	90	91	368
C. Smith	98	89	89	92	368
T. Butel	91	94	92	91	368
Mr. J. L. Low	93	98	80	91	371
J. Cuthbert	97	96	88	92	373
J. Burns	93	97	90	95	375
L. G. Ross	92	98	90	96	376
Dr. Bruce Goff	98	92	88	99	377
J. Milne	105	91	91	90	377
Mr. E. Lehmann	91	98	94	99	382
R. Kirk	98	97	94	93	382
J. Boyd	103	96	95	90	384
C. Thom	97	102	99	90	388
J. White	86	89	89		
J. Ross	93	91	84		
Mr. A. Schacht	89	96	91		
P. Fernie	93	93	91	Retired on second day.	
T. Chisholm	96	94	89		
A. Alexander	97	95	88		
W. D. More	93	96	94		
Tom Morris	99	97	100		

	First Round.	Second Round.	Third Round.	Fourth Round.	Total.
W. Marks	103	108	101		
Mr. H. G. Hutchinson	88	91	—		
R. Kelly	99	85	—		
G. Lowe	93	92	—		
G. Dunn	92	96	—		
P. Paxton	97	94	—	Retired on second day.	
Mr. G. G. Smith	98	94	—		
Mr. H. C. Blyth	95	98	—		
J. Dalgleish	96	99	—		
Mr. R. Foulis	104	93	—		
B. Tait	100	98	—		
Captain C. Coles	107	97	—		
G. Pulford	100	88			
H. Harris	98	95			
Mr. J. P. Henderson	93	100			
Mr. H. S. Stobart	96	98			
Mr. W. E. Dunsford	96	97			
Mr. P. M. Lucas	94	101			
Captain Austin	101	94			
R. Munro	101	90			
A. Jackson	102	107		Retired on first day.	
Mr. W. O. S. Pell	108	103			
M. Park, jun.	105	117			
J. Hughes	114	130			
Mr. H. H. Hilton	91	—			
D. Pinkerton	90	—			
Rev. A. H. Cochrane	100	—			
J. Keddie	101	—			
Mr. H. L. Forbes	—	—			
Captain Tattersall	—	—			

Hon. S. Finnh Hatton (Felixstowe), Hon. H. Finch Hatton (Chorleywood), J. Morris (Hoylake), and F. Park (Musselburgh), scratched without playing.

The following is a list of the previous winners of the Golfing Championship :—

WINNERS OF THE CHAMPION BELT.

1860—W. Park, Musselburgh ... ... 174—at Prestwick.
1861—Tom Morris, sen., Prestwick ... 163—at Prestwick.
1862—Tom Morris, sen., Prestwick ... 163—at Prestwick.
1863—W. Park, Musselburgh ... ... 168—at Prestwick.
1864—Tom Morris, sen., Prestwick ... 167—at Prestwick.
1865—A. Strath, St. Andrews ... ... 162—at Prestwick.
1866—W. Park, Musselburgh ... ... 169—at Prestwick.
1867—Tom Morris, sen., St. Andrews... 170—at Prestwick.

1868—Tom Morris, jun., St. Andrews...	154—at Prestwick.
1869—Tom Morris, jun., St. Andrews...	157—at Prestwick.
*1870—Tom Morris, jun., St. Andrews...	149—at Prestwick.

WINNERS OF THE CHAMPION CUP.

1872—Tom Morris, jun., St. Andrews	166—at Prestwick.
1873—Tom Kidd, St. Andrews	179—at St. Andrews.
1874—Mungo Park, Musselburgh ...	159—at Musselburgh.
1875—Willie Park, Musselburgh ...	166—at Prestwick.
1876—Bob Martin, St. Andrews ...	176—at St. Andrews.
1877—Jamie Anderson, St. Andrews ...	160—at Musselburgh.
1878—Jamie Anderson, St. Andrews ...	157—at Prestwick.
1879—Jamie Anderson, St. Andrews ...	170—at St. Andrews.
1880—Bob Ferguson, Musselburgh ...	162—at Musselburgh.
1881—Bob Ferguson, Musselburgh ...	170—at Prestwick.
1882—Bob Ferguson, Musselburgh ...	171—at St. Andrews.
†1883—W. Fernie, Dumfries...	159—at Musselburgh.
1884—Jack Simpson, Carnoustie ...	160—at Prestwick.
1885—Bob Martin, St. Andrews ...	171—at St. Andrews.
1886—D. Brown, Musselburgh	157—at Musselburgh.
1887—Willie Park, jun., Musselburgh	161—at Prestwick.
1888—Jack Burns, Warwick	171—at St. Andrews.
‡1889—Willie Park, jun., Musselburgh.	155—at Musselburgh.
1890—Mr. John Ball, jun., Royal Liverpool G. C.	164—at Prestwick.
1891—Hugh Kirkcaldy, St. Andrews ...	166—at St. Andrews.
§1892—Mr. H. H. Hilton, Royal Liverpool G. C.	305—at Muirfield.
1893—W. Auchterlonie, St. Andrews...	322—at Prestwick.

This year the championship falls to be held at St. Andrews on June 12th and 13th.

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* This being Tom Morris, jun.'s third successive victory, he won the belt outright, and the championship remained in abeyance for two years, when a fresh trophy was substituted, to be held by the leading club in the district from which the winner hails.

† After a tie with Bob Ferguson, Musselburgh.

‡ After a tie with Andrew Kirkcaldy, St. Andrews.

§ Competition extended to seventy-two holes.

J. H. TAYLOR,
WINCHESTER, CHAMPION GOLFER, 1894.

J. H. TAYLOR, WINCHESTER.

CHAMPION GOLFER, 1894.

THE subject of our sketch has the unique distinction of being the first English-born professional to win the Open Championship, and that rather singularly on the first occasion upon which the event has been decided furth of Scotland. But that it will not be his last win (given health and strength) is the unanimous verdict of all who have seen him play. None are louder in his praise than his brother professionals; in fact, Willie Park, of Musselburgh, waxed quite enthusiastic to us over his marvellously accurate approaching, which he asserted was the finest he had ever seen; while "Fiery," Park's caddie, on the question being put to him, straightway confessed that the Champion was a deadlier "mashie" player than even Willie Campbell when at his very best. Those who have seen Campbell approach will appreciate the compliment. Add to this the fact that Taylor drives as straight as an arrow with little exertion, that he is an excellent putter, likewise a strict teetotaller and non-smoker, and we have revealed to us the secret of his success.

Born at Northam, a village near the famous North Devon links of Westward Ho!, in March, 1871, Taylor became a caddie at a very early age, and to the brothers Johnnie, Mat, and Jamie Allan, the then resident professionals, he owes his initiation into the mysteries of the game. About this time he carried clubs regularly for Mr. Horace G. Hutchinson, and says that "from him no doubt I picked up many a useful tip." After a brief spell of gardening for a local gentleman, Taylor returned to the links as assistant to the greenkeeper, and so had plenty of facilities for playing. So quickly did he improve that, in a friendly encounter between the Westward Ho! Club and the Northam villagers, he defeated his erstwhile master,

Mr. Hutchinson, by a hole, and likewise made an excellent appearance in the professional tournament, held at Westward Ho! in 1889. In course of time he was appointed professional to the Burnham Golf Club, Somerset, and it was while there that he may really be said to have received his baptism of fire. Andrew Kirkcaldy was then at Winchester, and so impressed were the Burnham folks with young Taylor's play that they had the temerity to match him against the redoubtable St. Andrews man for £12 a side. Nor was their confidence misplaced, for Taylor won the game of seventy-two holes over Burnham and Winchester by four up and three to play. His win was seemingly so satisfactory a testimonial to the golfers of the Cathedral City that they persuaded him to come there as their greenkeeper and professional about the end of 1892. He is still there, and likely to remain, as he and George Cann (late head man with Gibson at Westward Ho!) recently went into partnership there as club makers.

So far as the Championship is concerned, Taylor made his *début* at Prestwick in 1893, and startled the *cognoscenti* by a first round of 75, but he was not so successful in his second and third rounds, and finished tenth. Perhaps the truth was that he had tried himself too highly in practice matches on the two days preceding the competition, and was what is tersely described in Scotland as "gowfed oot." Such an impression, however, did his play leave behind, and so well had he acquitted himself on English greens against Rolland and others in the interval, that his grand performance at Sandwich last June came as a surprise to no one. How he won has been set forth in these pages. Our portrait is from a photograph by W. H. Puddicombe, Bideford.

THE AMATEUR AND PROFESSIONAL TOURNAMENT AT SANDWICH.

It was indeed a happy idea on the part of the executive of the St. George's Golf Club to wind up the Championship week at Sandwich last year with this interesting event, and we are only echoing the sentiments of many enthusiasts north and south of the Tweed alike in expressing the hope that the Royal and Ancient Golf Club will repeat the experiment at St. Andrews next June.

The tournament was a hole one, and play extended over Thursday and Friday, June 14 and 15. To keep the competition within decent dimensions, old Tom Morris and Charlie Hunter (Prestwick) were deputed to select eight professional players, against whom the St. George's Committee placed the eight strongest amateurs at their command. The survivors of the sixteen then played off promiscuously as the ballot decreed, and so on to a finish, the winner if a professional to receive £20, and if an amateur, a piece of plate of a like value. Minor money prizes were provided, and in all £50 were offered. On both days the weather was simply perfection, the sun shining from a cloudless sky with a splendour which would have pleased a Parsee. Hence play throughout was of a very high order. The draw furnished some grand matches, and the amateurs on the whole gave an excellent account of themselves, albeit only Mr. John Ball, jun., and Mr. F. G. Tait survived the first round. One of the best matches was the first between Mr. Ball and Willie Park, which the Amateur Champion won by a hole. The latter, as is his almost invariable custom, won the first hole, but Park on the next green squared matters. Mr. Ball pocketed the third, and stuck to his advantage till the eleventh hole. This and the succeeding one Park secured, and so led by one with six to play. The long hole was perfectly played by Mr. Ball in 4, however, against Park's 5, and again honours stood easy. A mistake through the green cost Park the next hole, but Mr. Ball came to

grief *en route* to the fifteenth, consequently the game was all square and three to play. The sixteenth was halved, but a heavy lie from the tee cost the professional the second last, and the home hole being halved, Mr. Ball was a gallant winner.

The start between Mr. Hilton and Taylor augured well for an exciting tie, as they halved the first two holes. Then the Champion commenced to forge ahead. At the turn he led by two, and increasing his advantage coming home, eventually won easily by four up and three to play. The loser played fine steady golf, but Taylor in his top form was just a trifle too heavy for him. Had the winner played the round out, he would have come very near beating the green record.

Against Herd, Mr. A. D. Blyth, the Sandwich crack, gave a grand account of himself. With eight to go they were all even. Then two 3's put Herd two holes ahead, but so pluckily did the amateur stick to his work and so well did he play, that he was level with the Huddersfield greenkeeper, driving to the last hole. This was halved, but an extra hole settled the question in Herd's favour.

Andrew Kirkcaldy made short work of Mr. C. Hutchings, but in justice to the Hoylake amateur, it must be said that no one could have stood up before the St. Andrews man's wonderful game. His score for the thirteen holes played was only 50 —or two under 4's. It is indeed a pity he did not complete the round.

Against Mr. Mure Fergusson, Auchterlonie for the first time at Sandwich did himself justice. Out in 38, he led by two holes, but Mr. Fergusson hung determinedly to him coming home, and only succumbed on the second last green by the aforesaid two holes.

Rolland and Mr. Hutchinson made an excellent match. Out in 38, Rolland was two up at the turn, but Mr. Hutchison ran off with the tenth and eleventh holes, and halved the twelfth. All square and six to play. From this point Mr. Hutchinson's play fell away, and Rolland won cleverly by three up and one to play.

Fernie in his best form proved too big a handful for Mr. A. Stuart; and after being two down against Archie Simpson early in the round, Mr. Tait beat the Carnoustie man very cleverly.

The second round was opened by a bout between the Open and Amateur Champions, but profiting by Mr. Ball's poor putting, Taylor won easily three holes from home. Kirkcaldy and Herd had a neck and neck race for thirteen holes. Then the latter came away with a brilliant sequence of three holes, and won. Than Rolland and Auchterlonie's golf nothing could have been steadier. Rolland led by one at the fourth green. Then followed eleven consecutive halves, but Rolland won the sixteenth and the match eventually by two and one to play. Mr. Tait wound up the second round by administering a clever beating to Fernie, whom he led nearly all the way.

On the morning of Friday, June 15, Taylor and Herd opened the penultimate round, and he would be captious indeed who could wish to see finer golf than these men played. Herd, with his tee shots, had a trifling advantage, but Taylor's truly phenomenal approaching and fine putting would have broken any opponent's heart. After seven holes had been discussed, the game was "all to play for." Then Taylor, by his grand approaching, began to forge ahead, and, to make a long story short, won by four up and three to play. He completed the round, and established the green record at 78. His figures were:—

Out	... 4 4 4 4 5 4 5 3 4 = 37	)	78
In	... 6 3 4 5 5 5 4 5 4 = 41	)	

Herd was out in 38, and completed sixteen holes in 73, a performance quite good enough to win nine times out of ten against ordinary first class golf.

Even more interesting was the tussle between Mr. Tait and Rolland, albeit their golf was nothing sensational. The driving of both was something to be remembered, and for once in a way Rolland met his match in this department. Drawing first blood at the fifth hole, Mr. Tait led by two at the turn, and but for a dead stimie at the eighth, it would certainly have been three. At the first hole in, however, the leader missed a shortish putt, and allowed Rolland to reduce his leeway to one. Three halves followed, Rolland missing a foot putt at the long hole, which would have brought him level. A too strong approach of Mr. Tait's opened the door to Rolland, however, at the very next hole, and he made no mistake this time, and as he followed this up by getting down a long putt at the fourteenth, he led for the

first time. Mr. Tait got square without delay, and matters looked rosy for him when he laid his approach putt to the second last hole within holing distance, whereas Rolland, in the like, was very wide. Giving the odds, however, albeit his ball was never in true line, Rolland laid a stimie, and so got an extremely lucky half. Playing to the last hole, Rolland got nicely on the green in two, but Mr. Tait's approach was bunkered. He got well out, however, holed a long putt, and halved the round, when victory for Rolland seemed assured. Nothing remained now but to play on till one or other lost a hole. The "first extra" was splendidly halved in four, each in turn getting down a long putt, but the end came at the second, where Mr. Tait got a heavy lie from the tee, never recovered the ground lost thereby, and so was vanquished in a sensational match, wherein luck was decidedly not on his side.

In the afternoon Taylor and Rolland met in the final. They began by halving the first hole rather poorly in 6, but Rolland got two of the next three holes, and thus early stood two up. This handicap the Champion was never able to make up, and in the end he was beaten by two up and one to play. Rolland thus carried off the first prize of £20, Taylor taking the second of £10, while Herd got £5, and the other five professionals £3 each. The result of the tournament pretty conclusively established the pre-eminence of the professionals, but with ordinary luck Mr. Tait ought to have fought out the final with Taylor. However, he can lay the flattering unction to his soul that he at least worthily upheld the traditions of St. Andrews and its amateur players. Subjoined are details.—

FIRST ROUND.

Mr. J. Ball, jun. (Royal Liverpool), beat W. Park (Musselburgh) by one hole.

J. H. Taylor (Winchester) beat Mr. H. H. Hilton (Royal Liverpool) by four up and three to play.

A. Herd (Huddersfield) beat Mr. A. D. Blyth (St. George's) by one hole after a tie.

A. Kirkcaldy (St. Andrews) beat Mr. C. Hutchings (Royal Liverpool) by seven up and six to play.

W. Auchterlonie (St. Andrews) beat Mr. S. Mure Fergusson (Royal and Ancient) by two up and one to play.

D. Rolland (Limpsfield) beat Mr. H. G. Hutchinson (Royal North Devon) by three up and one to play.

W. Fernie (Troon) beat Mr. A. Stuart (Honourable Company of Edinburgh Golfers) by four up and three to play.

Mr. F. G. Tait (Royal and Ancient) beat A. Simpson (Carnoustie) by three up and two to play.

SECOND ROUND.

J. H. Taylor beat Mr. J. Ball, jun., by four up and three to play.
A. Herd beat A. Kirkcaldy by three up and two to play.
D. Rolland beat W. Auchterlonie by two up and one to play.
Mr. F. G. Tait beat W. Fernie by three up and one to play.

THIRD ROUND.

J. H. Taylor beat A. Herd by four up and two to play.
D. Rolland beat Mr. F. G. Tait by one hole after a tie.

FINAL TIE.

D. Rolland beat J. H. Taylor by two up and one to play.

DOUGLAS ROLLAND, RYE.

It is many years since Douglas Rolland was recognised as one of the foremost golfers of the day, and yet, rather singularly, he has figured in only two Open Championships.

Born at Earlsferry, Fife, in 1860, Rolland, in his youthful days, worked as a mason, and doubtless to his hard training he owes much of his grand muscular development, for he stands over six feet, has a chest measurement which any one might envy, and weighs well over 13st. In fact, so far as physique is concerned, he looks the *beau ideal* of a Rugby football forward. It was as an amateur that he first distinguished himself by beating none other than the redoubtable Mr. John Ball, jun. (then *tertius*), in a home and home encounter over Earlsferry and Hoylake, by the tall score of thirteen holes—nine at Earlsferry and four at Hoylake. Not satisfied with his defeat, Mr. Ball tried conclusions with his conqueror at Hoylake the following day, when the latter, after being five down and six to play, got every other hole, and won an uphill fight by a single hole. A third encounter, some time after, however, saw Mr. Ball the winner. It was while still an amateur that Rolland first essayed success in the Open Championship—the amateur contest was then merely a possibility—and he did well to dead heat with Willie Fernie over Prestwick with a score of 164 for the 36 holes—four strokes behind his fellow-townsman, Jack Simpson. In 1884 he joined the ranks of the professionals, and, going south, received an appointment in 1887 as green-keeper to the Worcestershire Golf Club at Malvern. While there he took part in several professional tournaments with considerable success. At the tournament which was held in connection with the opening of Sandwich links he ran up to Archie Simpson, of Carnoustie, to whom he only succumbed by a putt; but in June, 1889, at West-

DOUGLAS ROLLAND,
Rye.

ward Ho! he secured first place in a hole tournament and first place in a stroke aggregate competition, holing his two rounds in 168, and beating Ben Sayers, of North Berwick, by a stroke. In 1890 Rolland went from Malvern to Limpsfield Chart, where he remained as green-keeper until last year. While at Limpsfield he was in great request at the opening of new greens, and played many very fine matches, principally of an exhibition nature. He likewise tied at 168 with his old opponent, Archie Simpson, for first place in a professional stroke tournament held at St. Anne's in 1892. During all these years, however, he never was able to spare the time to make the journey to his native land to try conclusions in the Championship, but last June his opportunity came at Sandwich, and he took second honours in perhaps the highest class field which has ever done battle for the coveted honour. On the Saturday previous, however, he cleverly disposed of Willie Park, of Musselburgh, in a thirty-six hole match at Sandwich, for £50 a side, by three up and two to play, and on the day after the Championship, he took premier place in an Amateurs *v.* Players' competition described elsewhere. He may, therefore, fairly claim to have divided the honours of the Sandwich week with Taylor, and were a plebiscite of golfers taken as to who are the two first golfers of the day, we venture to say that he and Taylor would be the selected. Rolland has now shifted his camp to Rye, a course, which under his watchful care, bids fair to take high rank as a seaside green.

No notice of Rolland would be complete without mentioning his wonderfully long and accurate driving. He certainly drives a longer ball than any of his fellow professionals, and among amateurs he is only equalled by Mr. Ed. B. H. Blackwell, and perhaps Mr. F. G. Tait. Our portrait is from a photograph by Mr. G. Whiteman, Rye.

THE AMATEUR CHAMPIONSHIP OF IRELAND, 1894.

UNDER the auspices of the Golfing Union of Ireland two Amateur Championships are held annually—the one open to all comers, the other restricted to members of affiliated clubs, born and resident in Ireland. In Irish golfing circles these are styled the Open and Native-born Championships respectively. It is the latter with which we are now dealing. Last year's *venue* was at Newcastle, Co. Down, and play extended over the 12th, 13th, and 14th April. The holder, Mr. T. Dickson (Co. Down G.C.), was challenged by twenty-one players, two of whom, deterred, no doubt, by the wind and rain which were the unwelcome concomitants on the opening day, failed to answer to their names. The holder was expected to retain his laurels, but in the final he met more than his match in Mr. R. Magill, jun., son of Dr. Magill, hon. secretary of the County Down Club. The deciding tie extended over thirty-six holes, and from the outset Mr. Magill took a strong lead. At the conclusion of the first moiety he stood five up, and this substantial advantage he had increased to seven holes when only eight remained to be played. Mr. Dickson then buckled to in grim earnest, and actually won five of the next six holes. This gallant effort, however, availed him not, for Mr. Magill, holing out finely in three on the second last green, won by three up and one to play. Although not seventeen at the time of his victory, Mr. Magill played with the nerve of a veteran, and showed brilliant form throughout the whole contest. Subjoined are details:—

FIRST ROUND.

Messrs. R. Magill, jun. (Co. Down), B. O'Brien (North-West), A. D. Gaussen (Killymoon), S. Smith (Royal Belfast), F. H. Orr (Royal Dublin), G. Combe (Co. Down), J. Woodside (Ormeau), T. Hughes

(Royal County), T. Dickson (Co. Down), and E. Young (Co. Down), received byes.

Mr. W. H. Webb (Shanes Park) beat Mr. C. Barcroft (Dungannon) by three up and two to play.

Mr. J. H. Pigott (Royal Dublin) beat Mr. J. H. Richardson (Lisburn), by two up and one to play.

Mr. H. Adair (Royal County) beat Mr. E. J. Maguire (Co. Down) by five up and three to play.

Major R. H. Wallace (Co. Down) beat Mr. W. J. MacGeagh (Co. Down) by six up and four to play.

Mr. W. L. Wheeler (Royal Belfast) beat Mr. H. Gregg (Royal Belfast) by three up and two to play.

Mr. T. Stewart (North-West) beat Mr. C. R. Topping (Royal County) by three up and two to play.

SECOND ROUND.

Mr. R. Magill, jun., beat Mr. B. O'Brien by two up and one to play.
Mr. A. D. Gaussen a bye; Mr. S. Smith scratched.
Mr. G. Combe beat Mr. F. H. Orr by six up and five to play.
Mr. J. Woodside beat Mr. T. Hughes by three up and one to play.
Mr. T. Dickson a bye; Mr. E. Young scratched
Mr. W. H. Webb beat Mr. J. H. Pigott by one hole.
Major Wallace beat Mr. H. Adair by two up and one to play.
Mr. W. L. Wheeler beat Mr. T. Stewart by six up and five to play.

THIRD ROUND.

Mr. R. Magill, jun., beat Mr. A. D. Gaussen by six up and four to play.
Mr. G. Combe beat Mr. J. Woodside by one hole.
Mr. T. Dickson beat Mr. W. H. Webb by two up and one to play.
Major Wallace beat Mr. W. L. Wheeler by three up and two to play.

FOURTH ROUND.

Mr. R. Magill, jun., beat Mr. G. Combe by three up and two to play.
Mr. T. Dickson beat Major Wallace by seven up and six to play.

FINAL TIE.

Mr. R. Magill, jun., beat Mr. T. Dickson by three up and one to play.

MR. R. MAGILL, JUN.

IRISH AMATEUR CHAMPION, 1894.

We think we are safe in saying that Mr. R. Magill, jun., is the youngest golfing champion we have yet had, for at the time of his win in the Irish Native-born Championship he was a pupil at the Belfast Academical Institution, and had not attained his seventeenth birthday. He began playing when thirteen years of age, and in May of the following year (1891) scored his first win in the County Down Monthly Medal Competition at Newcastle, a win he quickly supplemented by carrying off the monthly medal a second time in September, the Laurence Cup in October, and the Ritchie Cup in November of the same year. Since then he has been a frequent winner at Newcastle, but of course his greatest exploit so far is the one which entitles him to a place in the *Annual*.

Mr. Magill is a left-handed player, with a long, easy swing, and stands over six feet. He is now in residence at Dublin University, and holds the post of Hon. Secretary of the recently instituted Dublin University Golf Club.

Our portrait is from a photograph by Lafayotte, Dublin.

MR. R. MAGILL, JUN.,
CHAMPION AMATEUR GOLFER OF IRELAND, 1894.

IRISH OPEN AMATEUR CHAMPIONSHIP, 1894.

THE story of the Third Open Amateur Championship of Ireland, held on the links of the Royal Dublin Golf Club, at Dollymont, on the 5th, 6th, and 7th September, requires little telling. Mr. *John Ball, jun., was there to defend his title against a fair class* field of thirty-seven, and did so with comparative ease. Only against Mr. J. P. Henderson, in the penultimate round, did he at any time stand a hole down, and then not for long, while from Mr. John Taylor, the Edinburgh Carlton crack, alone did he receive serious trouble. Meeting in the third round they were all square with three to go. The next hole, however, fell to Mr. Ball, and two halves gave him the victory by a hole. On both sides the play was grand, and had Mr. Taylor the opportunities many of our cracks have he would do wonders. It was a pity their meeting had not been deferred till the final, where Mr. Ball won at the turn in the second of the two deciding rounds against Mr. D. L. Low, of the Royal and Ancient Club, who had gone through a hard tussle with Mr. E. D. Prothero the previous day. The links were in excellent trim, and the weather on all three days was favourable for good golf, the few showers which fell keeping the putting greens true. The "Royal Dublin" Committee entertained the visitors very hospitably, and the general arrangements were carefully supervised by Mr. H. C. Kelly, Hon. Treasurer of the Golfing Union of Ireland. The following are details of the play:—

FIRST ROUND.

Mr. J. Ball, jun. (Royal Liverpool), Mr. H. Herdman (Royal Belfast), Mr. J. Taylor (Carlton, Edinburgh), Mr. B. O'Brien (Royal Dublin), Mr. W. B. Taylor (Carlton, Edinburgh), Mr. J. P. Auld (Royal Dublin), Captain Livingston (Royal and Ancient), Mr. W. Young (Monifieth), Mr. J. Gairdner (London), Mr. J. Laird (Ardeer), The Rev. J. Denison

(Hoylake), Mr. W. J. Macgeagh (Royal Belfast), Mr. J. P. Henderson (Edinburgh University), Mr. T. Stewart (Royal County), Mr. D. Christie (Royal Dublin), Mr. T. V. P. M'Cannon (London), Mr. A. S. Hussey (Royal Dublin), Mr. J. Petrie (Royal Dublin), Mr. D. L. Low (Royal and Ancient), Mr. J. Lumsden (Royal Dublin), Mr. R. E. Gilroy (Royal Dublin), Mr. A. F. Macfie (Royal and Ancient), Mr. J. Andrew (Prestwick), Mr. R. Manson (Prestwick St. Nicholas) Mr. W. Fleming (Ardeer), Mr. A. Lauder (Monifieth), received byes.

Mr. E. D. Prothero (Prestwick) beat Mr. F. H. Orr (Royal Dublin) by five up and five to play.

Mr. T. Gilroy (Royal Dublin) a bye; Mr. A. Neillie (Glasgow) scratched.

Mr. J. Livingston (Baberton) beat Mr. R. Adam (Ardeer) by one hole after a tie.

Mr. D. Anderson (Monifieth) beat Mr. H. S. Hart (Portsalon) by three up and two to play.

Mr. J. D. Burrell (Leasowe) beat Mr. G. C. May (Royal Dublin) by five up and two to play.

Mr. J. Fairclough (Royal Liverpool) a bye; Mr. A. Neilson (Prestwick) scratched.

SECOND ROUND.

Mr. J. Ball, jun., beat Mr. H. Herdman by nine up and seven to play.

Mr. J. Taylor beat Mr. B. O'Brien by one hole after a tie.

Mr. W. B. Taylor beat Mr. J. P. Auld by five up and four to play.

Mr. W. Young a bye; Captain Livingston scratched.

Mr. J. Laird beat Mr. J. Gairdner by two holes.

The Rev. J. Denison beat Mr. W. Macgeagh by five up and three to play.

Mr. J. P. Henderson beat Mr. T. Stewart by two holes.

Mr. D. Christie beat Mr. T. V. P. M'Cannon by five up and four to play.

Mr. J. Petrie beat Mr. A. S. Hussey by five up and three to play.

Mr. D. L. Low beat Mr. J. Lumsden by five up and four to play.

Mr. R. E. Gilroy beat Mr. A. F. Macfie by two up and one to play.

Mr. J. Andrew beat Mr. R. Manson by two up and one to play.

Mr. W. Fleming a bye; Mr. A. Lauder scratched.

Mr. E. D. Prothero beat Mr. T. Gilroy by five up and three to play.

Mr. D. Anderson beat Mr. J. Livingston by five up and three to play.

Mr. J. D. Burrell beat Mr. J. Fairclough by one hole.

THIRD ROUND.

Mr. J. Ball, jun., beat Mr. J. Taylor by one hole.

Mr. W. Young beat Mr. W. B. Taylor by two holes.

Mr. J. Laird beat Rev. J. Denison by one hole after a tie.

Mr. J. P. Henderson beat Mr. D. Christie by five up and three to play.

Mr. D. L. Low beat Mr. J. Petrie by five up and three to play.
Mr. R. R. Gilroy beat Mr. J. Andrew by one hole.
Mr. E. D. Prothero beat Mr. W. Fleming by six up and five to play.
Mr. D. Anderson beat Mr. J. D. Burrell by three up and two to play.

FOURTH ROUND.

Mr. J. Ball, jun., beat Mr. W. Young by two up and one to play.
Mr. J. P. Henderson beat Mr. J. Laird by three up and two to play.
Mr. D. L. Low beat Mr. R. R. Gilroy by six up and four to play.
Mr. E. D. Prothero beat Mr. D. Anderson by three up and two to play.

FIFTH ROUND.

Mr. J. Ball, jun., beat Mr. J. P. Henderson by four up and two to play.
Mr. D. L. Low beat Mr. E. D. Prothero by one hole after a tie.

FINAL TIE.

Mr. J. Ball, jun., beat Mr. D. L. Low by nine up and seven to play.

The previous winners and runners up are as follows :—

1892.—Mr. Alex. Stuart (Honourable Company of Edinburgh Golfers) beat Mr. J. H. Andrew (Prestwick St. Nicholas) by one hole. At Portrush.
1893.—Mr. John Ball, jun. (Royal Liverpool) beat Mr. L. S. Anderson (New Club, North Berwick) by eight up and seven to play. At Newcastle, co. Down.

"THE TEARING OF THE GREEN."

By Mr. Ronald Ross, Edinburgh.

My blessings on the links of Braid,
My ban upon each foe
Who lifts the turf that Nature laid,
As if with spade or hoe;
Each sloping lawn and verdant plain,
That lovely once had been,
Now seek to charm the eye in vain
Since the tearing of the green.

With crowds upon you daily poured,
You get no peace nor rest;
Your sides are hacked, and hewed, and scored,
And mangled is your breast
With ruts and cuts, spread everywhere,
The work too plainly seen
Of men with neither thought nor care
For the tearing of the green.

I'd drive such reckless vandals all
Up to the Prince's course,*
And put them under iron thrall
Among the whins and gorse;
Where, far from all their touch can wound,
Unwept, unknown, unseen,
They would find a happy hunting ground
For the tearing of the green.

While our sapient city fathers keep
Bright watch o'er town affairs,
And let such mundane matters sleep
As a poor golfer's cares;
Destruction's fiends will have their way
Till golf has fled the scene,
And the course is left a lake of clay
From the tearing of the green.

[* A nine hole relief course laid out by the Edinburgh Corporation last summer, but which has been little used.—Ed.]

Ye ladies fair who haunt the hill,
To you we golfers plead,
And trust you will not find it ill
To help us in our need;
You can our saving angels prove,
Should you kindly intervene,
And show no man a spark of love
Who goes tearing up the green.

BERNARD SAYERS, NORTH BERWICK.

THE old Scotch proverb that "guid gear is sma' buikit," receives fitting exemplification in the person of Ben Sayers, for what he lacks in weight and stature is amply compensated for by extreme caution, pluck, and tact. To make up for his paucity of inches (he is only some 5ft. 4in.), Sayers plays with an abnormally long-shafted driver and stands well back from his ball. He takes longer to address than any player we can call to mind, but as the direct result of his excessive care, the swing comes round full and true, and away goes the ball dead on the line, with a fine long carry and plenty of run. Some people will contend that Sayers is not nearly such a long driver as his brother professionals, but this is an undoubted fallacy. We have seen him pitted against the best of them time after time, and can safely say that very few of them can outdrive him. As Sayers very wisely remarks, "if there are no bunkers in the way then is the time to let go," but if the carry over a hazard is risky and nothing to be gained, he elects to play short and have a full swipe home with his next. This characteristic it is which is mainly responsible for the aforesaid belittling of his powers of driving. He occasionally errs on the side of being over cautious, but it is a good fault. Few can equal his record in tournaments and important matches. He is a wonderfully fine approach player, a good putter, and up to every move on the board. He is an efficient and painstaking coach, and his reputation at North Berwick, where he has a flourishing business as a clubmaker, is monumental.

So much for his characteristics as a golfer. Now for a very brief sketch of his career. Sayers learned most of his golf on Leith Links, and although he did not commence playing until he was sixteen years of age, he quickly became proficient, and in two years proved that he was quite able to hold his own in the best of company. In 1879 he finished first in a tournament at North Berwick, with the capital aggregate of 153 for thirty-six holes, beating among others the well-known Bob Ferguson, and since then has occupied a similar position in tournaments

BERNARD SAYERS,
North Berwick.

at Glasgow, Hoylake, Dunbar, Archerfield, and Kinghorn. At Kinghorn, in 1887, the opposition was specially strong, but his score of 149 proved too good for everybody. At Westward Ho, in 1889, he likewise played very fine golf, not only finishing second to Rolland in a hole tournament, losing by a putt after four extra holes had been played, but also being second to the same player in the stroke aggregate, and carrying off the special prize for the lowest single round (82). His latest victories in tournaments have been over the new Luffness course, where his deft pitching told its inevitable tale. In Championships Sayers has invariably done well, but so far he has not managed to carry off the Champion Medal. At St. Andrews in 1888, he took second place to Jack Burns, being beaten only by a stroke. The previous year he was fourth, while in 1889 he was third to Park and A. Kirkcaldy at Musselburgh, with a score which in nine cases out of ten would have won. During the last five years he has scarcely occupied such a prominent position, but has invariably been "among the money."

In matches for money Sayers is always to be depended upon, and is one of the very few players who can say they beat Willie Campbell when at his best. He did so over North Berwick and Prestwick in 1889, but later in the year Willie Park got the better of him over Musselburgh and North Berwick. Campbell also beat him over Bridge of Weir and North Berwick in 1890, which left honours easy between them. In 1891 he was worsted by Hugh Kirkcaldy over North Berwick and St. Andrews, after as fine play on the part of both as one could wish to see. However, as a sort of *quid pro quo*, he and his brother-in-law, D. Grant, administered a most unmerciful thrashing to Andrew and Hugh Kirkcaldy in a foursome over St. Andrews and North Berwick a few months later. But perhaps Sayers never played a better game than last September, when he boldly accepted Andrew Kirkcaldy's challenge to play anyone a home and home match, and fairly and squarely beat him over North Berwick and St. Andrews by two holes. On this occasion Sayers holed the last nine holes at St. Andrews in 38, a truly remarkable performance at the wind up of an exciting match.

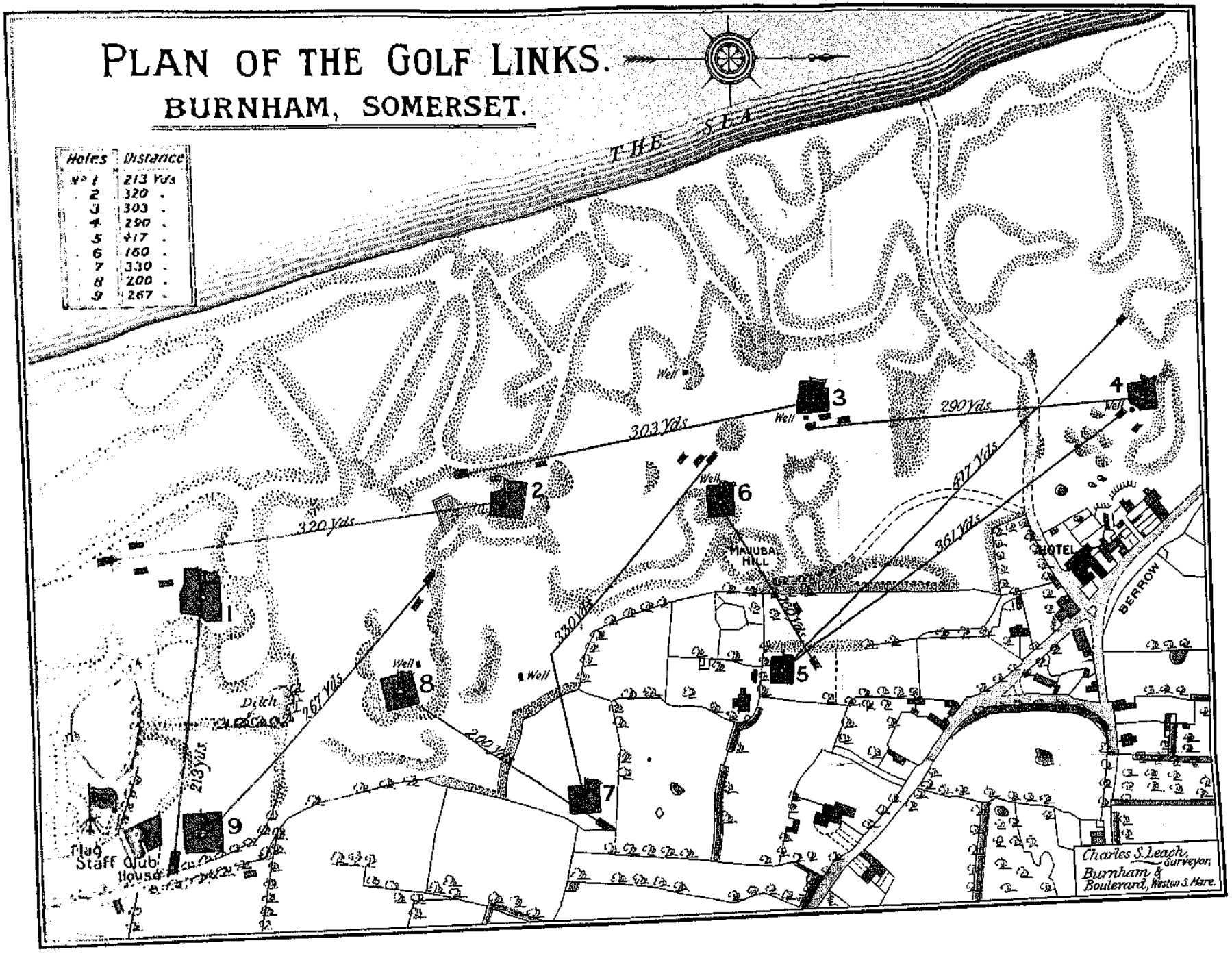
Our portrait is from a photograph by Mr. Hutchison, North Berwick.

THE BURNHAM (SOMERSET) GOLF LINKS.

By Mr. T. Holt, Hon. Sec. Burnham G.C.

These links are situated about a mile from the town of Burnham, amongst the sand hills at Berrow, and are of a most sporting character and full of interest and incident. The course, which at present consists of nine holes, was laid out in the autumn of 1891 by Charles Gibson, of Westward Ho! who expressed himself most favourably as to its future. It is hoped in time to extend it to eighteen holes. The soil is sandy and the turf of the true golfing nature, the putting greens being exceptionally good and true. They are mostly situated in hollows, and are therefore very little affected by drought. An immense amount of labour has been expended on the green to render it playable, more especially on the second and third holes. The lies to these holes are, however, steadily improving, and will, in course of time, be all that can be desired. The hazards consist of natural sand bunkers, sand hills, banks, and bent. Those in front of the tees can all be safely negotiated with a moderate drive, but woe betide the unlucky wight who badly foozles his tee shot. There are also several well placed sand bunkers, &c., to be cleared in playing through the green, which necessitate careful and steady play.

The club was started with a membership of about forty, which has rapidly increased, and now musters about 140. J. H. Taylor, the present champion, was secured as the first professional, and it was greatly owing to his energy and thorough knowledge of ground work that the links were able to be formally opened for play early in 1892, when a large company assembled to witness a match between this then rising young professional and Mr. Horace G. Hutchinson, the former proving victorious by three up and two to play. It was on these links also that Taylor won his first match of note against a professional,


PLAN OF THE GOLF LINKS.
BURNHAM, SOMERSET.
THE SEA
Holes | Distance
No 1 | 213 Yds
2 | 320 .
3 | 303 .
4 | 290 .
5 | 417 .
6 | 160 .
7 | 330 .
8 | 200 .
9 | 267 .
Well
303 Yds
290 Yds
320 Yds
417 Yds
361 Yds
330 Yds
267 Yds
200 Yds
213 Yds
MANUBA HILL
ROAD
HOTEL
BERROW
Ditch
Club House
Staff
Charles S. Leach, Surveyor, Burnham & Boulevard, Weston S. Mare.

beating Andrew Kirkcaldy in a home and home match after an exciting finish. Shortly after this match Taylor left to go to Winchester, and he was succeeded by Walter Foord (who has been on the links since their formation) as green-keeper. He is a fair, steady player, and has a good knowledge of club mending, &c. A picturesque and commodious pavilion, containing all the necessary offices for the comfort of golfers, faces the first tee and last hole.

The first hole is short but difficult. In front of the tee is a hollow of rough, thick grass, often under water in the winter, and beyond a sand bank and dry ditch, which effectually accounts for a badly topped ball. To the left is a disused garden, surrounded by a bank and hedge, and to the right a very deep sand bunker. It will, therefore, be seen that a straight drive is necessary to land you in a grassy hollow between two sand hills, from which a half iron will see you on to the green beneath. The length of this hole is 213 yards, and it should be accomplished in 4.

The second hole requires a long drive to carry two ranges of sand hills, the first of which is a nasty sand bunker, with rough grass and sedge below and on the left, where many a player comes to grief. A fine drive is, however, invariably rewarded with a good lie, and a straight brassy shot should lay you on or somewhere near the green. This is a blind hole (as are several of the holes on these links), and one's second must be played well up or you will find your ball in a bunker, which is excellently placed to guard the approach to the green. A sliced or overdriven ball is also punished. This is a very good hole in 4. Length 320 yards.

The third hole is a difficult one, the ground being at present of too sandy a nature to make sure of obtaining good lies. About 130 yards from the tee are two high sand hills, between or over which it is necessary to drive, otherwise it may cost you a stroke or two to extricate your ball from sand or sedge. A full club or brassy shot should then reach the green, but a topped ball invariably meets with a bad fate in a bunker some 60 yards from the hole. The character of the ground throughout makes this a perfect hole in 4 and a good one in 5. Length 303 yards.

After this hole the lies are much better, and the fourth

hole should be reached in two good drives. The drive from the tee is over some sixty yards of broken ground, culminating in a large sand bunker. An ordinary drive of 130 yards will, however, find you lying on good turf. The second shot is over undulating ground, and must be both far and sure, a sandy road and bunker having to be cleared, and a badly sliced ball is generally found in some whins. Opportunities are often found here for a third artistic lofting shot on to the small but excellent green which nestles in a hollow below a sand hill, with rough sodgy ground on either side beyond. The "Bogey" for this hole is 5, but it has several times been accomplished in 3, and on one occasion by J. H. Taylor in 2. Length 290 yards.

The fifth hole is probably as sporting a one as can be found on any links. The drive is over some whins and a sandy road, a pulled ball being badly punished in a dry ditch or garden. A good straight tee shot will, however, find a good lie on excellent turf from whence a good long brassy shot should land you in the vicinity of the hole. This, however, is not often accomplished, a half iron being generally necessary to reach the green. The second shot, unless well played, leads one into trouble, for on the right is the terrible "Hutchinson" bunker, the grave of many a medal player, and on the true line two banks have to be carried. This is an excellent hole in 5. Length from furthest tee 417 yards.

The sixth hole is one of the features of the links, and although the shortest, is certainly one of the most sporting. A high sand hill called "Majuba" (from the disasters which here befall the unwary) and similar to the "Maiden" at Sandwich, has to be carried in the drive if you wish to reach the large and excellent green, and provided there is not a strong wind against you this can be accomplished with a club—but woe to the topped drive! If it does just manage to clear a bank and hedge on the left, it meets with an almost worse fate in the bottom of the "Old Kent-road" which intersects the line; and where many a player has lost both his patience and temper in vainly endeavouring to extricate his ball. This hole is also well protected, and should be holed in 3. Length 160 yards.

In driving to the seventh hole everything depends on a long and straight shot from the tee. A pulled or sliced ball lands one into considerable grief, and a short one invariably into the

depths of a large bunker known as "Hell," out of which a player may think himself lucky if he escape at a loss of two strokes. A well played drive is, however, rewarded with an excellent lie, but care should be taken to keep somewhat to the right of the true line. A cleek or long iron should then place you on or near the green. A bank and fence have, however, to be cleared in this stroke. This used to be a short hole, and has only recently been lengthened by some 100 yards. It is a good one in 5. Distance 330 yards.

The eighth hole, though short, is full of interest. A bank and fence must be cleared in the drive, and when well over an excellent lie is obtained, and the player sees lying some twenty feet below him the green, which is probably unsurpassed by any in the world for the excellence and trueness of its turf. The approach must be played firmly and drop dead, or it may be found in one of three bunkers which partially surround the green. A fair hole in 4. Length 200 yards.

The ninth tee commands an excellent view of the surrounding country, and is well within sight of the last hole and pavilion. A large bunker has to be carried in the drive, which is by no means easy for a short driver from the furthest medal tee. This obstacle can, however, be skirted by keeping well to the right. A well played half iron should then land you on the large home green, a grassy bank only having to be carried, flanked on either side, out of the true line, by a trim hedge where many a player comes to grief. This hole should be accomplished in 4. Length 267 yards.

The professional record is held by J. H. Taylor with the fine score of 72, but the course was then much shorter than at present. The amateur record of 78, previously held by Mr. J. W. Colthurst, was beaten during the autumn meeting of 1894 by Mr. W. H. Fowler, a scratch player of the club, with the following fine score:—

First Round —	4	4	5	5	5	4	3	3	4=37
Second Round—	4	4	4	5	5	4	6	4	4=40
									Total 77

Visitors to these links will receive a hearty welcome, and may play for three consecutive days free, on the introduction of a member; after that on payment of 1s. per day, 5s. per week, or

15*s.* for the first month. A bread and cheese lunch can always be obtained at the pavilion, and during the meetings a cold lunch is provided.

The Burnham Ladies' Golf Links are very prettily situated nearer the town on private property. The course consists of nine capital holes. The turf through the green is most excellent, and a good shot is always sure of a capital lie. The principal hazards are sand bunkers, one of which is of a formidable character and has to be cleared in the drive to the first hole. The putting greens are exceptionally good. Gentlemen visitors may play on payment of 3*s.* 6*d.* per week, members of the men's golf club being admitted as associate members at 10*s.* per annum.

The town of Burnham is situated at the estuary of the River Parrett, and faces the Atlantic. It is the terminus of the Somerset and Dorset Railway, and is within two miles of Highbridge, the junction for Newnham, and one of the stations on the main line of the G. W. Ry. There is a good sea front promenade with extensive sands, in every respect a perfectly safe and pleasant resort for children. The drainage and water supply is excellent, and visitors cannot fail to be pleased with the cleanliness of this rapidly rising town. The death rate is one of the lowest in the kingdom, and it enjoys the same mean winter temperature as Torquay, and one to four degrees higher than such well known watering places as Brighton, Hastings, Bournemouth, or the Isle of Wight.

The formation of the golf club has given a great stimulus to building.

Good hotel accommodation can be obtained at the Queen's Hotel (in connection with which are hot and cold sea water baths), also at the Clarence Hotel and numerous lodging houses, the town being a favourite resort for visitors, especially during the summer months.

GOLF IN KASHMIR.

By Lieut. G. P. Campbell, R.E.

During this last hot weather I was enabled to spend three months in Kashmir, and thus to test the stability of the fame of the Gulmarg and Srinagar Golf Links.

To be able to appreciate to the full the delights of golf in Kashmir one must have played golf on, or must understand the nature of, the average links of India, which I would describe thus:

Imagine a dead level, bleak plain, with the ground as hard as iron (consisting as it does of hard-baked alluvial soil, or "putt"), a plenitude of scrubby bushes, dried up nullahs, or watercourses, and a total absence of grass, undulations, decent lies, softness of light and atmosphere, and, in fact, of all the accessories that make golf a pleasure, as well as a science and an art. However, notwithstanding all these natural disadvantages, the "ubiquitous golfer" makes links and plays on them. A course is cleared, artificial hazards—chiefly banks and ditches—are erected, and substitutes for grass putting-greens made in this way (the invention, I believe, of Mr. Leslie-Smith, C.S.): The ground intended for the putting-greens is dug up to a depth of six inches, then three inches of it are relaid loosely, then the top three inches are screened through a 64-mesh sieve, spread level, and then lightly swept and rolled. As this top portion is then fine and soft, heel marks do not turn aside the ball, which simply runs straight through them, when firmly putted. On some links the "putting greens" consist of the natural "putt" merely levelled and covered with a very thin coating of river sand. But such greens are never reliable, as they are always too hard, and ruin the best played approach shot, and the deadliest-intentioned putts.

So much for the normal Indian golf, which, after all, is very disheartening.

In Kashmir the two chief links are at Gulmarg and Serinagar (the Capital). I shall describe those of Gulmarg first as they are far and away the best.

Gulmarg is the temporary hill station of Kashmir. I say temporary," for during the greater part of the year, it is under nine or ten feet of snow. The residents and all the visitors flock there to lead a sort of gipsy life, in timber huts or tents, during the hot months of June, July, and August. Its elevation, of 9000 feet, gives it a lovely climate for these three months, as well as a goodly supply of rain, and, as the soil is beneficent, there grows such grass or "turf" as golf links love, and the poor golfer from India pines for.

Gulmarg (the "Meadow of Roses") was evidently intended to be a symmetrical basin, or circular shelf (on the side of the Pir Panjab Ranges) with a radius of about a mile—but, apparently as an afterthought, or through the jealousy of the mountain peaks, tongues, or spurs were protruded, from the mountain Aphurwat (14,500ft.) into this basin at various places. Thus it was that the Gulmarg links were first laid out by Nature herself.

There is no regular and distinct golf club, but the subscription to the paternal Kashmir Gymkhana covers all games, golf, cricket, polo, lawn tennis, and Badminton. The course is one of eighteen holes, over hill and dale, and burn and ridge, for a distance of 2½ miles. The "record" of the links, viz., 88, was done by Mr. Leslie-Smith, C.S., on August 11, 1894. Every hole is sporting in the extreme, be it "Ararat" or "Hell," "Pir Panjab" or "Tattenham Corner," "Everest" or "Riverside," "Backhander" or "Peninsula" or "Excelsior." A topped drive is badly punished by trickling down a slope into a burn, or by getting buried in the face of a picturesque and flowery hill, whilst a hooked or sliced ball will assuredly vegetate amongst the gorgeous and *capable* flowers of the Marg.

The first two holes, which are on the level, are guarded by a stream, and a couple of small nullahs and marsh. Then up the slope to the third hole, whence begin the negotiations with the spurs, which last to the twelfth hole. Then a burn, and a river, take their place for the remainder of the journey, but everywhere the "vegetables" lie in wait for a ball that wanders from the true course. The two prettiest holes are the fourth and eleventh

("Hell"). For the former the tee is on the ridge of one spur, whence the drive is across a deep shattered ravine and another spur, whose further side slopes sweetly down on to the green, which is 230 yards from the tee. For "Hell" the first drive is across a small brook and marsh up on to grass, whence a well-played brassy shot carries the ball away over a precipice, at the bottom of which, and alongside a river, is the putting-green. What prettier sight than that of a clean white ball soaring away, as if bent on reaching the pine-clad spurs of the opposite mountains, and then swooping down suddenly on to an invisible putting green?

A golfer, fresh from home, might find fault with the quality of the putting greens, or complain of the occasional hoof-marks on the course, but the Gulmarg links seem a paradise to the man from India. What does Mr. Balfour say that happiness consists in? "A tolerable day, a tolerable green, and a tolerable opponent." These are attainable at Gulmarg, which possesses, in addition, a perfect climate, beautiful scenery, and a multitude of good fellows bent on making the most of their leave and their escape from the purgatory of the Indian plains.

The links at Serinagar are grassy, but are flat and tame compared with those of Gulmarg. There is no reason whatever why an ordinary player should go into any of the hazards of this eleven-hole course.

There are links also at Gurais (on the Gilgit road) laid out by the Messrs. Mitchell, engineers. These, however, I have not seen.

I fancy that the Gulmarg links must be the highest in the world—9000ft. above sea-level.

THE BUXTON GOLF LINKS.

By Mr. E. Bythway, Hon. Sec. Buxton and High Peak G.C.

To golfers who may be contemplating a visit to Buxton, it will be of interest to know that the old nine hole course, which had become rather celebrated among inland greens, was last year enlarged into a full course of eighteen holes.

This extension, which was not decided upon without a good deal of anxious thought, involved considerable self denial on the part of resident players, who at first could not but contrast the rough state of the new ground with the well trodden turf of the old course, but it is now felt that this temporary inconvenience has been more than made up for by the advantages which have been obtained of increased variety and elbow room, in addition to which some of the new holes, which comprise two of 400 yards and two beautiful short holes of 160 yards, give quite a new character to the course. The nine hole course was pretty widely known among golfers, having been the subject of an able description by Mr. Everard in "Golf" of Sept. 9th, 1892, but some features of the new course may be found interesting.

The nine holes were laid out for the most part upon a fine open space of land some 120 acres in extent, known as Fairfield Common, which was by some happy accident spared by the merciless commons inclosers of the last century, and in the making of the new course some forty or fifty acres of adjoining land have been utilised. The general formation of the ground is well adapted for good golf, it being of an undulating character and frequently broken up into hollows forming admirable natural difficulties, and these have been supplemented by stone walls placed so as either to guard the greens, or catch a topped drive. Also lying as it does upon limestone rock, the soil dries very quickly even after heavy rain, and the herbage is of that sweet kind which the sheep like and eat short. The turf with

rolling and mowing becomes very fine, and lends itself readily to the making of good greens, and some of those on the old course will really bear comparison with the best seaside links.

The first tee now lies some fifty yards from the clubhouse, and the green is perceived rather more than 400 yards distant across a valley, at the bottom of which lies a pond of water called "Poll's Well," which, according to local tradition, is of almost fabulous depth. It is true this belief received rather a severe shock in the dry season of 1893, but tradition dies hard, and the golfer will find that caddies do not care to risk their valuable lives by going far into the water after the ball. The hole is a difficult one, the green having been purposely restricted in size and being easily over-carried, while a ball falling to the left of it may entail a punishment of two or three strokes. Taking all things into consideration, it is thought that the "Bogey" score of 6 is not unreasonable, though the hole is frequently done in 5, and may be a lucky 4.

The second is a short hole of about 160 yards, picturesquely surrounded by hollows and other hazards, to avoid which, a very straight drive is required. Looking from the tee through a valley-shaped depression gradually rising amid low hillocks, the flag may be espied on a beautiful green some forty yards in length by thirty yards wide, to carry and remain on which will tax the capabilities of the fine golfer, while, should he pull or slice his ball, he may find it in a stone quarry, or an even less palatable lie. The hole is a good 3, with possibilities of a lucky 2.

For the third hole we turn homewards, and the green is seen lying some 100 feet below the tee, at a distance of 350 yards. Two fine shots may reach this, but the hole is a good 5.

The next two are holes of 275 and 256 yards, in which there are wall hazards to negotiate, and the line of play lies over new and rather rough ground, which is, however, rapidly improving. At present they are 5 holes, but of course may be easily done in 4.

The sixth is a 300 yards hole, having a number of small hollows in front of the tee to catch a topped ball with a wall to be afterwards carried, and as it will be found difficult to pitch a long shot so as to stop on the sloping green, 5 will not be a bad score for it.

The seventh hole is practically the old second, 345 yards in length, having a very pretty approach to it on beautiful turf, and is an easy hole in 5.

For the eighth tee we leave the Common and enter a piece of land some six or seven acres in extent, which bears evident traces of having been, at some distant period, the scene of a busy lime-burning industry. The limekilns and quarries have, as may be imagined, left the surface a complete succession of mounds, pits, and hollows, which are fortunately all now turfed over, and afford the golfer an infinite variety of lie. The way to the green lies for some 300 yards through this "barbarous country," after which everything is plain sailing enough, though the putting green is on a slope which requires very delicate approaching and putting. With accurate play and a little luck good lies may be obtained all through the green, and the possibilities of disaster make the hole, which is a long one of 400 yards, very sporting and exciting golf.

The ninth hole, "Peak Forest" (345 yards), is also a good one, there being two wall hazards to negotiate, the last of which will often catch one's second shot. The green is prettily situated near a small wood or coppice, and if the golfer be not too intent on the game to be indifferent to scenery, he will remember that he is some 1,200 feet above the sea level and will look round and admire the view. This should be a 5 hole, and the scratch player will be fairly content if his score out do not exceed 45.

For the tenth green—"The Cliff"—we return to the country already described in going to the eighth hole, and the green is romantically situated near the precipitous face—some thirty feet in height—of an old limestone quarry. Two fine shots are required to clear wall hazards and bring the player in sight of the green, which is about 330 yards from the tee. The hole will be frequently done in 4, but will be a good 5.

Here the golfer mounts an elevated tee some fifteen feet high already nicknamed "The Pulpit," the ruins of an old limekiln, and a very straight drive of 160 yards will land him on the eleventh green, which is well guarded on all sides, and charmingly placed. The view from the tee is very pretty, the elevation giving you quite a command of the surrounding country, and you see in close proximity friends contending with the difficulties of the eighth hole, with whom you may compare notes.

After playing the eleventh hole you return to the Common, and the remaining holes are all old ones and fairly well known.

The new course is a little over three miles in length, and about two hours are required for a round of the eighteen holes. The "Bogey" score for the round is 84—45 out and 39 home—and the record is at present 81, which has been done both by Mr. Herbt. Shipton, a fine local player, and the professional, William Lowe.

It is not, of course, claimed that the lies through the greens are equal to those of fine sea-side links, but some of the putting greens will bear comparison with the best anywhere, and are really quite objects of beauty. The most distinguishing features of the links are, perhaps, the remarkably fine air of the locality and the pleasant sense of room experienced owing to the large extent of country which they cover. We may add that visitors are welcomed, and, on their becoming temporary members, are entitled to all the privileges of the club-house and links, including that of playing on competition days. The Directory of the *Annual* gives full particulars of the hotels in Buxton and the conditions of temporary membership, and the Hon. Secretary of the Club will be very pleased to give any further information which may be desired.

CALCUTTA AMATEUR CHAMPIONSHIP MEETING.

By Mr. C. A. Smith, Hon. Sec. Calcutta G.C.

The third anniversary of the Amateur Golf Championship of India and the East commenced on Dec. 22, when, in addition to the local players, a number of visitors ranging from the Straits Settlements to Cashmere, competing for the first event, the Opening Handicap, played over eighteen holes, at Dum Dum. The extreme hardness of the ground, owing to the scarcity of rain, made low scoring impossible, and, under the circumstances, Mr. D. a. M. Brown (Penang) made an excellent score of ninety-three, which, however, only gave him second place to Mr. A. J. Dent, who won with a net score of ninety-two. The scores are as under:—

	Gross.	Hcp.	Net.
Mr. A. J. Dent (Calcutta).....	102	10	92
Mr. D. a. M. Brown (Penang)	93	Scr.	93
Mr. D. Pym (Calcutta)	99	3	96
Mr. N. Mitchell-Innes (Calcutta)...	97	Scr.	97
Lieut. S. Lethbridge (Calcutta) ...	102	4	98
Mr. H. Callaway (Calcutta)	107	9	98
Mr. E. M. Shand (Calcutta)	99	Scr.	99
Mr. F. E. Patteson (Calcutta)... ..	103	3	100
Mr. A. W. Stiven (Singapore)	102	Scr.	102
Dr. J. H. Benson (Bangalore)	105	Scr.	105
Mr. D. Youngson (Calcutta).....	113	6	107
Mr. F. H. E. Lamb (Calcutta)	109	Scr.	109
Mr. J. Adamson (Calcutta)	110	Scr.	110

A handicap competition open to golfers not entered for the Championship was completed on Wednesday night, Dec. 26, and resulted in a somewhat easy win for Mr. H. Callaway, with a net score of ninety, Captain Fleming coming in second at

ninety-two for the two Calcutta rounds. Subjoined are the best scores handed in out of an entry of twenty-five :—

	Gross.	Hcp.	Net.
Mr. H. Callaway ...	96	6	90
Capt. J. M. Fleming	96	4	92
Mr. A. J. Dent	99	6	93
Mr. Alex. Duff	99	6	93
Mr. W. R. Stikeman	102	7	95
Mr. J. Mann	109	14	95
Mr. R. S. Highet ...	108	12	96
Mr. F. E. Patteson	99	2	97
Mr. J. E. Cubitt ...	105	7	98
Mr. W. H. Cox	100	scr	100
Mr. F. Lang	114	14	100
Mr. W. McIntosh...	105	4	101
Mr. A. J. Pugh.....	110	8	102
Mr. E. J. Marshall	117	12	105
Mr. W. Orrell	111	4	107

The Challenge Cup for the Amateur Golf Championship of India and the East brought out twenty-two players, and was played for, as usual, over four rounds at Dum Dum and two at Calcutta—54 holes in all. Two years ago the Cup, then played for for the first time, was won by Mr. J. F. Macnair in 288, and last year Mr. N. Mitchell-Innes took it in the good score of 278. This year the hard ground at Dum Dum was all against low scoring, and, in fact, was one reason that only ten returns were handed in. The result showed that Mr. Mitchell-Innes was again to the fore with a score of 284, and that Mr. F. H. E. Lamb tied with him, while Mr. A. F. Simson was only one stroke behind them. Mr. D. a. M. Brown (Penang), who led by one stroke after the difficulties of Dum Dum had been got over, was looked upon as having a good chance of winning, but he ran up a score of 93 at Calcutta, and the Cup still remains among us. Scores :—

Mr. N. Mitchell-Innes (Calcutta)	284	Mr. J. Adamson (Calcutta) ...	294
Mr. F. H. E. Lamb (Calcutta)	284	Lieut. S. Lethbridge (Calcutta)	295
Mr. A. F. Simson (Calcutta)	285	Mr. D. Pym (Calcutta)	300
Mr. D. a. M. Brown (Penang)	287	Mr. E. M. Shand (Calcutta)	309
Mr. A. W. Stiven (Singapore)	293	Mr. E. F. Nicholson (Bombay)	318

Tie Scores :

Mr. N. Mitchell-Innes	278	Mr. F. H. E. Lamb	280

The Visitors' Handicap was also concluded on Dec. 27, with the following results :—

	Gross.	Hcp.	Net.
Mr. H. Mitchell (Cashmere)	46 + 46	2	90
Mr. D. a. M. Brown (Penang)	46 + 46	Scr.	92
Mr. J. F. M. Mitchell (Bombay) ...	46 + 48	Scr.	94

	Gross.	Hcp.	Net.
Lieut. C. C. Renton (Royal West India Golf Clubs)	50 + 47	3	94
Mr. G. Leslie Smith (Jullendur) ...	47 + 51	Scr.	98
Capt. W. Kerrick (Madras)	51 + 50	Scr.	101
Major Parkinson (Ranikhet)	51 + 51	Scr.	104

Mr. E. F. Nicholson (Bombay), Dr. P. H. Benson (Mysore), Mr. W. H. Cox (St. Andrews), and Surgeon-Major J. Scott (Secunderabad) did not return scores.

On Saturday afternoon, Dec. 29, the meeting terminated with a match between members of the club and the visitors, which the latter lost. The following are the scores:—

Visitors.	Holes
Mr. G. Leslie Smith	5
Mr. D. a. M. Brown	0
Mr. H. Mitchell	0
Mr. E. F. Nicholson	0
Lieut. C. C. Renton	0
Mr. W. H. Cox	0
Mr. A. W. Stiven	5
	10

Calcutta.	Holes
Mr. A. F. Simson	0
Mr. F. H. E. Lamb	1
Mr. J. Adamson..... ...	3
Mr. E. M. Shand	4
Lieut. S. Lethbridge	2
Mr. C. Little	11
Mr. D. Pym	0
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THE LATE MR. E. FITZJOHN.
From a Photo by Hetlaw, Edinburgh.)

A TYPICAL CLUB-MASTER—THE LATE GEORGE FITZJOHN.

By John Kerr, M.A., Dirleton.

Golf at Muirfield this season will to many appear like the play of "Hamlet" without the Prince, when "Fitzjohn," as he was familiarly called, is no longer on the scene to welcome the golfer with his kindly salute, and make the day's outing on the Hundred Acre Park as pleasant as it is possible to make it by the good cheer of the comfortable clubhouse. Possessing a fine presence, hearty, genial, and obliging towards every member, so anxious to make everyone comfortable that each might think himself the special object of Fitzjohn's devoted attention, it is not surprising that all the members of the Honourable Company held their club-master in high esteem, and were sorely grieved when they heard of his sudden death on the 3rd of January last.

The typical club-*master* is to be found in the typical club-*servant*, whose one desire it is to minister to the enjoyment of the club members, and make their clubhouse restful, attractive, and home-like. Members of the Honourable Company and such of their friends as have enjoyed a visit to Muirfield can all testify how truly Fitzjohn came up to this ideal of the club-master. He was wont to speak of the members of the Company as a kind of family circle bound together by ties of friendship and sociality, and by the inheritance of a venerable past. In doing this he magnified his office, delighting to speak of the noble traditions of the Honourable Company, as if to inspire the present generation of members with a desire to preserve for the royal and ancient game some of its oldest and best features which are in danger of being destroyed in the modern game of stroke records and handicap electro-plate competitions.

The many letters of sympathy received by Mrs. Fitzjohn from members of the Company on her husband's death showed how much one and all appreciated their club-master's good qualities and unselfish regard for the Company's best interests.

"Muirfield," wrote one, "will not seem the same without him, and those who knew him in the old days will miss his kindly face." "He will be long missed," says another, "by all his friends in the club, who have had such long and pleasant associations with him both at Musselburgh and Muirfield."

One who discharged the duties of club-master to the most venerable and interesting of all our Scottish Golfing Companies so ably and successfully may fittingly be recognised in the *Annual* as a worthy type of his class. With the great development of golf, it is important that club-masters—on whose efficiency golfers depend so much—should know that their services, when well rendered, will not fail of due recognition, not only by the members whom they serve, but in the pages of the chronicle which notes from year to year the progress of the great national game. Born near Brighton, on the estate of the late Earl of Westmoreland, whom his father served for sixty years; page-boy with Lady Georgiana Fane; footman with Commissioner Fane; married while butler to Mrs. Speirs, at Elderslie, Mrs. Fitzjohn, who has proved such a worthy helpmeet, being at the time in that lady's household; thereafter for eight years chief usher in Bloomsbury County Court (a position at present held by his brother); joined the Edinburgh Police Force, in which he was a favourite with Mr. Linton, the Superintendent, to whom he acted as clerk; rewarded for bravery in rescuing life at the Greenside fire; through the offices of the Rev. Mr. Faithfull, Trinity Episcopal Church, appointed club-master to the Honourable Company at Musselburgh about eighteen years ago; removed to the Muirfield clubhouse in 1892, soon after which he had a severe attack of the influenza, from which he never recovered; suddenly struck down by the paralytic stroke under which he died at the opening of the present year. These are the chief incidents in Fitzjohn's career. From beginning to end they could be clothed with a garment of romance richer in many respects than that which adorns any ordinary life. But, in my desire to do justice to our good old club-master, I must not trespass further on the kind indulgence of the Editor of the *Annual*, whom I have to thank for space to build this cairn to Fitzjohn's memory, and to give a portrait of him which brings out well the kindliness of character that endeared him to, and will cause him to be long remembered with affection by, the members of the Honourable Company.

BERWICK-ON-TWEED GOLF CLUB.

SOME years ago a club was formed in Berwick-on-Tweed, and a nine-hole course laid out on the links at Goswick, on ground rented to the club by Major-General Sir W. Crossman, K.C.M.G., of Cheswick, the proprietor.

Somehow or other the club so formed did not flourish, and the links came to be almost entirely abandoned. In the spring of 1894, however, the club was re-constituted, and a strong body of office-bearers appointed, by whom the club has been established on a firm basis; a capital eighteen-hole course has been laid out, and at present the committee are in treaty with the proprietor for power to erect a club-house. The course is situated on Goswick links, skirting the bay of the same name; to the north (six miles off) a view is obtained of Berwick-on-Tweed; to the south are Holy Island and Bamborough Castle; on the east the course looks out on the German Ocean; and south-west lie the Cheviot Hills. In point of position, air, and scenery the links are well equipped, and, as for accessibility, the first teeing-ground is within a stone's throw of Windmill Hill Station, on the main-line of the N. E. R., and the second station from Tweedmouth, the N. E. R. terminus.

The course is a private one, situated partly upon the property of Sir Wm. Crossman, and partly upon that of Mr. H. Himsworth, Broomhouse.

Visitors are admitted to play on payment of 5*s.* per month, 2*s.* 6*d.* per week, or 1*s.* per day. For membership of the club the entrance fee is 10*s.* 6*d.*, and the annual subscription 15*s.*; ten years' membership subscription, 5*l.* 5*s.*

The following are office-bearers for 1894—1895: Presidents, Sir Wm. Crossman, H. Himsworth; Vice-Presidents, L. Morley Crossman, J. Blyth; Captain, W. L. Miller; Hon. Treasurer,

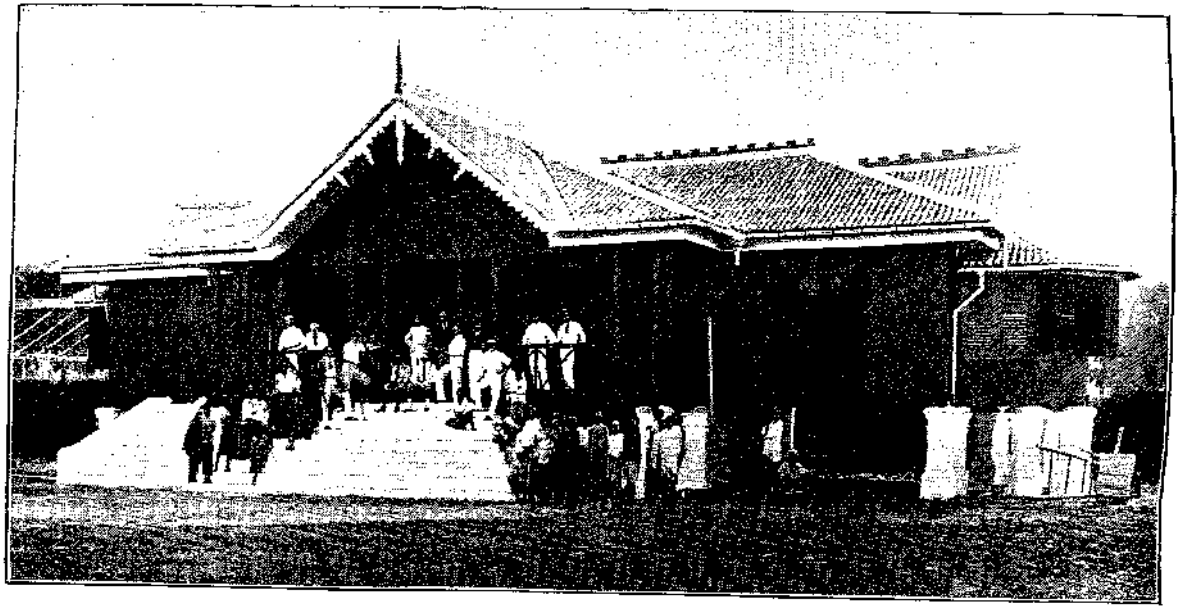
R. R. Riddell; Hon. Secretary, Alex. Darling, Governor's House, Berwick-on-Tweed; Committee, Major Claughton, Rev. Jas. Kean, Dr. C. L. Fraser, Dr. Mackay, W. Young, J.P., and J. Cameron.

At the beginning of last season an eighteen-hole course was laid out by Collins, of the Ryton-on-Tyne Golf Club (formerly of North Berwick), but certain alterations have been made on the original plan of the course, which will improve it, and the new greens laid down will, it is expected, be in good condition by the spring. Being a seaside course, on regular links, it is playable all the year round. The holes vary from 160 yards up to 500 yards in length, and nearly every hole presents some hazard, these comprising bunkers, whins, roads and cart-ruts in sand, turf-dykes, high sand-hills, bents, a broad river (crossed by a foot-bridge erected by the club), a wide ditch, water-holes, standing stones, &c. Some of the greens are natural, but a number have had to be laid down, and a considerable sum of money has been expended by the club in getting the course into order.

The present membership of the club is between seventy and eighty, and includes several ladies.

It is probable that an increase in the entrance fee or subscription will be made hereafter.

The club has held several competitions throughout the year, and an open handicap sweepstake, which is likely to be an annual affair. For competitions through the ensuing year, the Captain has presented a handsome silver golfing trophy; Mr. H. Himsworth, a beautiful gilt challenge shield; and Sir Wm. Crossman has promised a silver challenge cup to be called the "Cheswick Cup."



GOLF AT THE EQUATOR.

OPENING OF THE SINGAPORE GOLF CLUBHOUSE.

GOLF AT SINGAPORE.

By Mr. J. W. B. Maclaren, Hon. Sec. Singapore G.C.

The nearest place to the Equator at which golf is played is the little island of Singapore, at the southern extremity of the Malay Peninsula, and within a hundred miles of the line. It will naturally be asked what sort of a climate have you in this tropical region that golf can be played? The mean annual temperature is 78 degrees F., and the variation is but slight. There is no persistent rainy season as in some parts of the tropics, and the evenings are usually delightfully cool, although it is not wise to turn out for golf until half-past three or four in the evening, because of the heat.

The links are situated about a mile and a half from the town, on the racecourse, and are an absolute level. None but members of the Sporting Club can be members of the Golf Club, and the number of golf members is limited to 150. A pretty golf house has been built near to the last teeing ground, and pleasant it is indeed to sit therein after a couple of rounds and enjoy that liquid refreshment so necessary in the tropics, the eyes resting upon graceful clumps of bamboo, or towering cocoanut trees, or wandering to the hill on which Government House stands. Sir Charles Mitchell, the Governor, is a playing member of the club, and an enthusiastic golfer. Sir John Goldney, the present Chief Justice of Trinidad, organised the Singapore Golf Club, and did much to popularise the game. The late Sir Elliot Bovill, Chief Justice, was also a member, and took a keen interest in the sport.

But the Club is not merely an ornamental organisation. Every year a match is played with Penang, one or other of the sets of players travelling the 360 miles that separate the settlements in order to test their skill at the ancient game. For the last two years, too, the Captain of the Club has journeyed still

further afield, going to Calcutta to play in the Championship of India and other competitions. In 1893 Mr. J. B. Robertson was second in the Championship, won the Visitors' Handicap from scratch, and carried off, amongst other prizes, one for the lowest record of the Dum-Dum Links during the competition for the Championship. Last year Mr. A. W. Stiven was fifth in the Championship. It speaks well for their enthusiasm when members are found willing to travel over 1700 miles to try their skill against the best players in the East.

It is impossible to play later in the evening than a quarter past six, darkness then falling, all the year round. With the time thus limited for play, good progress has to be made over the links. As said before, they are absolutely level, the bunkers consisting of pools of water, ditches, &c. Some idea of the nature of the links may be gained from the fact that in the round of nine holes there are no less than thirty-three deep water ditches to be negotiated.

There are always awaiting two or three candidates for admission to the Club, which is certainly one of the most popular in Singapore. The Medicoes especially favour the game, and bear eloquent testimony to their opinion of its excellence for the tropics by themselves playing. There are no less than thirteen prominent medical men on the list of members.

The Club is particularly strong in good scratch players—Mr. J. B. Robertson, an old St. Andrews player, one of the best golfers in the East; Mr. A. W. Stiven; Mr. W. G. Greig, who is mentioned in the "Badminton" book as playing against young Tom Morris in the first match he ever played (at Perth about thirty years ago); Dr. Fowlie, late of the Forres Golf Club; Surgeon-Captain Hinde, and several others.

THE WARRENDER CLUB.

By Mr. Ronald Ross, Edinburgh.

From the home of bright Phœbus our Club takes its rise,
And our balls love to follow his flight through the skies;
Our coats are all dyed in his rosiest hue,
And our caps wear the tint of his mantle of blue;
Our fame, like his beams, when no clouds intervene,
Shines with lustre undimmed over each golfing green,
And, in glory perennial, a gay social shrub
Shall flourish for ever, our Warrender Club.
Then a bumper let's drain to the game we love best,
That gives to our life all its pleasure and zest;
And when trials assail us and troubles us rub,
Find a cure for them all in our Warrender Club.

In the annals of golf things have ta'en a new turn
Since the days when our Ba's helped tae fill Sconie Burn;
Then the Club was owre young an' its members owre auld,
An' the game that they played neither skilful nor bauld;
But they mended their fault, and with new blood infused
Into its dull veins what was once sae abused,
Burst forth in fresh splendour like the life frae the grub,
Till the world stood amazed at the Warrender Club.
Then a bumper let's drain to the game we love best, &c.

Perth and Leven no longer their high prestige know,
And the pride and the strength of the Bruntsfield's laid low;
Burntisland with shame did its weakness confess,
And the morning club's littleness soon was made less.
Now each club kens our metal an' name o' them daur
Tae venture tae meet us in pastimic war;
For weel dae they mind as their shoothers they rub
O' the drubbin' they got from the Warrender Club.
Then a bumper let's drain to the game we love best, &c.

To him, its great founder, whose muse can engage
And his merit esteem the respect of the age,
Whose name is a spell every mind to inspire
With humanity's zeal and true patriot fire,
May his fame never dwindle, nor his honours decay,
But their roots strike the deeper as years pass away,
And the star of our east not more lastingly shine
Than the genius and worth of our chief Ballantine.
Then a bumper let's drain to the game we love best, &c.

Then blest be the game whose charms we confess.
And the marge of our links may it never grow less,
May our clubs never rust in their long narrow box,
But make the hills echo with sharp ringing strokes.
May we in our matches in union agree,
Like the flag with the hole, or the ball with the tee,
And may never a cad, nor an ill-mannered cub,
Find a home or a place in our Warrender Club.
Then a bumper let's drain to the game we love best.
That gives to our life all its pleasure and zest:
And when cares shall assail, or troubles us rub,
Find a cure for them all in our Warrender Club.

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THE GOLFERS' CLUB,

WHITEHALL COURT, S.W.

This Club has been established for the association of gentlemen interested in Golf; and occupies spacious premises in Whitehall Court.

The Club accommodation includes a number of Bedrooms.

The Club now numbers 550 Members. The Annual Subscription at present is:—

Town Members ...	£4	4	0
Country „ ...	2	2	0
Foreign „ ...	1	1	0

The list of original Members will close when the Membership has reached 600. April, 1895.

Members incur no liability beyond the amount of their subscription.

Members who do not reside in the county of Essex have the right of playing on the links of the Romford Golf Club free of charge, on obtaining tickets from the Secretary of the Golfers' Club. These links are situated in the most picturesque part of Essex. There are eighteen holes; and there is an excellent service of trains from the City.

All particulars of the Secretary, Major BRANSTON, Golfers' Club, Whitehall Court, S.W.

CLUB DIRECTORY.

LIST OF CLUBS AND DESCRIPTIONS OF GREENS.

ABERDEEN.

ABERDEEN GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JUNE 1ST, 1815.

Entrance Fee, 5*l.* 5*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 11*s.* 6*d.*; *Number of Members*, 300. *Captain* — Sheriff Duncan Robertson. *Council*—A. J. W. Storie, L. M. Yeat, H. C. Hadden, C. F. Hayne, R. D. Leslie, and W. R. Reid. *Hon. Secretary and Treasurer*—M. M. Duncan, 4, Bridge-street, Aberdeen. *Green*—Balgownie Links, near Aberdeen. *Greenkeeper* — Archie Simpson. *Professionals*—Archie Simpson, Robbie Mearns, and Andrew Annand.

The club holds two meetings each year—in Spring and Autumn. At the first-named the prizes are the Leopold Cup (presented by H.R.H. the Duke of Albany in 1872), the Johnston Cup, and the Silver Cross (handicap). At the Autumn Meeting the Charles Chalmer's Cup, Gold Medal, and Fordyce Gold Cross (handicap) constitute the prizes. In addition to these, the club holds monthly competitions for the Scratch Medal, and for the Handicap Cup (presented by Mr. A. J. W. Storie in October, 1894).

Prize Winners in 1894. — Gold Medal: L. S. Anderson, 76. Leopold Cup: L. S. Anderson, 91. Charles Chalmer's Cup: C. Angus 85. Johnston Cup: L. S. Anderson, 88. Silver Cross: C. Angus, 88 − 6 = 82. Fordyce Gold Cross: L. S. Anderson, 76 + 3 = 79; and C. Angus, 85 − 6 = 79 (tied). Final for Monthly Scratch Medal, 1893-94 (two rounds): L. S. Anderson, 165. Final for Monthly Handicap Prize, 1893-94 (two rounds): M. H. Mackie, 177 − 16 = 161. Mr. David Littlejohn's Prizes: J. M. Ferguson, average score 80½ for seven rounds; C. Angus, average score 80½ for fourteen rounds.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition 76, by L. S. Anderson, on 13th October, 1894.

The lowest recorded score for the green is 73, by Archie Simpson, in 1894. The amateur record is 75, by J. M. Ferguson, on 23rd November, 1894.

The club formerly played on the Aberdeen Links course, but on

March 31st, 1888, they opened a private course on the Balgownie Links, situated two miles north of Aberdeen, near the mouth of the Don. The course, which has recently been considerably extended, is about three-and-a-half miles in length, and there are eighteen holes. Conveyance by tramway or cab. A commodious clubhouse stands on a high hill overlooking the Don, and the view from it embraces the entire coast line from Girdleness to Buchanness.

The Aberdeen Golf Club appears to have come after, and in the place of, a club called the "Society of Golfers at Aberdeen," instituted May 9th, 1783, a printed copy of whose "Regulations, with a list of the original members and the Laws of Golf," is still extant: but this "society of golfers" had become dissolved before the institution of the present club. A golf club must have existed in Aberdeen even before 1783, as the ballot box still in the possession of the club bears the inscription, "The Aberdeen Golf Club, 1780." The game itself has been played on the Aberdeen Links from time immemorial. In "A description of both Touns of Aberdeen," written by James Gordon, Parson of Rothiemay, in 1661, it is stated that "The Lynks extend themselves almost betwixt the two rivers of Done and Don. Hear the inhabitants recreat themselves with severall kynds of exercises, such as football, *goffe*, bowlling and archerie." The Aberdeen Town Council Records show that in the year 1642 one John Dickson was permitted to use and exercise the trade of making *golf balls*, and in writing of the period from 1633 to 1707 Kennedy, in his "Annals of Aberdeen," says: "During no part of this period have we discovered any games or pastimes in practice among the citizens except bowlling and *golfing*, which last continues to be a favourite recreation at the present day (1818)." Doubtless the game is referred to in the following extract from the Aberdeen Council Registers, under date October 4th, 1598: "Item the provest, bailleis, and counsall . . . lykwayes ratefeis the statute maid *againis the playeris in the linkis*, and at the kyttis during the time of the sermones with the gude and godlie ordinance maid obefoir againis sweararis and blasphemaris of Goddis holy name;" . . . and we may assume that the game was played on the Aberdeen Links when the Scotch Act of 1457, c. 6 (James II.), was passed. The following is an excerpt from it: "Item it is decretyt and ordanyt that wapinschawingis be haldin be the Lordis ande Baronys spirituale and temporale four tymis in the zeir and that the futball ande the *Golf* be utterly cryit donne and nocht usit."

BON ACCORD GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1872.

Annual Subscription, Seven Shillings and Sixpence: *Number of Members*, 97. *Captain*—J. Rattray. *Treasurer*—J. Cameron. *Committee*—J. Fyfe, W. Leslie, A. Jaffray, D. Hutchison, A. Smart, and J. Florence. *Hon. Secretary*—H. Glass, 121, Urquhart-road, Aberdeen. *Green*—Aberdeen Links. *Greenkeeper*—W. Forsyth.

VICTORIA GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1879.

Entrance Fee, Seven Shillings and Sixpence; *Annual Subscription*, Seven Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, 230. *Captain*—G. Anderson (1). *Committee*—G. Anderson (2), J. A. Ross, C. Robertson, J. Innes, G. Souter, R. Dunn, D. J. Innes. *Hon. Secretary*—W. Addie, 55, Union-grove, Aberdeen. *Green*—Aberdeen Links. *Greenkeeper*—W. Forsyth.

Club Prizes.—Scratch Prize, played for monthly for one year. Monthly Handicap Prizes (played by strokes), presented by Messrs. W. Mackenzie and T. M'Lean; and Thomson and C. Robertson Medals (handicap by holes), Quarterly Handicap Prize competition for golfing material.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Scratch Prize: A. M. M. Dunn. Williams Handicap Prize, for first class players: D. B. Leslie. Chivas Handicap Prize, for second class players: C. Stewart. Press Members' Prize: A. M. M. Dunn. Orr Gold Medal: T. Mason. Office Bearers' Prize (played by holes), first class players: A. M. M. Dunn. Second class players: J. H. Shepherd.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition 75, by A. M. M. Dunn, on 13th October, 1894.

Record for the Green 71, by T. B. Reith, on 29th September, 1893.

The green consists of eighteen holes.

The Joint Railway Station is a quarter of an hour's walk from the club-house.

ABERDEEN LADIES' GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED FEBRUARY, 1892.

Entrance Fee, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 10*s.* 6*d.*; *Number of Members*, 100. *Captain*—Mrs. McClymont. *Committee*—Mrs. Hadden, Mrs. Storie, Miss Crombie, Miss Duncan. *Hon. Treasurer*—W. C. H. Jopp. *Hon. Secretary*—J. M. Ferguson, 35A, Union-street, Aberdeen.

Club Prizes.—Gold Brooch at Autumn Meeting: Silver Bowl at Spring and Autumn Meetings; Monthly scratch and handicap prizes.

The course is one of nine holes, and adjoins the Balgownie course of the Aberdeen Golf Club. There is a comfortable club-house. The record for lady players for eighteen holes is held by Miss L. Ferguson, with a score of 68.

ABERDOVEY.

ABERDOVEY GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED AUGUST 1ST, 1892.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.* *President*—Major R. M. Ruck, R.E. *Vice-President*—

J. M. Howell. *Treasurer*—A. Tomlins. *Hon. Secretary*—W. V. Thomas, 18, Glendovey-terrace, Aberdovey, North Wales.

Club Prizes.—Prizes at Easter and Summer Meetings; Welsh Championship Cup in Whit week; Monthly Medal and Cup for ladies and gentlemen.

The course, which consists of eighteen holes, has recently been considerably improved. The first tee is within fifty yards of Aberdovey Station (Cambrian Railway). The Secretary will be pleased to supply particulars as to hotel accommodation on application.

ABERFELDY.

The Marquis of Breadalbane has given a twenty years lease, free of charge, to the Burgh Commissioners of some parks on the south side of the Tay, and a Golf course will in due time be laid out thereon.

ABERFOYLE.

ABERFOYLE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 26TH DECEMBER, 1890.

Entrance Fee, Two Shillings and Sixpence; *Annual Subscription*, Twelve Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, 60. *Hon. President*—Duke of Montrose. *Hon. Vice-Presidents*—J. M. Gale, J. Gaff, J. Blair. *Captain*—E. P. Sumner. *Committee*—Dr. McGregor, T. Forbes, A. Blair, Wm. Gale, J. McIntyre, G. Smith, G. Gardner. *Hon. Secretary*—J. R. Lindsay, Trossachs Gate, Aberfoyle.

Club Prizes.—Gaff Medal (scratch), in August; three Monthly Medals (handicap) in June, July, August.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Gaff Medal: J. McLaren. First Class Handicap Medal, J. McLaren, P. Guthrie. Second Class Handicap Medal: P. Guthrie. Third Class Handicap Medal: Wm. Wall.

The course, which consists of nine holes, with excellent hazards, is one mile from Aberfoyle railway station, and capital accommodation may be had at the Bailie Nicol Jarvie Hotel, within three minutes' walk of the station. The view of the glens and lochs at the foot of Ben Lomond is very fine, and is certainly an additional attraction.

ABERGAVENNY.

ABERGAVENNY GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1892.

The course, which consists of eighteen holes, extending to about three miles, is laid out on the Ravenscourt Farm, kindly placed at the club's disposal by Mr. Herbert. The River Usk bounds one side of the course, and the surrounding scenery is charming.

ABERLADY.

LUFFNESS GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED OCTOBER 10TH, 1867.

Entrance Fee, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, Seven Shillings and Sixpence, and Ten Shillings for New Members after 1889; *Number of Members*, 401. *President*—H. W. Hope. *Captain*—The Earl of Wemyss. *Committee*—Sir Alex. Kinloch, Bart., J. A. Robertson, B. H. Blyth, D. A. Stevenson, H. B. Bryden, J. Hannan, A. Punton, T. Gordon, P. B. Swinton, I. Williamson, G. Dalziel, A. Drybrough. *Secretary and Treasurer*—John Congalton, Aberlady, Longniddry, East Lothian. *Green*—Luffness Links. *Greenkeeper*—J. Bird.

Club Prizes.—Hope Challenge Cup, 27th April; Club Handicap Medal, 25th June; Captain's and Club Prizes and President's Medal, 31st August; Tait Silver Club and Star, 28th September; Wemyss Challenge Medal (handicap), last Saturdays of March, April, May, June, July, and October; The County Cup Competition, 27th July; Hope Challenge Medal and Gold Pendant, open to members of any County club, 10th August.

Prize Winners in 1894.—President's Clubs: Rev. W. Proudfoot, 84. Hope Challenge Cup: Dr. L. R. Gray. Club Medal (handicap): M. McNeil, 91−14=77. County Cup: Tantallon Club. Hope Challenge Medal: J. Brotherston, 78. Tait Silver Club: G. McGregor, 80. President's Medal: J. McCulloch, 77.

The Lowest Scratch Score in a club competition is 75, by the late J. W. Cathcart, on 25th September, 1886.

The record for the green, however, is 69, established by J. E. Laidlay, on 30th August, 1889, his figures being 4 4 5 4 5 3 4 4 5 3 4 3 3 4 4 4 3 3=69.

The tariff for caddies is one shilling for the first, and ninepence for each succeeding round.

A full description of the course, which consists of eighteen holes, will be found in the special article entitled "Luffness Golf Links," which appeared in the "Annual" for 1890-91. The par of the green is 70.

Aberlady is reached from the west by train to Longniddry, and from the east by train to Drem. 'Buses await daily at Longniddry the arrival of the 9.20 a.m. and 4 p.m. trains, and on Saturdays the 1.30 p.m. train from Edinburgh. There is an excellent inn at Aberlady, and good accommodation for visitors in the village.

LUFFNESS NEW GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED OCTOBER, 1894.

Entrance Fee, 3*l.* 3*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.* (to be increased shortly). *President*—H. W. Hope. *Captain*

—Lord Leconfield. *Committee*—W. T. Armour, W. G. Bloxsom, H. Callander, Lord Elcho, C. P. Finlay, Lord Kingsburgh, D. Lyell, Dr. Argyll Robertson, A. M. Ross, Lord Trayner. *Hon. Secretary*—James Reid, W.S., 2, Thistle Court, Edinburgh. *Green*—Luffness New Course. *Greenkeeper*—G. Shepherd.

The new course at Luffness laid out for Mr. Hope, of Luffness in 1893 has been acquired by the club, and is being fast got into good playing order. In a year or two, it will be one of the very best courses in East Lothian. The first teeing-ground is a few yards to the east of the public road leading to Gullane, a short distance from Luffness Mill, and the line of play at the start is towards Gullane. At the third hole a turn is made in a north-westerly direction, and the Gullane Quarry forms the hazard for the fifth hole. The sixth hole is placed on the south shoulder of Gullane Hill, from which a fine view of the Firth of Forth is obtained, and the remaining twelve holes of an extremely sporting round lie for the most part on the Luffness property between the Gullane Road and the first few holes of the old Luffness course. The home hole brings the player back almost to the starting point. The professional record for the green is 80, by Ben and George Sayers on 14th January, 1895, but when the course has brought into good playing order, the par of the round will be about 72—34 out and 38 in. In the meantime, 80 represents wonderfully good golf. There are two holes over 400 yards; five over 300 yards; and six over 200 yards. The longest hole is the last (449 yards), and the shortest is the fifth or Quarry hole (157 yards). A club-house will shortly be erected. Visitors will be admitted to the use of the club-house and green, on the introduction of members, for two days at the rate of 2*s.* 6*d.* per day. If approved by the Committee, the permission to visitors may be extended, but not beyond four weeks, at the rate of 10*s.* per week. A 'bus will meet the 9.22 train from Edinburgh at Drem, and return in time for the 4.30 p.m. at that station. There are excellent hotels at Aberlady and Gullane.

ABERNETHY.

ABERNETHY GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MAY, 1893.

The course of nine holes, varying from 150 to 300 yards in length, is beautifully situated on the banks of the Spey, about five minutes' walk from Broombill Station on the Highland Railway, and fifteen minutes' from Nethy Bridge Station (Great North of Scotland Railway). It commands a magnificent view of Cairngorm, and other peaks of the Grampians, in addition to the greater part of Strathspey. Excellent accommodation can be got in Abernethy hotel, and there are numerous furnished houses to be had, the district being a favourite summer resort.

ABINGTON.

ABINGTON GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED APRIL 29TH, 1892.

Annual Subscription, Five Shillings; *Number of Members*, 40. *Hon. President*—Sir Edward A. Colebrooke, Bart. *President* — J. W. Paterson. *Captain* — Rev. H. L. Dick. *Committee*—Rev. E. T. Thomson, J. Hunter, D. Oswald, J. Paterson. *Hon. Secretary* — T. Smail, Commercial Bank, Abington, N.B.

Club Prizes. — Monthly Medal (handicap); Foursome Medal (monthly); President's and other prizes.

Prize Winners in 1894.—T. Smail, 86−15=71; J. Macarthur, 94−30=64; D. A. Macarthur, 87−20=67.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition 72, by Rev. H. L. Dick, on 23rd August, 1894.

Record for the Green 34, by Rev. H. L. Dick.

The course, which is quite close to Abington Railway Station (Caledonian Railway), consists of nine holes, varying in length from 140 yards to 320 yards, and the hazards are knolls, ditches, springs, rushes, wire fences, dykes, and patches of heather. There is a prospect of some extensive alterations being made shortly. The situation is delightful, having Tinto to the north, Abington House and grounds to the south, Arbory Hill to the east, and the Clyde and the village of Abington to the west. There is ample accommodation for visitors in the village, which is a favourite resort of anglers. The houses let very readily in the summer months.

ABOYNE.

ABOYNE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1883.

President—F. Sandison. *Captain*—A. Grant. *Committee*—A. Lyon, W. Ewen, C. Mackenzie, R. Forgie, and J. Milne.

The course consists of nine holes, with fairly good putting greens, but the only hazards are a road and one or two railings.

ACCRINGTON.

ACCRINGTON GOLF CLUB.

No particulars forthcoming.

ADEN.

ADEN GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JUNE 4TH, 1890.

Monthly handicap tournaments are held on the last Saturday of every month, and the club presents a miniature silver golf ball to the winner.

The course consists of nine holes and is a very sporting one, but, owing to want of space, zigzags a good deal. There is no grass, but the course is rolled frequently, as footmarks in the sand make a good lie rather uncertain. The hazards consist of bunkers, walls, slopes of hills, and bushes. The putting greens, made of earth and sea sand, rolled daily, are very keen, and, with the slightest wind, it is very difficult to hole the ball. "Approaching" at Aden also requires a style and method of play of its own, not over easy of attainment.

AIRDRIE.

AIRDRIE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1877.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 11*s.* 6*d.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, Gentlemen, 100; Ladies, 20. *President*—Col. Gerard, C.B. *Vice-President*—R. Watt. *Captain*—J. Goldie. *Committee*—A. T. Alston, M. M. Andrew, A. D. Lindsay, F. Robertson. *Hon. Secretary*—J. Benson, 16, North Bridge-street, Airdrie. *Greenkeeper*—D. Drummond.

Club Prizes.—Cowie Cup (scratch); Motherwell Cup and Watt Medal (handicap).

Prize Winners in 1894.—Captain's Prize: C. Walker. Scratch Prize: J. Goldie. Advertiser Medal: A. Blackadder.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition 82, by J. Mitchell and J. Goldie in 1894.

Record of the Green 35, by D. Cuthbert, on 17th April, 1894.

The green is private, and is prettily situated on Rochsoles Estate, about a mile to the north of the town. There are nine holes. There is a comfortable club-house. Commonhead Station is half a mile from the green.

ALCESTER.

ALCESTER GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED DECEMBER, 1892.

Annual Subscription, Gentlemen, 1*l.* 1*s.*; Ladies, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, about 45. *President*—A. L. Chance. *Captain*—A. L. Chance. *Committee*—J. H. Henderson, J. B. Page, L. James, A. E. Williams, S. A. Gothard. *Hon. Secretary*—E. A. Jephcott, Alcester. *Greenkeeper*—C. Westbury.

Club Prizes.—Gentlemen: President's Monthly (handicap). Ladies: Mrs. Chance (handicap).

Prize Winners in 1894.—E. A. Jephcott, A. E. Williams, G. W. Hinwood.

Record for the Green 47, by A. E. Williams in March, 1894.

Alcester Station (M.R. and G.W.R.) is three minutes walk from the club-house. The course of nine holes is laid out a quarter of a mile from Tower upon the old Roman camp about a quarter of a mile from the town.

ALDEBURGH.

ALDEBURGH GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1884.

Entrance Fee, 3*l.* 3*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 250. *Captain*—A. F. Stewart. *Hon. Secretary*—F. D. Bright, Bank House, Aldeburgh, Suffolk. *Hon. Greenmaster*—J. B. Pettit, Red House, Aldeburgh. *Greenkeeper*—R. Killich.

Club Prizes.—Monthly Medal (handicap) (Gentlemen) on first Saturday in each month; Monthly Medal (handicap) (ladies), on second Saturday in each month. Handicap prizes (limited to 18 strokes): Flintham Cup, on Easter Monday; Aldeburgh Town Cup, at Whitsuntide Meeting; Pearson Cup, on Whit-Monday; Wootten Cup, on 5th August; Garrett Prize (ladies) 12th August; Anderson Challenge Cup, 17th August; Gold Medal (limited to 12 strokes) and Junior Challenge Cup, 31st August; Pearson Cup, on 14th September; Newson Garrett Cup, on 26th December.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Flintham Cup: H. S. Theobald. Aldeburgh Town Cup: W. G. Thompson. Pearson Cup (summer): C. F. Dickinson. Wootten Cup: J. B. Pettit. Garrett Prize: Mrs. Longstaffe. Anderson Challenge Cup: J. B. Pettit. Gold Medal: C. G. Salmon. Junior Challenge Cup: S. A. Pryce-Cuxson. Pearson Cup (autumn): Captain Taunton Collins. Newson Garrett Cup: W. F. Thompson. Monthly Medal (gentlemen) final: W. F. Thompson. Monthly Medal (ladies): Miss Bowyer.

The Green Record is 74, by J. B. Pettit.

The course is a genuine seaside one of fine turf and natural hazards and sand bunkers, and is beautifully situated, with fine views of the river and sea. The clubhouse is on the links, about half a mile from the railway station, and visitors are conveyed by 'bus at a fare of 6*d.* from the town. During the last two years the links have been greatly improved, and now extend over three and a half miles. The clubhouse has also been enlarged, and increased accommodation provided for members. The links, which consist of eighteen holes, are under a mile from Aldeburgh, from which golfers are conveyed by 'bus for sixpence, and there is first-rate hotel accommodation for visitors in the town. An excellent clubhouse has been erected by the lord of the manor, T. F. C. Vernon Wentworth.

ALDERSHOT.

ALDERSHOT DIVISION GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1883.

Annual Subscription, Five Shillings; *Number of Members*, Varies. *Secretary*—Secretary Divisional Golf Club. Officers' Club House, South Camp, Aldershot.

The green, which is pleasantly situated in Rushmoor Bottom, in close proximity to the Duke of Wellington's statue, is kept up by the officers of regiments quartered at Aldershot. There are ten holes in all, so arranged that a round of twelve or eighteen holes can be played. Numerous copses, whin bushes, and ditches prove very serious hazards to the beginner, and, as can only be expected at a place like Aldershot, after rain the turf is much cut up by hoof marks. The ground, however, is the best obtainable in the vicinity of the camp. The season lasts from September to April inclusive.

ALEXANDRIA (EGYPT).

ALEXANDRIA GOLF CLUB.

No particulars forthcoming.

ALFRETON.

ALFRETON GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JULY 18TH, 1893.

Annual Subscription, Gentlemen, 1*l.* 1*s.*; Ladies, Ten Shillings and Sixpence. *Number of Members*, 90. *President*—C. R. Palmer-Morewood. *Captain*—W. Salmond. *Committee*—Revs. J. A. Hervey, S. C. Hayward, and L. Lambert, and M. Deacon, W. W. Nelson, G. R. Oakes, J. Oakes, W. Wilson, and W. M. Wilson. *Hon. Secretary*—L. S. Stroyan, Alfreton. *Greenkeeper*—G. Holmes.

Club Prizes.—Jessop Gold Medal (scratch by holes), in spring and and autumn, Club Silver Medal (handicap), Monthly Bronze Medals (handicap), Monthly Competition (handicap) for ladies only.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Jessop Gold Medal, November: L. W. Compton. Club Silver Medal: Rev. J. A. Harvey (27 holes), 165. Monthly Medal: January, H. G. Falkner, 77; February, Rev. S. C. Hayward, 72; March, W. de B. Jessop, 82; May, L. S. Stroyan (scratch), 113; June, L. S. Stroyan (scratch), 107; September, T. W. Taylor, 92; October, Rev. L. Lambert, 97. Ladies' Competition: Silver Spoon (9 holes). January, Miss Huish, 29; February, Miss L. M. Bingham, 49; March, Miss Maltby, 38; April, Mrs. G. Oakes, 69; May, Miss Palmer-Morewood, 70; June, Miss L. M. Bingham (scratch), 60; September, Miss R. Smith, 51; October, Miss L. M. Bingham (scratch), 61; November, Miss B. M. Wilson, 52 (all net scores).

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 105, by Rev. J. A. Harvey and L. W. Compton, in October, 1894.

Records for Green (1), professional, 39, by Davie Grant, on 21st March, 1894; (2) amateur, 46, by Rev. S. C. Hayward, on 26th March, 1894.

The railway stations on Erewash Valley branch of Midland Railway Company are Westhouses (one mile; no conveyance) and Alfreton (one and a half miles; 'bus to George Hotel, where there is accommodation for visitors).

The course, which is a nine hole one, is situated on the Shirland Lodge Farms, a distance of half a mile from Alfreton. It is over old pasture land, forty-three acres in extent, sloping gently towards the south. The greens are natural and the hazards are hedges and ditches, a road, a watercourse, trees, &c. Suitable clubrooms have been secured at the farmhouse in the middle of the course.

ALLOA.

ALLOA GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MAY 29TH, 1891.

Captain—Provost Thomson. *Treasurer*—J. M. Dunlop. *Hon. Sec.*—A. Norval, Solicitor, Alloa.

The course is situated at Arnsbrae, about one mile from the town, and consists of nine holes. The principal hazards are trees, and the lies through the green rather heavy; but the putting greens are fair. In some places, also, the ground is rather steep, but the holes are judiciously placed. A comfortable clubhouse has been erected.

ALNMOUTH.

ALNMOUTH GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED SEPTEMBER 13TH, 1869.

Entrance Fee, 2*l.*; *Annual Subscription*, Ten Shillings; *Number of Members*, 210. *Captain*—Earl Percy. *Treasurer*—F. P. Hebeler. *Committee*—Sir H. Williamson, Bart., T. Tate, R. T. Thomson, H. E. Brown, G. F. Charlton, and J. Robertson. *Hon. Secretary*—J. de C. Paynter, Belvidere, Alnwick. *Greenkeeper*—G. Rochester.

Club Prizes.—Cadogan Medal and Browne Cup (scratch), at Spring Meeting; Percy Medal and Walker Cross (scratch), at Autumn Meeting.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Handicap Cup: F. T. Ridley, 86. Cadogan Medal: H. G. B. Ellis, 39. Browne Cup: J. B. Radcliffe, 90. Club Silver Cup: T. L. M. Orde, 82. Silver Cup (presented by J. W. B. Pease): J. Duncanson. Percy Medal: J. W. B. Pease, 83. Walker Cross: C. A. Ridley, 88. Club Silver Cup: F. T. Ridley, 82. Handicap Sweepstakes: J. W. B. Pease, 81.

Record for the Green 35, by J. E. Laidlay, in 1889. This record has since been equalled by F. Taylor, a local caddie, and Hugh Kirkcaldy.

The course is a really good one of nine holes, and was fully described in the "Annual" for 1889.

There is an excellent clubhouse for *day members only*, containing club room with club lockers, lavatory, and dressing room, entrance hall, workshop, and professional's house, all under one roof.

The railway station is on the North-Eastern Railway, about a mile from Alnmouth, conveyances meeting nearly all trains. Good accommodation may be had at the "Schooner" and "Red Lion" Hotels, and at lodging houses in the town.

ALTRINCHAM.

TIMPERLEY GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MARCH 2ND, 1893.

Entrance Fee, 3*l.* 3*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; Lady Members, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, 200 Gentlemen and 60 Ladies. *Captain*—Dr. P. H. Mules. *Treasurer*—A. S. Fletcher. *Committee*—R. R. Deane, R. M. Nosworthy, C. F. G. Pierce, C. J. Cooper, J. C. Thompson, J. Wild, J. Wildgoose, W. R. Craig, C. H. Occleston. *Hon. Secretary*—S. Thompson, 10, Stamford-street, Altrincham. *Green*—Orchard-road, Altrincham. *Greenkeeper*—J. Bruce.

Club Prizes.—Captain's Cup, Cardwell Cup, Garlick Cup, Ibbotson Cup, and Club Medal.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Captain's Cup: Dr. P. H. Mules, 95—13=82.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition 89, by C. H. Occleston, on 24th November, 1894.

The Record for Green is 78, by H. H. Hilton, in 1893.

The course, which consists of eighteen holes, is situated about half a mile from Altrincham Station, where cabs are always to be had. There is a good clubhouse, but no sleeping accommodation; but this can be had at the Unicorn Hotel, about ten minutes' walk from the green.

ALYTH.

ALYTH GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED AUGUST, 1894.

Entrance Fee, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Annual Subscription*, Ten Shillings and Sixpence. *Lady Members*, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; Youths under twenty allowed to play on the course by the Committee, Five Shillings. *Number of Members*, 70. *Hon. Presidents*—Captain

Clayhills Henderson, of Invergowrie; and the Rev. John Ross, of Balloch. *Captain*—Dr. J. G. McPherson. *Vice-Captain*—Rev. J. R. McLaren. *Hon. Secretary*—D. S. Kidd. *Committee*—A. M. Ferguson, J. Reid, W. Thoms, A. Garden, D. Lawson, Dr. Kidd. *Convener of Ladies' Committee*—Miss McPherson.

The course consists of nine holes, in the vicinity of the attractive summer town of Alyth, seventeen miles north of Dundee. It has been very handsomely granted, on favourable conditions, by the Honorary Presidents. Tom Morris, who laid out the course, is of opinion that it will ultimately, with careful attention and regular upkeep, be a very good inland green. The lady members of the club are arranging for a bazaar to provide a suitable clubhouse.

ANNAN.

ANNAN GOLF CLUB.

A club is in course of formation, whose green of nine holes will be situated upon what is known as the Distillery Holms.

ANSTRUTHER.

ANSTRUTHER GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED NOVEMBER, 1890.

The course, which is at Billowness, a piece of ground belonging to the Burgh of West Anstruther, from which it has been leased, has nine holes.

EAST OF FIFE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1889.

The course is at Grangemuir, and has six holes.

ANTWERP.

ANTWERP GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MARCH, 1888.

Entrance Fee, Ten Francs; *Annual Subscription*, Thirty Francs. *Number of Members*, 40. *President*—W. J. R. Watson. *Captain*—L. Evan-Thomas. *Hon. Treasurer*—A. W. Malcolm. *Committee*—J. Proctor, E. B. Graham. *Hon. Secretary*—A. J. Wyley, 2, Courte Rue de la Chapelle des Bateliers, Antwerp. *Greenkeeper*—J. Van den Put.

Club Prizes.—Captaincy (scratch), best average three rounds; President's Prize (handicap), in January; Proctor Prize (handicap); Monthly Medal (handicap); Evan-Thomas' Silver Putter.

Prize Winners in 1894.—President's Prize: L. Evan-Thomas, 95−8=87. Challenge Cup: E. B. Graham, 104−23=81. Silver

Putter: W. J. R. Watson, 93—8=84. Monthly Medal (three wins): A. J. Wyley, 94—16=78.

Record for Green—84 by W. J. R. Watson on 10th November, 1894.

The course is situated within fifteen minutes' drive from the centre of Antwerp, cab fare 1·50fr. There are eighteen holes, which are played over a very sporting course without a crossing (with one unimportant exception) of rather more than 6000 yards. They have been recently altered and considerably lengthened. From the formation of the ground, and the nature of the sand and hazards, the course closely resembles sea coast links.

There is a tramway direct to the Dikkee Mee Restaurant, where the club-room is, and where lunch, &c., can be obtained, and the first tee is about 100 yards from the club-room.

Travellers from England should go to Antwerp *vid* the Great Eastern Railway and Harwich, and will find excellent accommodation at the Hotel St. Antoine. All information will be gladly supplied by the Secretary.

APPLEBY.

APPLEBY GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED, 1894.

President—C. R. Rivington. *Captain*—R. E. Leach.

The course of nine holes is beautifully situated above the town. The holes are at present rather short, but will soon be lengthened, as there is plenty of room to do so.

ARBROATH.

ARBROATH GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1877.

The course is quite close to Elliot Railway Station, which is about two miles from Arbroath. It lies to the north of the railway, and consists of eighteen holes. The hazards are numerous and varied. Play can be enjoyed during the whole year.

ARDWELL.

ARDWELL GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MAY 30TH, 1893.

Entrance Fee, Two Shillings and Sixpence; *Annual Subscription*, Two Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, 30. *President*—Sir Mark J. Stewart, Bart., M.P. *Captain*—J. McDouall. *Committee*—D. A. McClew, G. Cowan, Jun., A. Henry. *Hon. Secretary*—Rev. R. T. Marshall, Ardwell, Wigtownshire. *Greenkeeper* — J. Blackwell.

Club Prizes.—Scratch Medal in May and October; Monthly Medal (handicap), and various other prizes.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Scratch Medal (May) J. McDouall, 91; October—J. Blackwell, 97.

Lowest Scratch Score.—88 by J. McDouall in April, 1894.

The links are situated eleven miles from Stranraer, near to the residence of Sir Mark Stewart, Bart., M.P. The greens are in good order.

A coach runs from Stranraer, and there is an Inn in Ardwell.

ARGELÈS.

ARGELÈS AND GAVARNIE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED APRIL, 1894.

President — Col. Talbot-Crosbie. *Captain* — Lord Kilmaine. *Committee*—A. H. Foster-Barham, S. Platt, and H. Ross. *Hon. Secretary*—R. J. Borcel, 19, Rue du Lycée, Pau. *Greens*—Argeles and Gavarnie.

The greens at Argelès and Gavarnie, were laid out in 1893 by Col. Talbot-Crosbie at his own expense, and each consists of nine holes.

The Argelès course is situated half between Lourdes and Argelès, and about ten minutes' walk from Lugagnan station. There are two first-class hotels at Argelès, Hôtel du Parc and Hôtel de France, the proprietors of which have arranged with the club to drive players to the green and back for the small sum of five francs, the distance being about five miles.

The Gavarnie course is situated in the beautiful valley leading up to the famous Cirque de Gavarnie, in the very heart of the Pyrenees, and is about twenty minutes' walk from the comfortable little Hôtel des Voyageurs. Play here is not possible before the middle of May, on account of snow, Gavarnie being over 4000ft. above sea level.

ARISAIG.

ARISAIG GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1894.

The course—a private one of nine holes—is beautifully situated directly opposite the Island of Eigg.

ARMAGH.

COUNTY ARMAGH GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED OCTOBER, 1894.

Entrance Fee, Gentlemen, 1*l.*; Ladies, Ten Shillings. *Annual Subscription*, Gentlemen, 1*l.*; Ladies, Ten Shillings. *Number of Members*, 130. *President*—G. de La Poer-Beresford. *Captain*—J. Orr. *Hon. Treasurer*—G. W. Bowen. *Committee*—H. B. Armstrong, H. Boyle, W. Gallagher, T. Gordon, Dr. H. Gray, H. Harris, Capt. Kincaid, E. Moorhead, W. McCreem, Dr. J. M. Palmer, M. Linton, J. G. Sharkey, N. L. Townsend, Major

Wilbraham. *Hon. Secretary*—J. C. Murphy, Armagh. *Club Green*—Palace Demesne.

The course of nine holes is situated about half a mile from Armagh Station, and there is a pavilion upon it.

The green is only open for play from May 1 to November 1.

ASCOT.

ROYAL ASCOT GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JANUARY, 1887.

The round consists of nine holes, the par score being 40. The clubhouse is situated about a quarter of a mile from Ascot Station.

Visitors may be introduced for three days, after which a charge of One Shilling per round green money is exacted.

LADIES' ASCOT GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1888.

No particulars forthcoming.

ASHBOURNE.

ASHBOURNE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1803.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 33. *President*—A. Corbet. *Committee*—Capt. Blacker, J. F. Campbell, Rev. A. Evans, L. Frank, H. F. Gibson, C. Jeins-Smith, W. H. Mathews, G. Mainwaring. *Hon. Secretary*—Capt. MacVean, Church Street House, Ashbourne. *Greenkeeper*—J. T. Phillips.

Club Prizes—Monthly competitions, to which prizes presented by residents are sometimes added.

The course is situated about fifteen minutes walk from the town and Ashbourne Station (North Staffordshire Railway). It consists of nine holes, and is about one and a half miles round; and the hazards, which are natural, comprise hedges, a brook (which is crossed thrice), and a pond. The turf is sound, and the greens, which were laid out by W. Lowe, the professional to the Buxton and High Peak Golf Club, are good. The par of the round is 35. There is a club-room for members at the Boothby Arms Hotel, which adjoins the course. The charge for visitors (who must be introduced by a member) is Two Shillings and Sixpence a week for any number of weeks. All further information may be obtained from the Hon. Secretary.

ASHDOWN FOREST.

ROYAL ASHDOWN FOREST AND TUNBRIDGE WELLS GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JANUARY, 1889.

Entrance Fee, 5*l.* 5*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Number of Members*, about 400. *President*—Earl De la

Warr and Buckhurst. *Captain*—Rev. C. C. Woodland. *Treasurer*—Dr. J. Magrath. *Committee*—C. A. Ashton, H. E. Lawrence, H. A. Curteis, W. P. Birch, W. R. Lee, H. J. Fisher, F. A. Lucas, N. W. Grieve, Rev. A. T. Scott, T. Hyde. *Hon. Secretary*—R. Chignell, Stoneleigh, East Grinstead. *Green*—Ashdown Forest. *Greenkeeper*—Rowe.

Club Prizes.—Scratch: Spring Challenge Cup: Club Gold Medal, at Autumn Meeting; Yewhurst Gold Club, monthly. *Handicap*: Forest Row Cup, quarterly; Elms Cup, in August; Stonehouse Cup, at Autumn Meeting; Tunbridge Wells Cup; Eton Prize (Bogey), &c.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Spring Challenge Cup: H. M. Braybrooke, 81 + 87 = 168. Club Gold Medal: H. M. Braybrooke, 80 + 78 = 158. Stonehouse Cup: H. M. Braybrooke, 80 + 2 and 78 + 2 = 162. Tunbridge Wells Cup: G. Gardner, 80 − 3 and 82 − 1 = 158. Eton Prize: H. Glasier (5) three up.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition 78, by H. M. Braybrooke on three separate occasions.

Green Records.—(1.) Professional: 69 by J. Rowe, on 21st July, 1894; and (2.) Amateur: 70 by H. S. Colt, on 18th October, 1893.

The course consists of eighteen holes, with fine natural hazards. The soil is light, there is no long grass, and the lies through the green are good. A new clubhouse has just been built at a cost of £2500.

Forest Row Station (L.B. and S.C.R.), is ten minutes' walk from the green, and the Brambletye Hotel, Forest Row, and various lodging-houses, are close to the home-green.

At East Grinstead (seven minutes by rail) accommodation may be had at the Crown and Dorset Hotels; and in Tunbridge Wells (eighteen minutes by train) there is a special tariff for golfers' at the Royal Kentish Hotel.

ASHDOWN FOREST AND TUNBRIDGE WELLS LADIES' GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED NOVEMBER, 1889.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 10*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, Fifteen Shillings for members within five miles, Ten Shillings and Sixpence for others; *Number of Members*, 134. *President*—Lady H. Nevill. *Vice-Presidents*—Mrs. Du Croz, Mrs. A. Boscawen, Mrs. F. Lucas, Mrs. R. Parsons. *Captain*—Mrs. C. Green. *Committee*—Mrs. Hyde, Mrs. S. Whitfield, Mrs. Astbury, Mrs. J. Fisher, Miss Birch, Miss E. B. Curteis. *Hon. Secretary*—Miss Andrews, 6, Nevill Park, Tunbridge Wells. *Green*—Forest Row. *Greenkeeper*—F. Murrell.

Club Prizes.—Gold Brooch (scratch), monthly; Silver Dishes (scratch), quarterly; Challenge Bowl (handicap), half-yearly; Gold Medal (handicap under 20), and Silver Cup (handicap over 20), monthly.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Mrs. M. Stewart, 81 + 1 − 82; Mrs. C. Green, 86 − 6 = 80; Miss E. B. Curteis, 72 + 1 = 73; Miss Birch, 86 − 1 = 85; Miss Andrews, 83 − 2 = 81.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition 72, by Miss E. B. Curteis in October, 1894.

Record for Green 31, by Miss E. B. Curteis.

The course consists of nine holes, and is about one mile and a quarter in circuit. The hazards are natural bunkers and heather. There is a club-room, which is about fifteen minutes' walk from Forest Row Station.

CANTELUPE GOLF CLUB.

The membership is confined to working men in the district.

ASHTON-UNDER-LYNE.

ASHTON AND STALYBRIDGE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MAY 5TH, 1892.

The course, which is situated at Hazleburst, near Ashton, consists of nine holes with a ravine, water, trees, and rising ground for hazards.

AUCHTERARDER.

AUCHTERARDER GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED NOVEMBER 19TH, 1892.

Annual Subscription, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members,* 75. *President* — Viscount Strathallan. *Vice-President* — J. Johnston. *Captain* — Dr. Macfee. *Committee* — Colonel Hally, T. W. B. Smeaton, H. M. Duncan, jun., P. Paton, J. Mallis. *Hon. Secretary*—J. S. Leslie, Bank of Scotland, Auchterarder. *Greenkeeper*—A. Cameron.

Club Prizes.—Club Medal (handicap) in spring and autumn; Vice-President's, Captain's, and Mrs. Raimes' prizes; Duncan Medal for ladies.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Club Medal: Spring, J. S. Macdonald, 85; autumn, Captain Brown, 91. Vice-President's Prize: H. M. Duncan, jun., 94. Captain's Prize: J. S. Macdonald.

Lowest Scratch Score 85, by J. S. Leslie, on 9th June, 1894.

Green Record 41, by several members.

The course, which was laid out by B. Sayers, North Berwick, consists of nine holes, the hazards being walls and whins. It is beautifully situated between the Ochills and Grampian Hills, *from*

which extensive and beautiful views are to be obtained. It is quite close to the town, and about one mile from the station, where 'buses meet the trains, *fare* 6*d*. There are five hotels in Auchterarder and excellent lodgings for summer visitors. Crieff Junction Station is about ten minutes' walk from the course, but there are no conveyances or accommodation there. Auchterarder can be reached from Edinburgh and Glasgow in one and a half hours by train. The air is very bracing, and the scenery is equal to any in Perthshire. Visitors are allowed to play over the course on payment of 6*d*. per day, 2*s*. 6*d*. per week, and 5*s*. per month.

AUCKLAND (NEW ZEALAND).

AUCKLAND GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED FEBRUARY 6TH, 1894.

Number of Members, over 50.

The course, which consists of nine holes, is laid out on grazing ground adjoining Green Lane Station, the principal hazards being a creek which has to be crossed six times, stone walls, a pond, and trees. The greens are very good, but, to prevent the cattle spoiling them, it has been necessary to fence them round with substantial posts and two rows of barbed wire. There is a convenient clubhouse close to the station. Visitors may play without charge for a fortnight; after that for three months on payment of 5*s*. a month.

AUGHNACLOY.

AUGHNACLOY GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED DECEMBER 24TH, 1888.

Entrance Fee, Five Shillings; *Annual Subscription*, Seven Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, 46. *President*—W. U. Montray. *Vice-Presidents*—W. H. Mann, Sir D. Brooke, Bart., R. J. Betty, H. de F. Montgomery. *Committee*—R. Abraham, D. D. W. Driver, G. Moore, G. M. Hudson, H. S. Sloan. *Hon. Secretary*—J. D. Meharg, Ulster Bank, Aughnacloy. *Green*—Annagh, near Aughnacloy. *Greenkeeper*—J. M'Adam.

Club Prizes.—Captain's Medal, Club Prize, and Challenge Trophy (handicap), at annual competition in May.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Captain's Medal: Rev. J. McEndoo; Club Prize: E. V. Hamilton; Challenge Trophy: G. Moore.

The course, which was the first eighteen-hole course in Ireland, is about two miles in extent, and there are numerous hazards in the form of watercourses, rushes, hedges, and trees. Aughnacloy is situated on the Clogher Valley Railway (*vid* Tynan or Maguire's Bridge), and the course is about three-quarters of a mile from the station. There is abundant hotel accommodation for visitors.

AVIEMORE.

AVIEMORE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1894.

The course, which consists of nine holes, is not far from the railway station.

AYLSHAM.

BLICKLING GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED FEBRUARY, 1891.

Entrance Fee, Gentlemen, 1*l.* 1s.; Ladies, Ten Shillings and Sixpence. *Annual Subscription*, Gentlemen, 1*l.* 1s.; Ladies, Ten Shillings and Sixpence. *Number of Members*, 50. *Patroness*—The Dowager Marchioness of Lothian. *Captain*—C. L. Buxton. *Committee*—Rev. A. E. Black, Rev. J. E. Pease, Rev. H. M. Cooper, F. Little, H. J. Gidney. *Hon. Secretary and Treasurer*—C. R. Dewhirst, Bank House, Aylsham.

A Silver Medal, presented by the Patroness, is played for on the third Thursday of each month, from March to September inclusive.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 83, by Rev. J. E. Pease on January 24th, 1895.

Green Record 37, by Rev. A. E. Black.

The course of nine holes, is prettily situated nearod Blickling Hall, the residence of the Dowager Marchioness of Lothian. The turf is good, and is kept short by a large herd of deer. Aylsham Railway Stations is a mile and a half from the green.

AYE.

AYR GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1894.

Captain — R. Ochiltree. *Vice-Captain* — J. McCall, *Treasurer*—W. Robertson. *Hon. Secretary*—J. McMorland.

The course, which consists of nine holes, extends over five fields close to the cricket ground at Newtonhead. The turf is old, and the hazards fair.

AYTON.

AYTON GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED OCTOBER, 1891.

Entrance Fee, Two Shillings and Sixpence; *Annual Subscription*, Five Shillings; *Number of Members*, 59. *President*—E. C. White. *Vice-President*—J. Allan. *Captain*—Sir Walter G. Simpson, Bart. *Vice-Captain*—Rev. J. J. M. L. Aiken. *Committee*—A. Thomson, J. K.

Livingstone, A. Macvie, J. B. Sinclair, J. Davidson. *Hon. Secretary*—G. A. Wilson, Spring Bank, Ayton. *Greenkeeper*—J. Cockburn.

Club Prizes.—Simpson Challenge Trophy (scratch); Wood and Davidson Medals (handicap), in April and October.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Simpson Challenge Trophy: D. R. Cameron, 101. Wood Medal: A Martin, 108. Davidson Medal: J. K. Livingstone, 104, and C. E. Annandale, 101.

The Green Record is 43, by A. Macvie.

The course (a nine-hole one) is laid out along the haughs inclosed between the River Eye and what is known as the "back road" to Reston, about ten minutes' walk from the village of Ayton. As the ground slopes on either side down to the river in the centre, and as the water is an ever-present hazard, the course is an exceedingly sporting one. At one hole the river must be crossed twice. A quarry, marshy land, and whins are the other hazards.

The green is private, but visitors, through the Honorary Secretary, are allowed to play on payment of a charge of 1*s.* per day or 2*s.* 6*d.* per fortnight. Ayton Station is one mile from the green. Conveyances from the Red Lion Hotel meet all trains. Excellent accommodation may be had in the village, at the hotel, and other places.

BALLANTRAE.

BALLANTRAE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1877.

Life Members, 31. 3*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, Ten Shillings. *Number of Members*, 80. *Captain*—W. Smart, LL.D. *Committee*—Rev. F. J. Williamson, D. Henderson, J. Phillips. *Hon. Secretary and Treasurer*—M. MacMaster, Ballantrae. *Greenkeeper*—H. Baxter.

Club Prizes.—Hunter Challenge Medal (handicap), monthly; Gladstone Gold Medal (handicap); Laggan Cup (handicap); Murdoch Gold Medal (scratch); and Campbell-Lang Medal (handicap), in July and August.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Gladstone Medal: G. Lamont. Laggan Cup: R. MacLure. Murdoch Medal: W. C. Thomson. Campbell-Lang Medal: H. Wason.

Ballantrae Links, an eighteen-hole course, have recently been greatly extended and improved, and are of the most varied and sporting description, abounding in hazards in the shape of sand bunkers, burns, ravines, ditches, and dykes. The view from the links embraces part of the Atlantic, and ranges from Corsal Point to Arran, including Ailsa Craig, Ireland, and Kintyre. The golf house, which contains boxes for members, is within a quarter of a mile of the village, where there is an excellent hotel, from which, morning and evening, 'buses run in connection with the trains from Pinwherry Station, about eight and a half miles distant.

The best months for golfers are April, May, June, and September; as the links are not so crowded as in July and August, and hotel and other accommodation is not so difficult to secure. There is good bathing ground to be had, also lawn tennis, and there are numerous walks, drives, and places of interest in the neighbourhood.

BALLATER.

BALLATER GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1893.

The course of nine holes is situated on the Muir, near Ballater, and extends along the banks of the Dee. It is rather rough and stony, but will no doubt improve in time. Lochnagar is in close proximity, and several of the minor peaks of the Grampians overlook the course.

BALLYCASTLE.

BALLYCASTLE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MAY 8TH, 1891.

Entrance Fee, Ten Shillings; *Annual Subscription*, Ten Shillings. *Number of Members*, 50. *Captain*—H. McGildowney. *Committee*—M. Smith, J. B. Johnstone, Lieut. Cutfield, R.N., H. C. Kirkpatrick, T. Greer, G. Woodside, H. Callwell. *Hon. Secretary*—Commander A. M. Causton, R.N., Ballycastle, co. Antrim. *Greenkeeper*—J. Quig.

Club Prizes.—Ballycastle Challenge Cup; and Open Stroke Competition in August.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Ballycastle Cup: A. Steuart. Open competition: Commander Causton, 76 (net).

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition 83, by D. Christie, on 8th August, 1892.

Record for Green 38, by G. Combe, on 5th September, 1894.

The par of the round is 31.

The links are small, and situated on a warren bordering the bay, half a mile from Ballycastle Railway Station, where cars can be obtained. The Marine Hotel, on quay, is five minutes' walk from the links, and gives good accommodation to golfers, who, when staying in that house, are allowed free use of club ground. Other visitors pay 2*s.* weekly, and 5*s.* monthly.

BANBURY.

BODICOTE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MARCH 14TH, 1894.

Entrance Fee, 3*l.* 3*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 31. *Committee*—A. B. Field, D.

Pellatt, W. Barton, A. Maxwell. *Hon. Secretary and Treasurer*—C. F. Edmunds, The Limes, Bodicote, Banbury. *Green*—Bodicote. *Greenkeeper*—J. Green.

Club Prizes.—Monthly Medals and prizes presented by members. The course is about two miles by road, and half a mile less by the path across the fields, from Banbury Station (L. & N.W. and G.W. Railways). There is a small clubhouse. There are two good hotels in Banbury. Visitors may play free of charge for three days, but after that a fee of 5*s.* a week will be charged, except in the case of a friend staying with a member, when the fee will be 2*s.* 6*d.*

BANDON.

BANDON GOLF CLUB.

The course is situated in the Castle Bernard demesne, Co. Cork.

BANFF.

BANFF GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MAY 5TH, 1871.

Annual Subscription, Five Shillings. *Number of Members*, 130. *President*—Sheriff Grant. *Captain*—R. G. Shirreffs. *Hon. Secretary*—D. Baxter, Agent, Town and County Bank, Ltd., Banff.

The links, which are rather short and narrow, have the sea on one side and the railway on the other, and consist of nine holes. They are about half a mile from the Harbour Station.

BANGALORE.

BANGALORE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1878.

No details forthcoming.

BARHAM DOWNS.

BARHAM DOWNS GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MAY, 1890.

Annual Subscription, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Family Tickets*, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Number of Members*, 114. *President*—Marquis Conyngham. *Captain*—Capt. Tattersall. *Hon. Treasurer*—R. Ramsay. *Committee*—M. Bell, Rev. T. Hirst, W. A. Lochie, Col. Parker, Canon Routledge, R. H. J. Berrow, Oscar de Satgé. *Hon. Secretary*—F. W. Morris, Oswalds, Bishopsbourne, Canterbury. *Greenkeeper*—J. Holbrook.

Club Prizes.—Bogey Competition in spring; Tournament for prizes presented by members in summer.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Bogey Competition: Col. Parker, 3 down. Tournament Prizes: Capt. W. H. Eccles and Miss B. Berrow.

Lowest Scratch Scores in Club Competitions: (1) Gentlemen, 78, by Capt. G. L. Austin, on 25th October, 1894; (2) Ladies, 81, by Miss E. Ramsay, on 25th January, 1894.

Green Records: (1) Gentlemen, 34, by Capt. G. L. Austin, on 10th June, 1894; (2) Ladies, 37, by Miss E. Ramsay, on 10th July, 1894.

The course is situated about half a mile from Bishopsbourne Station, on the Elham Valley line of the South-Eastern Railway, which is five miles from Canterbury. There is a clubhouse, and the lady members have a separate course to themselves.

BAR HARBOUR (U.S.A.).

MOUNT KEBO GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1894.

The course is situated in the St. Kebo Valley, Maine.

BARMOUTH.

MERIONETHSHIRE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED APRIL 1892.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 60 Gentlemen and 15 Ladies. *President* — A. O. Williams. *Vice-President* — J. L. Taylor. *Captain*—W. J. Kerr. *Treasurer*—R. Jones, *Committee* — Captain Bailey, Captain Corder, W. N. Griffith, C. E. J. Owen, R. P. Owen, E. O. Partridge, J. R. S. Furlong, H. J. Wright. *Hon. Secretary*—Major T. W. Best, Lingfield, Barmouth. *Greenkeeper*—M. Elder.

Club Prizes.—Competitions on first Wednesday of each month; Tournament in August; Visitors' Cup on 7th August.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Leigh Taylor Challenge Cup: E. L. Carver, 88. Visitors' Cup: H. W. Wild, 91. Dendrath Cup: W. J. Kerr, 87, which is the lowest score in a club competition.

The Green Record is 42.

The links are very prettily situated on the south side of the estuary, opposite Barmouth, from which the clubhouse can be reached by boat in a quarter of an hour. They at present consist of nine holes, easily capable of being extended to the orthodox eighteen. The turf is good and the hazards natural. Visitors' tickets: Gentlemen five shillings a week, ladies two shillings and sixpence a week, with full privileges of the club. Tickets to be obtained at the Corsygedol Hotel, Barmouth, or from Major Best. There are numerous other hotels and lodging houses in Barmouth.

BARNSLEY.

BARNSLEY GOLF CLUB.

No details.

BARRAKPORE.

BARRAKPORE GOLF CLUB.

No particulars forthcoming.

BARROW-IN-FURNESS.

FURNESS GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1874.

The course, of nine holes, is situated on the west side of Walney Island, about two miles and a half from Barrow, and is somewhat inaccessible. Once there, however, the splendid view will repay the visitor for any trouble he may have been put to. There is no conveyance other than hired traps.

BARTON-UNDER-NEEDWOOD.

BARTON-UNDER-NEEDWOOD GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MARCH 1ST, 1892.

The course is a nine-hole one, the hazards being roads, a swamp, sand pit, fences, ditches, &c. The total length is 2300 yards, and the par is 38. Barton and Walton Station (Midland Railway) is one mile from the green.

BASFORD (STAFFS.).

BASFORD GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED OCTOBER, 1893.

Annual Subscription, 1*l.* 1*s.*; Ladies, Ten Shillings and Sixpence. *Number of Members*, 40; limit, 50. *President*—C. E. Challinor. *Hon. Treasurer*—J. A. Edwards. *Committee*—J. Bull, A. English, J. G. Knight, J. P. Massingham. *Hon. Secretary*—Rev. P. W. Williams.

A Sweepstake is played for on the first Saturday in each month.

The course is situated in Basford Park, kindly lent for the purpose, and consists of nine holes, the circuit being just over a mile in length. The hazards are chiefly trees, hurdles, and rough grass.

BATH.

BATH GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED FEBRUARY 28TH, 1880, as the Kingsdown Golf Club; altered on March 30th, 1883, to Bath and Kingsdown Golf Club; and altered again on February 25th, 1890, to its present name.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* *Number of Members*, about 100. *President*—C. W. McKillop. *Treasurer*—Major R. Anderson. *Committee*—W. S. Brymer, Capt. C. R. Crawford, A. H. C. Treadgold, Surgeon-Gen. G. G. Maitland. Rev. B. N. Thompson. *Hon. Secretary*—Col. M. P. Ricketts, Shelburne, Lansdown, Bath. *Green*—Hampton Down.

Club Prizes.—Gold Medal (scratch, open), at Spring Meeting; Gold Medal (scratch), at November Meeting; Silver Tankard (handicap), at Spring and November Meetings; McKillop Medal (handicap) and St. Andrew's Cross (handicap), monthly.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Gold Medal (open): W. Fairbanks, 88; Captain's Medal: H. J. Dakers, 96. Challenge Tankard: H. J. Dakers, 92 – 7 = 85.

The scratch score of 86, made by Capt. Corse Scott, in April, 1890, is still the lowest over the old course of nine holes, but the course has recently been altered from nine to eighteen holes, and the old nine holes have been slightly changed, so that a new record has yet to be established. A professional has now been appointed. The course is situated on high ground, close to the town. The hazards are a deep quarry, thorn bushes, rough ground, and declivities. The course is about a mile from the Great Western Railway Station and a mile and a quarter from the Midland Railway Station, and in both cases a steep hill of about half a mile has to be climbed before the course is reached. Cabs are procurable at both, and there are plenty of good hotels, &c., in the town.

BATH LADIES' GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED APRIL, 1888.

Entrance Fee, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, Seven shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, 60. *President*—C. McKillop. *Captain*—Miss Anderson. *Committee*—Mrs. Thring, Miss Cunningham, Miss Fitzroy, Miss E. Marshall, and Col. Ricketts. *Hon. Secretary*—Mrs. G. Baker, 8, George-street, Bathwick, Bath.

Club Prizes.—Captain's Brooch (scratch) at spring meeting in April; Henderson Medal (handicap), and Wood Challenge Star (scratch), on first Wednesday in each month.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Captain's Brooch: Miss Anderson. Members' Prize: Miss Fitzroy. Scratch Prize (gentlemen), open: Mr. Gillandors (Stinchcombe Hill G.C.) Members: W. Orr-Ewing. Handicap Prize (ladies): Mrs. Thring. Visitors' Prize (handicap): Miss E. Morrice (Crookham G.C). Gentlemen's (handicap): E. Digby. Mixed Foursomes: Miss Johnston and Mr. Gonlay.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition 70, by Lady Margaret Scott, on May 3rd, 1893.

The new course is much more sporting than the old one. It is situated at the top of a hill about a mile and a half from the Great Western Station.

LANSDOWN GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED DECEMBER 17TH, 1894.

Annual Subscription, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, about 30. *Committee*—Rev. C. W. Shields, T. F. Inman, W. H. Henderson, H. E. Rogers, Captain Burmester, H. B. Sheldon. *Hon. Secretary*—G. W. Forbes, Upton House, Bilton, Bristol. *Greenkeeper*—G. Jones.

The course, which at present consists of nine holes, is situated at North Stoke, near Lansdown, Bath, about 700 feet above sea level. It was laid out by Tom Dunn, the Bournemouth professional, and will with play become a fair course.

BATHGATE.

BATHGATE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MAY, 1892.

Entrance Fee, Two Shillings and Sixpence; *Annual Subscription*, Twelve Shillings and Sixpence; Ladies, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, 80. *President*—J. Macnab. *Vice-President*—Dr. Kirk. *Committee*—W. Allan, A. Dougal, L. Gilbertson, H. S. Kirsopp, A. J. Grieve, D. Reid, and Dr. Tennant. *Hon. Secretary*—Rev. J. Lindsay, United Presbyterian Manse, Bathgate. *Green*—Meikle Inch. *Greenkeeper*—J. Shields.

Club Prizes.—Club Medal (scratch) in April and September; and Monthly Medals for ladies and gentlemen.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Club Medal: April, G. Crawford, 92; September, J. Grieve, 83.

The Green Record is 36, by D. Reid, in June, 1894.

The course of nine holes adjoins the railway station. During the last year a considerable sum of money was expended on its improvement, and the putting greens have been brought into fine condition. There are cheap railway fares from Edinburgh on Saturdays, which are largely taken advantage of by players.

BEAULY.

BEAULY GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1893.

The course of nine holes is situated on the Muir of Ord.

BEDFORD.

BEDFORD GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1891.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 10*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.*; *Number of Members*, 150 (playing). *Captain*—Guy Pym. *Committee*—Col. Grant, Major-Gen. Layard, Col. D. Broughton, Dr. A. C. Hartley, Rev. G. F. Apthorp, J. H. B. Thomson, E. H. Dasent. *Hon. Secretary*—H. E. Tredcroft, Shakespeare House, Bedford.

Club Prizes.—Monthly Medal (handicap), winners play off in spring; Captain's Prize for best net aggregate of four medal scores. J. H. B. Thomson won the medal last year.

The course is a nine-hole one about a mile and a quarter round, and is situated about a mile from the Midland Railway Station.

BELFAST.

ROYAL BELFAST GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1881.

Entrance Fee, 5*l.* 5*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 2*l.* 2*s.* (resident), 1*l.* 1*s.* (non-resident); *Number of Members*, 240 resident, 100 non-resident. *Patron*—H.R.H. the Prince of Wales. *President*—Capt. John Harrison. *Vice-President*—Capt. J. M. McCalmont, M.P. *Captain*—H. Herdman. *Council*—J. Henderson, P. H. Charley, H. Gregg, J. McGee, R. Young, R. B. Walkington, G. M. Shaw, W. E. Williames, S. Wilson, sen., J. Woodside, H. Agnew, A. T. Herdman. *Hon. Secretary*—F. M. Harris, Clubhouse, Carnalea, Crawfordsburn, Co. Down. *Hon. Treasurer*—C. H. Bowen. *Greenkeeper and Professional*—A. G. Day.

Club Prizes.—Challenge Prize (scratch), at Spring Meeting; Lowry-Corry Medal (handicap), at Autumn Meeting; Iota Cup (by holes under handicap), half-yearly; and Monthly Handicap Competitions, first and second in each playing off at Spring Meeting for yearly Club Prize. Prizes are also given by the club for competition at the Spring and Autumn Meetings under handicap.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Challenge Prize (scratch): J. Woodside. Lowry-Corry Medal: C. H. Bowen. Iota Cup: Spring, H. Agnew; Autumn, G. M. Shaw. Yearly Club Prize: S. Wilson, sen. Special Summer Prize presented by Major R. G. Sharman Crawford, D.L. (holes under handicap): A. N. Charley.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition 85, by J. Woodside, on 29th September, 1894.

The Record for Green is 37, by A. Day, the club professional.

The "Royal Belfast" (the premier Irish Golf Club) originally had their links at Holywood, Co. Down, where golf was first regularly played in Ireland, but owing to the occupation of the ground there by the military as a rifle range, &c., removed to the present situation in 1892. The course at Carnalea is only a nine-hole one, but is on the whole very sporting. There is a comfortable and ornamental clubhouse for the members, beautifully situated on the links immediately overlooking the sea, and close to Carnalea Station, about twelve miles from Belfast, on the Belfast and Co. Down Railway (Bangor Branch). There are frequent trains from and to Belfast (Queen's Quay Terminus), and a footway from the station directly on to the ground.

There is a bathing place, available at all times of the tide, just below the clubhouse. Visitors are allowed the use of clubhouse and green upon introduction by members, and payment of 5*s.* per week should the period exceed two days.

ROYAL BELFAST LADIES' GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1888.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 11*s.* 6*d.*; *Annual Subscription*, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, 75. *Captain* Mrs. G. S. Clark. *Hon. Treasurer*—Miss Garratt. *Committee*—Mrs. McCalmont, Mrs. G. M. Shaw, Mrs. Taylor, Miss Coates, Mrs. Young, Miss Knox, Mrs. Lepper, Mrs. Roper. *Hon. Secretary*—Miss C. E. McGee, Woodville, Holywood, Co. Down. *Greenkeeper*—A. G. Day.

Club Prizes.—Carriage Clock (scratch) (to be won thrice), on third Monday in April and October; Clark Cup (handicap by holes), in March and October; Ladies' foursomes in November; and Monthly Medal.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Medal Prize: Miss Garratt. Scratch Prize: April, Miss MacLaine; October, Miss Mulligan. Clark Cup: March, Miss Hamilton; October, Miss A. Garratt. Foursomes: Miss L. Garratt and Miss Gregg.

Lowest Scratch Score in Club Competition, 49 for 9 holes, by Miss MacLaine.

The Ladies' clubhouse is one minute's walk from Carnalea Station.

BELMONT GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1892.

Hon. Secretary—M. H. Turnbull.

The course of nine holes is situated about five minutes' walk from Tillysburn Station (Belfast and Co. Down Railway), in a pretty park

known as Garnerville. It is an undulating course, and the hazards are two artificial bunkers, and also trees. A new clubhouse has just been erected.

BELMONT LADIES' GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1892.

Entrance Fee, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Annual Subscription*, Ten Shillings and Sixpence. *Number of Members*, 47. *Committee*—Mrs. McMullen, Mrs. Playfair, Miss G. Lowry, Miss Ross, Miss C. Taylor, Miss McAfee. *Hon. Secretary*—Miss G. Shaw, Pine Lodge, Strandtown, Belfast.

Club Prizes.—Mitchell Gold Medal (handicap), monthly; and a prize presented by Mrs. McMullen.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Miss G. Shaw, Miss A. Ross; foursomes, Miss Shaw and Mr. Pollock, Miss L. McMullan and Mr. McMullan.

Record for Green 48, by Miss G. Shaw, in April, 1894.

FORT WILLIAM GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED NOVEMBER 14TH, 1891.

Annual Subscription, Gentlemen, Ten Shillings; Ladies, Five Shillings. *Captain*—E. Platt-Higgins. *Committee*—B. W. D. Montgomery, J. S. Reade, G. S. Clark, J. L. McFerran, R. Bell, J. Bell. *Hon. Secretary*—J. C. E. McFerran. *Hon. Treasurer*—J. T. Reade.

The club consists of nearly one hundred members, and the course is situated about three miles from Belfast. It consists of nine holes, the first being a full iron shot, in which a road and two hedges must be carried. The second, fourth, fifth, sixth, eighth, and ninth are long holes, and the third and seventh medium, the latter being a drive across a road with a fence on each side. Driving to the last hole, a pond lies directly in the line, and requires a long ball to carry it. The hazards, however, are for the most part hedges, and the green is a fair inland one.

ORMEAU GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED DECEMBER, 1892.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 160. *Captain*—J. F. Reade. *Vice-Captain*—W. Jackson, *Hon. Secretary*—J. Hunter, Ormeau Golf Club, Belfast.

Club Prizes.—Monthly Medal (handicap) on second Saturday and Captain's Prize (handicap) on fourth Saturday of each month.

The course is a nine-hole one of about a mile and a quarter in length. The hazards are whins, streams, trees, and hedges. The course lies

on the outskirts of the Ormeau Park, and is about one and a half miles from the centre of city. *Visitors' tickets*, 1*s.* per day; 2*s.* 6*d.* per week. There is a clubhouse on the ground.

BENBECULA.

BENBECULA GOLF CLUB.

The course is a fair one of nine holes. Benbecula is reached by steamer from Stromo Ferry.

BENTLEY GREEN.

BENTLEY GREEN GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED NOVEMBER 12TH, 1891.

Entrance Fee, Gentlemen, 1*l.* 1*s.*, Ladies, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Annual Subscription*, Gentlemen, 1*l.* 1*s.*, Ladies, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, Gentlemen, 83 (limited to 100), Ladies, 25 (the limit). *Captain* — Lieut.-Col. W. R. Houison-Craufurd. *Hon. Treasurer*—Captain L. P. Ditmas. *Committee*—R. W. Caldwell, Lieut.-Col. R. S. Green, Lieut.-Col. W. T. McLeod, Col. W. Merriman, H. H. Morgan-Brown, Lieut.-Col. F. S. Openshaw. *Hon. Secretary*—C. H. Morton, Fairlight Tower, Colchester. *Greenkeeper*—T. Fernie (St. Andrews).

Prize Winners in 1894.—Monthly Trophy: Capt. Hon. H. W. Mansfield, 89 − 11 = 78. Captain's Prize (match play, handicap): E. H. E. Morgan. Bogey Competition: Class A, Lieut.-Col. W. T. McLeod; Class B, Capt. L. P. Ditmas. Mixed Foursomes (handicap): C. H. Morton and Mrs. W. R. Houison-Craufurd. Mansfield Prize (foursomes handicap): Lieut.-Col. W. R. Houison-Craufurd and J. C. Peache.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 86, by Capt. J. Leslie-Smith, on 26th October, 1893.

Records for Green.—(1) Professional, 36, by Philip Wynne (North Berwick), in March, 1894; (2) Amateur, 38, by R. J. F. Taylor, in March, 1894.

Bentley Green lies in the centre of the picturesque old village of Great Bentley, which is situated eight miles to the south-east of Colchester, and about three miles due north of the fishing and yachting village of Brightlingsea, at the mouth of the river Colne. It extends over an area of about fifty acres, and boasts of being one of the finest and few remaining old village greens. In every way it is admirably adapted for golf. The course, which consists of nine

holes, is a little over a mile and a half round. It is decidedly sporting, straight driving and accurate approaching being most essential. The hazards, which are numerous, consist mainly of a burn, which is crossed three times, ponds, ditches, roads, and private inclosures; the turf is excellent, and the putting greens are in excellent condition. The clubhouse is conveniently situated on the green, close to the first teeing ground and within two minutes' walk of Great Bentley Station on the Tendring Hundred Branch of the G.E.R. Great Bentley is within twenty-five minutes' railway journey of Colchester.

BERKHAMSTED.

BERKHAMSTED GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED DECEMBER 1ST, 1890.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 60. *Vice-President*—J. R. Thursfield. *Committee*—A. Butcher, F. Butcher, jun., E. J. Pearson, J. Inglis, S. A. Bonton, C. B. L. Tylecote, G. F. MacCorquodale, Rev. T. C. Fry, E. Mawley. *Hon. Secretary and Treasurer*—G. H. Gowring, Overton House, Berkhamsted.

Club Prizes.—Club Medal (scratch); Monthly Medal (handicap); and other prizes, quarterly.

Prize Winners in 1894.—A. Duchesne, G. H. Gowring, E. Mawley.

The Green Record is 76, by P. Wynne (North Berwick), in November, 1894.

The course consists of eighteen holes, and the first tee is within a stone's throw of Berkhamsted Station (L. & N. W. R.). The turf is excellent and the putting greens are good, but through the green the lies are sometimes bad. The course is, however, yearly improving in this respect. There is fair accommodation for visitors in the town and close to the station.

BERMUDA.

ROYAL NAVAL GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1894.

Captain—Dr. T. Brown, R.N. *Hon. Secretary*—Mr. Simmons.

The course of seven holes is laid out on a piece of rough ground at Inland Island, and stretches from the back of the R.N. Clubhouse in the direction of the Signal Station. The subsoil being coral, considerable difficulty is experienced in cutting the holes, and the hole-cutter in consequence has to be made like a saw.

BERWICK-ON-TWEED.

BERWICK-ON-TWEED GOLF CLUB, RE-CONSTITUTED 1894.

Entrance Fee, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Annual Subscription*, Fifteen Shillings. *Presidents*—Sir W. Crossman and H. Himsworth. *Vice-Presidents*—L. M. Crossman and J. Blyth. *Captain*—W. L. Miller. *Hon. Treasurer*—R. R. Riddell. *Hon. Secretary*—Alex. Darling, Governor's House, Berwick-on-Tweed. *Committee*—Major Claughton, Rev. J. Kean, Dr. Fraser, Dr. Mackay, W. Young, and J. Cameron.

Further details and a description of the golf course will be found in the special article, pages 89-90.

BEVERLEY.

BEVERLEY AND EAST RIDING GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED OCTOBER, 1889.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 120. *President*—The Earl of Londesborough. *Vice-Presidents*—Col. Hodgson, E. C. Twiss, and J. Stephenson. *Captain*—R. S. Stevelly. *Vice-Captain*—Dr. Macleod. *Treasurer*—Capt. Duncombe. *Committee*—G. Ford, R. Hodgson, jun., F. F. Lambert, A. B. Reckitt, R. R. Stephenson. *Hon. Secretary*—G. A. Robinson, Beverley. *Deputy Hon. Secretary* for Hull—C. O. F. Sauer, High-street, Hull. *Green*—Westwood, Beverley. *Professional*—W. Hazelhurst.

Club Prizes.—Fraser Medal (scratch), twice a year; Club Monthly Badge (handicap); Junior Monthly Badge (handicap over 18); Robinson Cup, best aggregate (under handicap) of scores for six club competitions and special one for this cup; Beverley and East Riding Challenge Cup, to be competed for annually at Beverley by teams from any recognised golf club; Captain's Prizes (scratch), in the three classes; Sweepstake competitions each Wednesday and Saturday.

Prize Winners in 1893-4.—Fraser Medal: March, Capt. Whittle, 92; October, Capt. Whittle, 91; Monthly Badge: January, Mr. MacIlwaine, 110−18=92; February, Capt. Whittle, 87−11=76; March, Col. Hallowes, 96−14=82; April, Capt. Whittle, 87−7=80, and C. A. Hugill, 98−18=80, tied; August, Mr. Unett, 103−12=91; September, Col. Hallowes, 96−14=82; October, Dr. Gregory,

98—14=84. Junior Monthly Badge: January, R. Hodgson, jun., 118—20=98, and Dr. Gregory, 121—23=98, tied; February, Col. Dibb, 122—40=82; March, Col. Dibb, 117—40=77; April, W. W. Boulton, jun., 114—30=84; August, Capt. Windham, 122—30 =92, and R. S. Stevelly, 115—23=92, tied; September, C. N. Jackson, 131—24=107; October, Rev. H. N. Paterson, 126—30=96. Beverley and East Riding Challenge Cup: Beverley Club.

The course is situated about a mile from Beverley Station. There is a comfortable clubhouse, at which lunch can always be had, and visitors may use this on introduction by a member. The charge for caddies is sixpence per round. During last year the course was extended to eighteen holes, and new teeing grounds made.

BEVERLEY AND EAST RIDING LADIES' GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED OCTOBER 1ST, 1890.

Entrance Fee, Five Shillings; *Annual Subscription*, Twelve Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, 40. *President*—The Countess of Londesborough. *Vice-Presidents*—Mrs. Burton, Mrs. Crust, Mrs. R. Hill, Mrs. R. Hodgson. *Captain*—Mrs. G. Thompson. *Committee*—Mrs. G. Sanderson, Mrs. A. Robinson, Mrs. J. Stephenson, Mrs. B. Burton. *Hon. Secretary*—Dr. M. D. Macleod, Beverley.

Club Prizes.—Ladies' Badge (scratch) in April and October; Monthly Badge (handicap) on last Wednesday of each month.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Ladies' Badge: April, Miss M. G. Thompson, 85; October, Mrs. Maunsell, 97; Monthly Badge: January, Miss L. Thompson, 108—26=82; March, Miss O. Stephenson, 107—30=77; April, Miss Boulton, 104—20=84, and Miss S. G. Stephenson, 89—5 =84, a tie; September, Miss O. Stephenson, 107—25=82; October, Miss S. G. Stephenson, 105—5=100; November, Miss O. Stephenson, 117—25=92; December, Miss S. G. Stephenson, 94—5=89.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 82, by Miss B. M. Thompson.

Records for Green.—(1) Professional, 32, by W. Hazelhurst; (2) Amateur, 38, by Mrs. Maunsell and Miss M. G. Thompson.

The course of nine holes is about a mile and a quarter from Beverley Station.

BEXHILL.

BEXHILL GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED DECEMBER 1ST, 1890.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 140. *President*—Earl de la Warr. *Vice-Presidents*—Lord Cantelupe and Dr. Wallis. *Captain*

—F. H. Gray. *Treasurer*—F. Williams. *Committee*—F. W. Pawson, H. R. Brooke, W. R. Prance, D. H. Benwell, H. Le M. Dunn, W. G. Macgregor, H. S. Colt, J. H. Escolme, H. A. McDougall, A. Murdoch. *Hon. Secretary*—W. C. Beeching, Bexhill. *Greenkeeper*—G. Britt.

Club Prizes.—Duc de Litta's Cup (handicap), in March and September, won on both occasions last year by A. McGregor; and Monthly Medal (handicap)—final in March or April.

The course of nine holes is laid out on the eastern portion of the grass land adjoining the Esplanade, and a large part of the slope known as Galley Hill. Bexhill Station is within ten minutes' walk, and can be reached from Victoria or London Bridge Stations in a little under two hours by the London, Brighton, and South Coast Railway. The Sackville Hotel is three minutes' walk from the green.

BEXHILL LADIES' GOLF CLUB.

Captain—Miss Scrivens.

The ladies use the same green as the gentlemen, and pay a similar entrance fee and subscription.

A medal is played for monthly—final in March or April.

BIARRITZ.

BIARRITZ GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MARCH, 1888.

The course of eighteen holes abounds with hazards of every description, a large chasm by the sea being the principal feature. The circuit is a little over two miles and a half. There is a flourishing Ladies' Club, with an excellent green of their own, and they have a set of rooms to themselves in the clubhouse, a handsome stone villa standing in the centre of the course. The green is barely a mile from the centre of Biarritz, and several hotels are about ten minutes' walk from the clubhouse.

BIGGLESWADE.

NORTH BEDFORDSHIRE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1891.

The course of nine holes is situated between Sandy and Biggleswade.

BILLINGBORO.

SEMPRINGHAM ABBEY GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JANUARY, 1894.

Entrance Fee, Ten Shillings; *Annual Subscription*, Ten Shillings. *Number of Members*, 72 (Ladies and

Gentlemen). *President*—Sir Geo. Whichcote, Bart. *Vice-President*—Rev. W. M. Thomas. *Committee*—Rev. W. Layng, Capt. Gleed, T. Casswell, B. Smith, Capt. E. Smith, B. Casswell. *Hon. Secretary*—Lieut.-Col. de Burton, Buckminster Hall, Billingboro', Lincolnshire.

The Record for the Green is 42, by C. P. Wilson.

Billingboro' Station (G.N. Railway) is half a mile from the course, and the Fortescue Hotel is a similar distance away.

The course of nine holes is about two and a quarter miles round, over undulating fields of about sixty acres each, surrounding the site of Sempringham Abbey destroyed by Oliver Cromwell. The grass is short, the soil exceedingly dry, and the hazards all natural.

BIRKDALE.

BIRKDALE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JULY 30TH, 1889.

Entrance Fee, 3*l.* 3*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.* *Number of Members*, 111, and 55 ladies. *President*—C. J. Weld-Blundell. *Vice-Presidents*—D. Johnson, J. C. Barrett. *Captain*—W. Bowker. *Hon. Treasurer*—C. A. Colman. *Committee*—J. F. Anderson, F. Baker, F. W. H. Campbell, W. H. Hayes, G. Kilvert, A. F. Mayall, G. F. Pearson. *Hon. Secretary*—W. W. P. Shatwell, 4, Westbourne-road, Birkdale. *Greenkeeper*—J. Barrett.

Club Prizes.—Captain's Prize (handicap) in February, March, April, and May, final on June 8th; Monthly Medals (handicap) on first Saturday in each month, finals in September; Thompson Prize (handicap), on November 17th; Campbell Prize (handicap), second class, final by holes; Bogey Competitions, quarterly; Members' Prize (handicap), for eight best medal scores; Atkinson Prize (handicap), on May 18th; Foursomes Tournament (handicap). Ladies' Prizes: Captain's Prize (handicap), in February, March, April, and May, final by holes; Monthly Medal (handicap) on first Tuesday in each month; Bogey Competitions, quarterly.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Monthly Medals: First class, D. S. Crowther; second class, W. D. S. Crowther. Kilvert Prize: F. Pearson, 93 (net). Hayes Prize: J. F. Conolly, 87 (net). Drewett Prize: G. D. S. Crowther. Captain's Cup: W. H. Hayes, 95 (net). Easter Tournament: G. D. S. Crowther.

The Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition is 72, by H. H. Hilton, on November 12th, 1892.

Birkdale is situated on the Lancashire coast, about twenty miles from Liverpool, and adjoins Southport, the well-known watering-place. The links are within a quarter of an hour's walk from the Lancashire and Yorkshire (Birkdale) Station. The tramway from

Southport also runs close to them. The club-room is at the Portland Hotel, on the links, and is an exceedingly comfortable and commodious one. The course consists of nine holes, of a thoroughly sporting character, and has recently been considerably improved and two new greens laid. The putting greens are now in good order. Visitors may be introduced for a week free, but are afterwards charged five shillings per week. There is a separate course of six holes for the ladies.

BIRKENSHAW.

BIRKENSHAW AND DISTRICT GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MARCH 8TH, 1893.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, Gentlemen, 1*l.* 1*s.*; Ladies, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; Resident Children of Members up to 17 years of age, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; School Children of Members, Five Shillings. *Number of Members*, 51. *President* — W. Ackroyd. *Captain*—A. Ackroyd. *Hon. Treasurer*—T. P. Oddy. *Committee*—T. H. Ackroyd, C. P. Anderton, R. Cooke, W. M. Crowther, F. B. Ellison, Rev. F. B. Foster, W. Hemingway, J. P. Humble, G. E. H. Maggs, G. E. Oddy, F. Swallow. *Hon. Secretary*—H. C. Croft, The Mansion House, Birkenshaw. *Greenkeeper*—R. Holt.

Club Prizes.—Captain's Prize (handicap); President's Medal (handicap); Monthly Medal (handicap).

As the old green proved anything but a suitable course, new ground has been acquired in Birkenshaw and Hunsworth, on which a nine-hole round has been laid out, the circuit extending to 2620. The lengths of the holes are as follows: 350, 180, 300, 380, 370, 220, 320, 200, 300 yards, and the par score may be placed at 35.

The course is situated about three-quarters of a mile from Birkenshaw Station (G.N. Railway), and Cleckheaton Station is within twenty minutes' drive.

BIRNAM.

BIRNAM GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1892.

The course of nine holes is situated close to the base of Birnam Hill, and is surrounded by some of the loveliest mountain scenery in Perthshire.

BLACKPOOL.

BLACKPOOL GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED FEBRUARY 20TH, 1894.

Entrance Fee, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.* *Number of Members*, 240 Gentlemen, and 50 Ladies (limit).

Captain—W. H. Hampson. *Treasurer*—W. C. Thompson. *Council*—A. E. Ascroft, A. H. Doleman, W. Evans, C. W. Fisher, W. J. Read, J. Bradbury. *Hon. Secretary*—H. Haworth, 20, Church-street, South Shore, Lancashire. *Greenkeeper*—J. Gardener.

The South Shore Station is within three minutes' walk of the course, which the tramways from Blackpool pass. There is a club-house without sleeping accommodation.

BLACKWELL.

BLACKWELL GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1893.

No particulars forthcoming.

BLAIRGOWRIE.

BLAIRGOWRIE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED FEBRUARY 26TH, 1889.

Entrance Fee, Ten Shillings; *Annual Subscription*, Ten Shillings; *Number of Members*, 125 Senior, 24 Junior, and 47 Ladies. *Captain*—Sir A. M. Mackenzie, Bart. *Committee*—Gen. Clerk-Rattray, Rev. R. Kemp, Dr. G. G. McLaren, S. Honeyman, A. Proctor, J. Brown, J. D. Sharp. *Hon. Secretary and Treasurer*—J. Henry-Anderson, S.S.C., 1, Leslie-street, Blairgowrie.

Club Prizes.—Keithbank Vase (handicap by holes), in April; Delvine Medal (scratch) and Lansdowne Cup (handicap), in May; Chalmers Medal (handicap), youths under 18, in August; Ladies' Cup (handicap by holes), in September; Henry-Anderson Medal (scratch) and Delvine Silver Cross (handicap), in October; Lethendy Gold Medal; and Monthly Cup (handicap).

The club green, known as the "Lansdowne Course," is picturesquely situated amongst pine woods, on the shore of the Blacklock, about a mile from Blairgowrie, and is one of the prettiest greens in Scotland. There are nine holes, varying in length from 431 to 132 yards, the circuit being 2568 yards, and the whole course is in capital order, and greatly improved since last year by the addition of hazards. It is easily accessible both by road and rail, and in the town of Blairgowrie ample accommodation for visitors will be found. Rosemount Railway Station is within half a mile of the course.

BODMIN.

ROYAL CORNWALL GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JANUARY, 1889.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* *Number of Members*, 60. *Patron*—H.R.H. the Prince of Wales. *President*—Lord Robartes. *Captain*—M. Sandys. *Committee*—Col. Rashleigh, F. J. Hext, B. F. Edyvean, Brigade-Surgeon Elliot, Capt. Johnstone, R.N. *Hon. Secretary*—H. Young-Jamieson, St. Petrock's, Bodmin. *Hon. Treasurer*—C. H. Hext, Capital and Counties Bank, Bodmin. *Greenkeeper*—W. Ough.

Club Prizes.—Hon. Members' Challenge Cup, and President's Gold Medal (handicap), on August 30th; Monthly Medal (handicap).

Prize Winners in 1894.—Challenge Cup, B. F. Edyvean, 92. President's Gold Medal: W. L. Fox, 108–26=82.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 85, by E. M. Bannerman, on October 13th, 1893.

The course consists of nine holes with room enough for several courses of eighteen holes. It is situated on the old Bodmin Race Course, two miles from Bodmin Stations (G.W.R. and S.W.R.). The Royal Hotel and the Town Arms provide every convenience for visitors, and carriages are to be hired at either hotel for conveyance to the green.

ROYAL CORNWALL LADIES' GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MARCH, 1889.

Annual Subscription, Ten Shillings. *Number of Members*, 79. *President*—Lady Robartes. *Captain*—Mrs. Young-Jamieson. *Committee*—Mrs. Every, Mrs. C. H. Hext, Mrs. Salmon, Mrs. Page. *Hon. Secretary*—H. Young-Jamieson, St. Petrock's, Bodmin. *Greenkeeper*—W. Ough.

Club Prizes.—President's Gold Medal (scratch) and Club Challenge Bowl (handicap), on August 27th; Monthly Medal (handicap).

Prize Winners in 1894.—President's Gold Medal: Mrs. C. Hext, 91. Challenge Bowl: Miss Fenwick, 96–15=81.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 81, by Miss Page, on October 3rd, 1895.

The Green Record is 39, by Miss A. Barnett.

The course is a nine-hole one about a mile in circuit.

BOGNOR.

BOGNOR GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JANUARY 1ST, 1892.

Entrance Fee (Ladies and Gentlemen), 1*l.* 1*s*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; Visitors, 1*s.* a day, 3*s.* a week, 10*s.* a month. *Number of Members*, 70. *President*—W. H. B. Fletcher. *Captain and Treasurer*—W. C. Blaker. *Committee*—W. L. Barrett, Dr. C. Cooke, D. A. Edgell, G. Gatehouse, Col. Hon. A. N. Hood, Col. Hassell, Capt. R. H. Stewart, R.N. *Hon. Secretary*—W. Vickers-Jacob, Mordington, Bognor. *Greenkeeper and Professional*—E. Gray.

Club Prizes.—Two Monthly Prizes for both ladies and gentlemen, and other prizes.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Monthly Prizes: Mrs. D. A. Edgell, Miss Gatehouse, Capt. Stewart, R.N., D. A. Edgell. Conway Cooke Prize (medal play): Miss Campbell. Hambrough Prize (Bogey): W. Vickers-Jacob. Schreiber Prizes (Mixed Foursomes): Miss Gatehouse and W. C. Blaker. Hassell Prize (holes): Miss Gatehouse. Harding Prize (holes): W. Vickers-Jacob. President's Prizes (Mixed Foursomes): Miss Gatehouse and W. C. Blaker. Schreiber Prize Putting Competition (Ladies): Miss Campbell. Hassell Prize (sealed handicap): H. Gatehouse.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 87, by E. A. D. Jones.

Record for Two Rounds of Green—(1) Professional, 85, by E. Gray; (2) Amateur, 87, as above.

The course is one of nine holes, measuring about one and a half miles. The hazards are roads, hedges, ditches, &c. Bognor Station is three minutes' walk from the green. The hotel accommodation is very good, and vehicles meet all trains. There is an excellent club in the town with reading, smoking, billiard, and card rooms. For admission apply to H. L. Staffurth, Hon. Sec., Bognor Club.

BOLARAM (INDIA.)

BOLARAM GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED APRIL 13TH, 1888.

The course of eighteen holes is just under three miles, and there is no crossing. The greens are not of turf, but sand. The longest hole is 450 yards, the shortest 130. The hazards are roads, gun pits, quarry pits, nullahs, and wild indigo. The nearest station is Secunderabad.

BOLTON.

BOLTON GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED SEPTEMBER, 1891.

The course is situated about two miles from Bolton Station (L. and Y.R.), from which trams run every twenty minutes to Doffcocker, about half a mile from the clubhouse.

BOMBAY.

ROYAL BOMBAY GYMKHANA GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JANUARY 9TH, 1842.

This club was proposed and formed at a meeting held in the Fort on the above date, under the direction of H. H. Glass, C.S., and continued to flourish for about five years, when the game became neglected, and no attempt apparently was made to revive it until 1855. The resuscitation then, however, only lasted two years, and for the following nine years no club existed, but on December 16th, 1869, it was reconstituted under its present name, and in 1875 amalgamated with the Bombay Gymkhana, with which it bids fair to be long and prosperously associated.

The following is a list of the principal prizes, all of which, except the last, are played for annually: (1) St. George's Medal; (2) St. Andrew's Medal; (3) Blackheath Gold Medal, presented by Blackheath Golf Club in 1864; (4) Gymkhana Cup, presented by Bombay Gymkhana, to be played for by members of any Indian club; (5) Wimbledon Cup, presented by the London Scottish Golf Club; (6) Calcutta Medal; (7) Madras Medal; (8) The "Forty Two" Medal, played for monthly. This last medal bears the name of the founder of the club (H. H. Glass) and "1842," the date of the club's foundation. It is played for during six months, becoming the property of the one who wins it most frequently.

A new course has been started at Pali Hill, which is on the sea coast, and a few miles only out of Bombay. The course is rough, and there are some bad rocky bits of ground, which nothing can ever make playable; but it affords a great variety of play compared with the Bombay course. Every topped shot is severely punished, and, as there are numerous stone dykes, cactus hedges, with rice fields full of cracks made by the sun's heat, and many genuine sandy roads and bunkers, the round is a sporting one.

Golf is played in Bombay all the year round, but the six months from October to the end of March is the part of the year when the competitions are played off.

BORTH.

BORTH AND YNYSLAS GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED AUGUST 3RD, 1893.

Annual Subscription, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 70. *Captain*—P. Morton. *Treasurer*—Miss A. E. Watkin. *Committee*—E. A. Addy, A. T. Evans, W. Gregson, Rev. J. M. Griffiths, W. Potter. *Hon. Secretary*—Dr. J. H. Jones, Sandhurst, Borth, R.S.O., Cardiganshire. *Greenkeeper*—T. Roberts.

Club Prizes.—Club Prize (scratch); Borth Challenge Cup (handicap), half-yearly; Gregson Prize (handicap); Monthly Medal (handicap), and other prizes. The Spring Meeting is held in April, and the Autumn Meeting on August 10th, 12th, and 13th.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Open Scratch Prize: F. S. Bird, 90 + 93 = 183. Borth Challenge Cup: W. J. Hadden, 98 + 98 = 196 − 22 = 174.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 84, by W. Potter, in August, 1894.

Green Record, 79, by W. Potter, Hoylake, on August 28th, 1894.

The course of eighteen holes is about a quarter of a mile from Borth and Ynyslas Station. The longest hole is 400 yards, and the shortest 135 yards, the total length being nearly three miles. The par of the round is 70. The hazards are sand-hills, bunkers, bents, walls, roads, fences, and broken ground. There is a first-class hotel at Borth, and private accommodation is to be had in both Borth and Ynyslas

BOSTON (U.S.A.).

COUNTRY CLUB GOLF ASSOCIATION.

Hon. Secretary—A. Donner.

The course of nine holes is situated at Brookline.

ESSEX COUNTY GOLF CLUB.

Number of Members, over 220. *Chairman*—R. C. Hooper. *Hon. Secretary*—H. W. Cunningham. *Greenkeeper and Professional*—Willie Campbell (late of Musselburgh).

The course of eleven holes (circuit one and a half miles) is situated at Manchester-by-the-Sea.

The Green Records are: (1) Amateur, 52, by M. Sargent; (2) Professional, 42, by Willie Campbell.

BOTLEY.

SHIRRELL HEATH GOLF CLUB. INSTITUTED NOVEMBER 5TH, 1892.

Annual Subscription, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, 109. *President*—J. C. Garnier. *Captain*—E. H. Liddell. *Committee*—Lieut.-Col. Farquhar, Rev. A. B. Alexander, P. T. Moloney, A. Jenkyns, H. Trinder, H. Palmer, A. H. Goodwyn. *Hon. Secretary*—Capt. Nicholls, Shedfield, Botley, Hants. *Green*—Shirrell Heath. *Greenkeeper*—G. Young.

A medal is played for monthly.

The course, which is situated about three miles from Botley, where conveyances may be obtained, is a sporting one of nine holes, with plenty of variety, but at present rather rough. Shedfield is a quarter of a mile, and Wickham a mile from the clubhut. Accommodation for visitors is limited.

SHIRRELL HEATH LADIES' GOLF CLUB. INSTITUTED APRIL, 1893.

Annual Subscription. Ten Shillings and Sixpence, 1*l.* 1*s.* for three members of same family; *Number of Members.* 45. *Committee*—Miss Alexander, Miss E. Dumbleton, Miss Medlicott, Mrs. Merewether. *Hon. Secretary*—Miss A. G. Alexander, Shedfield Vicarage, Botley, Hants. *Green*—Shirrell Heath.

BOULOGNE.

BOULOGNE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1894.

The course is laid out on the Wimereux Downs about two miles east o' the town. The turf is good, and hazards are numerous.

BOURNEMOUTH.

BOURNEMOUTH GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JULY, 1890.

Entrance Fee. 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription,* "A." 2*l.* 2*s.*, "B." 1*l.* 12*s.* 6*d.*, "C." 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members.* 165. *Captain*—Lieut.-Col. W. Pott. *Deputy-Captain*—A. Pontifex. *Hon. Treasurer*—A. H. Sanderson. *Committee*—Major-Gen. Galloway, Major-Gen. Truell, C.B., D. H. W. R. Burrows, D. W. Preston, L. Scarth, L. G. Browne, H. J. Hibberd. *Hon. Secretary*—Rev. O. K. Prescot, Coombe Down, Cavendish-road, Bournemouth. *Greens*—Meyrick Park, Bournemouth, and Brockenhurst. *Greenkeeper* (at Brockenhurst)—J. C. Pearson.

Club Prizes.—Spring Challenge Cup (handicap); Autumn Cup (Bogey); Challenge Cup, open to Bournemouth Clubs registered at the Town Clerk's Office; Challenge Cup (members only); Two Monthly Medals to be played for at Bournemouth and Brockenhurst.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Spring Challenge Cup: C. B. Hewitt, 95—14=81. Autumn Cup (Bogey): R. G. Hargreaves, 2 down. Monthly Medal (final): H. Hibberd, 91—18=73.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 85, by Lieut.-Col. Pott, in September, and Dr. H. J. Hibberd, in October, 1894, both on the Brockenhurst course.

Records for Brockenhurst Green.—(1) Professional, 35, by J. L. Pearson, in 1894; (2) Amateur, 39, by F. H. Haviland, in 1894.

Through the liberality of the Commissioner of Woods, the club have obtained the use, for golfing purposes, of a beautiful stretch of turf at Balmer Lawn in the bosom of the New Forest, on part of which is a course of nine holes, requiring straight driving and accurate iron play. The hazards are whins, trees, roads, ponds, watercourses, &c. The course is within one mile of Brockenhurst Station, and arrangements have been made with the L. & S. W. Railway Company, whereby holders of members' and temporary members' tickets issued by the club may, upon the production thereof, obtain golfers' railway return tickets between Bournemouth and Brockenhurst, available by all trains, at half the usual return fares. The railway journey by fast trains from Bournemouth East takes 25 minutes. A 'bus conveys players to within 300 yards of the clubhut. Visitors may play, on introduction by an annual member, for two days without charge; beyond that time for a sum of one shilling a day. Temporary members are admitted at five shillings for a fortnight, or seven shillings and sixpence for a month.

MEYRICK PARK GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1894.

No particulars forthcoming.

The Meyrick Park course of eighteen holes is in Bournemouth, and belongs to the Bournemouth Corporation, by whom it was acquired last year. The circuit is only two and a quarter miles, but although the majority of the holes are rather short, straight driving and accurate approaching are required at every hole. The laying out of the course, which was supervised by Tom Dunn, late of Tooting, the resident professional, involved an expenditure of 2000*l.*, despite the fact that the ground was gifted to the town by Sir George Meyrick, so much required to be done to put the ground in order. The putting greens are excellent, and the hazards, of bunkers and firs for the most part, are judiciously made use of. The green record is 65, by J. H. Taylor, of Winchester. There is a commodious pavilion. There is also a small nine hole course for ladies, about 700 yards in length, with splendid putting greens. It is encircled by the large course, but is surrounded with small firs that the two courses may be kept separate.

BOWDON.

BOWDON GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JULY, 1890.

Entrance Fee, 5*l.* 5*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Number of Members*, 150. *Captain*—Rev. T. P. Williamson. *Hon. Treasurer*—F. V. Williams. *Hon. Secretary*—S. W. Gillett, Bowdon, Cheshire. *Council*—G. S. Ball,

F. Heywood, T. W. Killick, H. Staffurth, G. Worthington.
Greenkeeper and Professional—F. K. Weir.

Club Prizes.—Captain's Cup (handicap), on first Saturday of each month, from January to June, inclusive, final on June 15th; Brancker Prizes (foursomes match play, handicap), on Saturday afternoons, February 9th, 16th, 23rd, March 9th, 16th; Club Championship and Silver Medal (scratch), lowest aggregate for thirty-six holes, and Behrens Prize (handicap), lowest net score on April 27th; Staffurth Prize (match play, handicap), during week ending May 25th; Ladies' Competition (handicap), for prizes presented by the Club on May 29th; Corah and Hampson Cups (match play, handicap) in two classes under and over 13; American Tournament, June and July; Ladies' Cup (match play, handicap), date not fixed; Monthly Gold Medal and Optional Sweepstakes (handicap), on first Saturday of each month from July to December inclusive, final on December 21st.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Captain's Cup—five monthly winners, S. W. Gillett, H. F. Ransome, W. R. Craig, C. H. Oeceleston, P. J. Worsley; final, W. R. Craig, 95 – 6 = 89. Morgan Prize (15 and upwards in handicap), J. Fildes, 115 – 20 = 95. Bowdon Prize (open to all amateurs, scratch): H. H. Hilton, 40 + 38 = 78. Club Championship and Silver Medal, F. C. Morgan, 92 + 89 = 181. Driving Competition, Behrens Prize, S. W. Gillett, 191 yards 2 feet. Heywood Prize, C. H. Wolff. Ladies' Cup, H. Holden. Gold Medal (five monthly winners), H. Holden, M. Withington, C. W. Dudley, Rev. W. Cowie, S. W. Gillett; final, M. Withington, 87 – 3 = 84.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 82, by S. W. Gillett, 21st July, 1894.

Record for two rounds of present course (as altered in September, 1893), 78, by H. H. Hilton, on 14th April, 1894.

The course is situated at Dunham Massey, a Cheshire village, about a mile and a quarter from Bowdon, the township from which the club derives its name. The most convenient railway stations are Bowdon and Altrincham (Manchester South Junction and Altrincham Railway), Dunham Massey (L. & N. W. Railway), and Peel Causeway (Cheshire Lines). Cabs can be obtained at Bowdon and Altrincham Station, or Peel Causeway (fare 2*s.* in each case); but not always at Dunham Massey, which is about one mile and a half from the clubhouse. There is excellent hotel accommodation at the Stamford Arms, Bowdon, or at the Unicorn, Altrincham. Visitors, introduced by a member, may play over the green, &c. (except upon competition days) upon payment of five shillings per week. The course of nine holes is laid out upon more or less undulating ground, and is now over one mile and three quarters in length. The not inconsiderable number of natural hazards have been supplemented by the creation of a number of artificial bunkers, and the course is generally acknowledged to be one of the best inland greens, the lies obtained being very fine. The professional is in attendance daily at the clubhouse, which is on the green, and members and visitors can be supplied with lunch, tea, and other refreshments.

BOXMOOR.

BOXMOOR GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1890.

The course of nine holes is about fifteen minutes' walk from Boxmoor Station (L. & N.W. Railway), which is forty-five minutes' from Euston. The clubhouse is 170 yards from the first tee. The course was fully described in a special article in last year's *Annual*. The par of the round is 33.

BRADFORD.

BRADFORD (late BRADFORD ST. ANDREW'S) GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED APRIL 16TH, 1891.

Entrance Fee, 3*l*. 3*s*.; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l*. 11*s*. 6*d*.; *Number of Members*, 180. *President*—Dr. Macvie. *Vice-Presidents*—J. W. Cockerham, J. H. Ackroyd. *Captain*—A. Priestman. *Treasurer*—G. H. Douglas. *Committee*—W. B. Crichton, Dr. Dunlop, F. H. Hill, T. M. Holmes, W. Leeming, J. E. Mason, H. Steel, E. R. Wethey. *Hon. Secretaries*—G. H. Blackburn, Yorkshire Bank Chambers, Bradford, and A. R. Hill, 277, Swan Arcade, Bradford. *Green*—Baildon Moor. *Greenkeeper*—D. Herd.

Club Prizes.—Macmillan Cup (handicap, by holes), in March; Monthly Medal (handicap) on second Saturday of each month.

Prize Winners in 1894.—President's Prize: G. H. Blackburn. Macmillan Cup: H. Steel.

The course of eighteen holes is distant from Baildon Station, one and a half miles, and from Shipley Junction, two and a half miles; *cab stand at Shipley Station, and at Baildon by appointment.* Shipley Junction is on the Midland main line from Leeds to the north, two and a half miles from Bradford, and eleven miles from Leeds. There is good hotel accommodation at Bradford, and apartments may be had in Baildon, about a quarter of a mile from green. Visitors may play on payment of five shillings a week, or twelve shillings and sixpence a month.

RAVENSCLIFFE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED SEPTEMBER, 1894.

Entrance Fee, Gentlemen, 1*l*. 1*s*.; Ladies, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Annual Subscription*, Gentlemen, 1*l*. 1*s*.; Ladies, Ten Shillings and Sixpence. *Number of Members*, about 100. *President*—T. Mitchell. *Vice-Presidents*—F. Flannery, W. P. Byles, M.P., A. E. Hutton, M.P., J.

Garnett, H. Pilley, H. Vint, and G. Baxter. *Captain*—L. Cresswell. *Committee*—A. Arnold, J. Bakes, T. Denbigh, G. Garnett, L. Gaunt, A. H. Hutton, F. Pilley, S. Tempest, A. Watson. *Hon. Treasurer*—R. Hudson, The Chalets, Undercliffe. *Hon. Secretary*—L. Cresswell, Woodhall, Calverley.

The course of nine holes is laid out at Ravenscliffe on the "Wilderness" and Woodhall hillside, overlooking the Ilkley and Haworth Moors, about two miles east of Bradford. The Eccleshill Station (G.N.R.) is close to the green, and the Undercliffe and Thornbury Tram terminus is less than a mile off. The clubhouse—"The Grotto"—formerly a farm-house, affords ample accommodation for gentlemen, ladies, committee, professional (workroom), and caretaker. The professional is Redman, from the Bradford Golf Club. The professional's fee is one shilling a round; caddies, threepence.

BRAINTREE.

BRAINTREE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED NOVEMBER, 1891.

Annual Subscription, 1*l.* 1*s.*; Ladies, Ten Shillings and Sixpence. *Number of Members*, 40. *President*—Lieut.-Col. Savill. *Committee*—J. Carter, J. S. Matheson, L. G. Pakenham, A. Guthrie, A. G. Savill, Miss Tabor, and Miss Savill. *Hon. Secretary*—H. J. Cunningham, Lyngwood, Braintree. *Green*—Chapel Farm.

The course has been considerably extended since last year. There are nine holes, and the hazards are varied. The course is half a mile from the station, where conveyances may be had by ordering in advance. There are good hotels in the town.

BRAMALL PARK.

BRAMALL PARK GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED OCTOBER 16TH, 1894.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.* *Number of Members*, 100. *President*—C. H. Nevill. *Vice-Presidents*—W. E. Appleton, B. W. Ashwell, R. B. Carr. *Hon. Treasurer*—J. Watson, Station-road, Cheadle Hulme. *Hon. Secretary*—F. J. Norbury, Roseneath, Bramall Park, Cheshire. *Committee*—F. Beech, J. L. Brydon, J. Burgess, J. B. Cairnie, J. Coomer, G. Ream, W. H. Smith, J. F. Walker, W. Woodcock. *Green*—The Marl Field. *Greenkeeper*—W. Lowe.

Cheadle Hulme Station is five minutes' walk from the clubhouse, a rustic building containing club-room, dressing rooms for ladies and gentlemen, professional room, and caddies' shelter. The course consists of nine holes, the shortest being 175 yards and the longest 360 yards. It extends over three fields covering an area of about forty-five acres. The hazards are all natural, and comprise water, hedges, dingles, &c., the ground generally being undulating. Visitors may play free of charge for one day on the introduction of a member. Thereafter a charge of five shillings per week is imposed.

BRANCASTER.

ROYAL WEST NORFOLK GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JANUARY 1st, 1892.

Entrance Fee, 5*l*. 5*s*.; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l*. 1*s*. *Number of Members*, 440. *Patron*—H.R.H. the Prince of Wales. *Vice-Patron*—H.R.H. the Duke of York. *President*—Simms Reeve. *Captain*—H. G. Hutchinson. *Hon. Treasurer*—S. G. Archbould. *Committee*—Rev. E. K. Kerslake, H. Le Strange, W. Le Hunt, H. G. Hollway, —Calthrop, H. Ingleby, P. M. Lucas, P. G. Spence, H. J. S. Hughes. *Hon. Secretary*—W. H. Simms Reeve, York Cottage, Brancaster. *Professional*—A. Tingey.

Club Prizes.—Scratch: Club Gold Medal, Rolfe Challenge Bronze; Handicap: Prince of Wales's Challenge Cup; Cater Silver and Bronze Medals; President's Challenge Cup.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 85, by C. Toppin, at Spring Meeting, 1893.

Record for Green 79, by A. Tingey.

For full particulars of the links, which consist of eighteen holes, see the article, "Early Days at Brancaster," in the "Golfing Annual," Volume VI. The most convenient stations are Hunstanton (G.E.R.), seven miles, and Burnham, four and a half miles from Brancaster. The best accommodation is to be found at Dormy House Club, for which the subscription is 10*s*. 6*d*. per annum; but there are lodgings in the village, comfortable and reasonable.

BRANCASTER WORKMEN'S GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1893.

Annual Subscription, Six Shillings. *Number of Members*, 40. *President*—W. H. Simms Reeve. *Captain*—H. Ingleby. *Hon. Treasurer*—W. Wilkins. *Committee*—S. Luck, G. Southerland, J. Powell, R. Wasey, R. Lake, W.

Liddaman, J. Pitcher. *Hon. Secretary*—J. Wilkins, Brancaster.

Club Prizes.—Members' Prizes and Captain's Prize.
Prize Winner in 1894.—President's Prize: H. Pitcher, 97.

BRECHIN.

BRECHIN GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED APRIL 21ST, 1892.

Entrance Fee, Two Shillings and Sixpence; *Annual Subscription*, Five Shillings; *Number of Members*, 67. Gentlemen, 32 Ladies. *Hon. President*—Hon. C. M. Ramsay. *Vice-President*—P. Chalmers. *Captain*—H. P. Gordon. *Vice-Captain*—D. Wilson. *Treasurer*—W. Howie. *Committee*—A. Philip, R. Finlay, D. Barrie, D. G. Shiell, A. R. M. Murray, R. B. Duke, J. Clift, R. A. Scott, J. D. Ross, C. Richards. *Hon. Secretary*—J. L. Aird, Panmure-street, Brechin. *Greenkeeper*—J. Gray.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Ladies' Monthly Handicap, Miss J. Sievwright, average 84 for 12 holes. Gentlemen's Monthly Handicap, D. Wilson, average for 18 holes, 83.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 82, by D. Wilson, in September, 1894.

The course on Trinity Muir, about one mile from Brechin, has now been extended to nine holes. There are several good hotels in Brechin, and summer lodgings are also to be had in the immediate vicinity of the course. The Edzell 'bus from the station passes the course.

BRIDGE OF EARN.

BRIDGE OF EARN GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MAY 25TH, 1894.

Annual Subscription—Ten Shillings. *Number of Members*, 125. *Captain*—Sir Robert D. Moncreiffe, Bart. *Committee*—Rev. J. S. Clark, Dr. J. B. Laing, J. F. Smith, J. Ellis, J. Rollo, J. C. Dow, R. Keay, R. Dunsmore. *Hon. Secretary and Treasurer*—R. Brough, Ochilview, Bridge of Earn.

Club Prizes.—Wood Silver Inkstand, half-yearly; Club Trophy, on last Saturday of each month. The former was won last year by W. McNicoll, with a score of 90—1=89.

Green Record 40, by P. Stewart, Perth, on August 29th, 1894.

The course of nine holes is about five minutes' walk from Bridge of Earn Station. There is a club-room for the use of members and visitors, to whom daily, weekly, and monthly tickets are issued on special terms. There is good hotel accommodation in the village, and furnished houses and lodgings are also to be had.

BRIDGE OF WEIR.

RANFURLY CASTLE GOLF CLUB. INSTITUTED AUGUST 3RD, 1889.

Entrance Fee, 3*l.* 3*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 250. *Hon. President*—Lord Blythswood. *Hon. Vice-Presidents*—J. Bonar and H. McCall. *Captain*—A. C. Weir. *Committee*—J. Sangster, G. W. Wilson, D. K. McLeish, J. L. Wilson, T. M. Murdoch, J. R. Scott, J. M. Campbell, H. M. Colvil, W. Brown, J. Buchanan, A. B. Ferguson, W. Aiken, H. D. D. Chalmers. *Hon. Secretary*—J. M. Porteous, Clydesdale Bank, Kilbarchan. *Club Master*—C. McIntosh. *Greenkeeper*—J. W. Boyd.

Records for Green.—(1) Professional, 75 by J. W. Boyd, in August, 1894; (2) Amateur, 75 by R. B. Mitchell, in September last.

The course is equal to any inland green in Scotland. It is of a thoroughly sporting character, hazards, in the form of rocks, ditches, a quarry, and a deep ravine, which has to be crossed twice, being sufficiently numerous to render play exciting. It originally consisted of nine holes, but was recently extended to eighteen. Bridge of Weir Station, on the Glasgow and South-Western Railway, is within half an hour's run from Glasgow, and the green is only five minutes' walk from the station. First-class accommodation may be had at the Ranfurly Hotel, the charges being moderate.

BRIDGEPORT (U.S.A.).

UNQUOWA GOLF CLUB.

Hon. Secretary—F. J. Kingsbury, jun., Bridgeport (Conn.).

BRIDGNORTH.

BRIDGNORTH GOLF CLUB. INSTITUTED OCTOBER, 1892.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.* *President* — Capt. J. Foster. *Vice-President* — W. J. Barber-Starkey. *Captain*—E. W. Haslewood. *Committee*—

R. Brinton, R. H. Colley, F. J. Cooper, W. P. Gordon, S. Harvey, R. F. Haslewood, Lieut.-Col. Jones, E. M. Southwell, H. B. Southwell, Rev. H. K. Southwell, Lieut.-Col. E. M. Wakeman, H. J. Wyley, and W. Fitz-Warren. *Hon. Secretary* — D. Fraser, High-street, Bridgnorth. *Treasurer*—W. L. Southwell, Astbury Hall, Bridgnorth. *Green*—The Hook Farm. *Greenkeeper*—A. Baker.

Club Prizes.—Monthly Medal for ladies and gentlemen; Special prizes at Spring, Summer, and Winter Meetings.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Gentlemen: W. L. Southwell, P. Collier, T. Dixon, Rev. H. K. Southwell, T. W. Haslehurst, Rev. G. H. Maddison, G. H. Haslewood, H. B. Southwell, B. Wood, D. Fraser. Ladies: Miss H. Southwell, Miss Wyley, Miss Wilson, Miss Temple, Mrs. R. F. Haslewood, Miss Skeffington, Mrs. E. W. Haslewood, Mrs. Collier, Miss Hunter.

Record for Green 45, by H. B. Southwell, in March, 1893.

The course of nine holes is situated on high-lying land at Tasley, about one mile from Bridgnorth, and commands excellent views in every direction. The air is fresh and bracing. The greens are greatly improved, and the teeing grounds levelled or artificially raised. A clubhouse affords comfortable accommodation for members, both ladies and gentlemen. The hazards consist at present of hedges, ditches, and other obstacles of an artificial nature. The holes, which vary in length from 398 to 187 yards, give a circuit of 2308 yards.

The Crown and Raven Hotels (Limited) are thoroughly comfortable. There are other hostelries and lodgings, respecting which the Hon. Secretary is glad at all times to give information and advice to visitors. Vehicles of all descriptions are plentiful, and may be engaged at a moderate cost by those who prefer driving up to the course in lieu of essaying the walk, which, however, is a pleasant and easy one, and lies off the beaten track.

BRIDPORT.

WEST DORSET GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED FEBRUARY 26TH, 1891.

Annual Subscription, 1*l.*; *Family*, 1*l.* 10*s.*; *Number of Members*, 40. *President*—J. Gundry. *Captain*—J. T. Stephens. *Treasurer*—R. D. Thornton. *Committee*—T. A. Colfox, A. Martin, Rev. J. L. Templer, A. R. James, Rev. C. L. L. Sanctuary, F. Maunsell, J. A. Stephens. *Hon. Secretary*—C. G. Nantes, Bridport. *Greenkeeper*—J. Gerrard.

Club Prizes.—Scratch Cup and Handicap Prizes in autumn; Monthly Medal (handicap) on first Thursday of each month, from

April to September, and first Saturday from October to March. J. Gundry won the Cup last year with 99.

The links, which consist of nine holes, are situated on the West Cliffs, West Bay, Bridport, a quarter of a mile from the West Bay Railway Station, and there are numerous hotels and lodgings in the town. The course has recently been lengthened and otherwise improved.

BRIGHTON.

BRIGHTON AND HOVE GOLF CLUB. INSTITUTED JANUARY, 1888.

Entrance Fee, 5*l.* 5*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Number of Members*, 300. *President*—Baron de Worms. *Vice-Presidents* — Right Hon. Sir W. Marriott, Q.C., M.P., and A. A. Berens. *Captain*—H. F. de Paravicini. *Committee*—Major C. F. Marriott, H. R. Knipe, W. O. Baily, P. A. Willett, S. S. Schultz, J. H. Senior, W. Keen, H. T. Ross. *Hon. Secretary*—H. J. Percival, 11, Cambridge-road, Brighton. *Green*—Hangleton Downs. *Greenkeeper*—A. Denholm.

Club Prizes.—Berens Monthly Gold Medal, with Silver Memento, on first Saturday of each month; De Worms Challenge Cup, quarterly; Spring Meeting, first day, Buckley Challenge Bowl (handicap), Club scratch and handicap prizes; second day, Knipe Challenge Bowl (handicap, eighteen limit); Kenderdine Gold Medal (scratch), and Gold Memento (scratch aggregate); Sherlock Challenge Bowl (handicap aggregate). Autumn Meeting, first day, Knipe Challenge Bowl and Club Prize (handicap); second day, Club Prize (scratch); Kenderdine Medal (scratch aggregate); Sherlock Challenge Bowl (handicap aggregate); Carr Prize for best scratch aggregate at Spring and Autumn Meetings; Captain's Prize (handicap aggregate), at Spring and Autumn Meetings; Reid Prize (handicap), for best net score of last nine holes at Spring or Autumn Meetings.

Records for Green.—(1) Professional, 72, by the late Charles Ramage, on August 20th, 1892; (2) Amateur, 77, by Walter Carr, on August 24th, 1892.

The course is situated on the Downs, close to the Dyke Railway Station, about four miles from Brighton, and a platform has now been provided at the green. Originally a nine-hole one, the course is now one of eighteen holes, and the hazards consist of gorse, ponds, hurdles, and natural declivities in the ground. The lies throughout the green are very good, and the putting greens excellent. There is a good clubhouse, at which luncheons are obtainable. Temporary members are admitted at ten shillings per week, and 1*l.* per month.

BRIGHTON AND HOVE LADIES' GOLF CLUB. INSTITUTED JUNE, 1892.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 150 Playing, and 50 Non-playing. *President*—Mrs. Hitchins. *Captain*—Miss Hitchins. *Committee*—Mrs. C. Osborn, Mrs. Vachel, Mrs. Pardoe, Mrs. J. Shiffner, Mrs. J. G. Dill, Mrs. Sanderson, Mrs. K. Stow, Miss Heathcote, Miss Finelo, Miss Farnall, Miss Sullivan, Miss Osborne. *Hon. Secretaries*—Mrs. Barry, 9, Cambridge-road, and Miss Walker, 10, Wilbury-road, Brighton.

Club Prizes.—Monthly Medal and Scratch Prize on second Wednesday of each month; Challenge Bowl (quarterly); Challenge Cleek, Belt, and Scratch Cup (half-yearly).

The Green Record is 33, by Miss Bence, on October 12th, 1894.

The green of nine holes is near the Devil's Dyke, and is reached by rail from Brighton to Dyke Station. Temporary Members are admitted at the following rates:—Ladies, 2*s.* 6*d.* per week; Gentlemen, 5*s.*

KEMP TOWN GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED OCTOBER 14TH. 1893.

Entrance Fee, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 112. *President*—Marquis of Abergavenny, K.G. *Vice-Presidents*—G. W. E. Loder, M.P., Alderman H. Abbey, W. Winans. *Captain*—D. Furner. *Committee*—W. H. Abbey, Dr. D. W. Gifford, Dr. B. Goff, A. T. Hay, Rev. W. H. Orton, H. L. Swinburne, A. C. Wathen, D. C. Wickham. *Hon. Secretaries*—Capt. J. B. O'Reilly, 40, Brunswick-place, Hove; and F. S. Heath, 11, Chesham-place, Kemp Town. *Hon. Treasurer*—H. Taylor. *Green*—Red Hill Down. *Greenkeeper*—T. Cheal.

Club Prizes.—Abbey Cup, in spring and autumn; Furner Silver Iron; Monthly Medal, on last Saturday of each month.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Abbey Cup: Dr. Bruce Goff. Loder Cup, for the three best gross scores in Monthly Medal Competitions during year: D. Furner, 87 + 89 + 90 = 266. Captain's Medals: Gold Medal, Dr. Bruce Goff, 92 (scratch); Silver, T. Cavanagh, 115 − 22 = 93; Bronze, H. H. Hutton, 122 − 20 = 102. Monthly Medal: January, D. Furner, 97 − 5 = 92; February, H. Taylor, 112 − 12 = 100; March, H. R. B. Abbey, 112 − 25 = 87; April, D. Furner, 87 − 7 = 80; May, Rev. E. Luce, 115 − 27 = 88; June, D. Furner, 89 − 6 = 83; July, D. Furner, 95 − 6 = 89; August, Capt. J. B. O'Reilly, 106 − 13 = 93; September,

D. Furner, 90—6=84; October, D. Furner, 104—4=100; November and December, no returns.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 87, by D. Furner, April 28th, 1894.

Records for Two Rounds of Green—(1) Professional, 79, by T. Cheal; (2) Amateur, 82, by Dr. Bruce Goff, on October 8th, 1894.

The course is one of nine holes, of the following distances: First hole, 350 yards; second hole, 372 yards; third hole, 265 yards; fourth hole, 352 yards; fifth hole, 282 yards; sixth hole, 158 yards; seventh hole, 297 yards; eighth hole, 314 yards; ninth hole, 291 yards—total, 2681 yards, or 1 mile 921 yards. It is situated on the Downs, between the Ovingdean and Shepcote Valleys, about a mile to the east of Brighton. The hazards consist of natural pits (grass grown), a pond, and some gorse. The soil is chalk, mixed with marl, and the turf good and improving fast. The first and second greens have been newly laid. The par of the round is 36. Omnibuses run every quarter of an hour from the Central Railway Station (L.B. and S.C. Ry.) to within twenty minutes of the links. There is a small clubhouse.

SOUTHDOWN AND BRIGHTON LADIES' GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1891.

The course, of nine holes, is situated at Burgess Hill, about nine miles from Brighton.

BRISTOL.

BRISTOL AND CLIFTON GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED FEBRUARY 14TH, 1891.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 11*s.* 6*d.*; *Number of Members*, 151. *President*—Duke of Beaufort, K.G. *Captain*—W. Fairbanks. *Hon. Treasurer*—H. Nash. *Committee*—A. M. Fry, C. B. Hare, F. F. Cartwright, M. B. Castle, G. H. Clark, D. G. Johnston, A. T. Martin, and E. J. Taylor. *Hon. Secretary*—Capt. H. Broke, R.E., Tudor Hall, Pembroke-road, Clifton, Bristol. *Greenkeeper*—J. Hobbens (from North Berwick).

Club Prizes.—Moncrieff Challenge Cup (scratch), in October; College Masters' Cup (handicap), in April; Moncrieff Medal (handicap), in April and October; Monthly Medal (handicap) on first Saturday of each month.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Easter Meeting: Moncrieff Medal, Col. Methuen, 97—20=77; College Masters' Cup, M. D. Mackenzie, 94—12=82. Whit-Monday: Scratch Prize, W. Fairbanks, 85; Members' Cup, T. Spencer, 93—23=70; Foursome Competition (final), W. Fairbanks and H. P. Tuckman. Autumn Meeting: Moncrieff Cup, W. Fairbanks, 89; Moncrieff Medal, H. R. Harper,

113—30=83; Bogey Competition, M. A. North (7), one up. Christmas Meeting: Vaughan Prize, W. Huxtable, 114—33=81; Committee's Prize, W. McPherson, 95—16=79. Monthly Medal: January, no play; February, A. M. Fry, 115—28=87; March, W. F. Gorton, 95—10=85; April, M. Balfour, 100—14=86; May, C. C. Savile, 121—40=81; June, G. F. Fry, 100—21=79; July, H. C. Barstow, 103—16=87; August, W. S. J. Miles, 101—37=64; September, M. D. Mackenzie, 97—12=85; October, D. McIver, 93—18=75; November, W. M. Hooke, 102—27=75; December, C. A. Alexander, 113—37=76.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 84, by W. Fairbanks, on May 27th, 1893.

Records for Green.—(1) Professional, 36, by A. Lumsden, on July 15th, 1893; double round, 75. (2) Amateur, 39, by W. Fairbanks, on May 14th, 1894; double round, 84, by W. Fairbanks, as above.

The green is situated about two miles from Clifton Suspension Bridge, on what were called Leigh Downs, now divided into five fields by stone walls. There were formerly nine holes, but the course was recently extended to eighteen. Tramcars run from Bristol Station to Hotwells, immediately below the bridge, and 'buses run through Clifton to end of Suspension Bridge, from whence brakes are run to the course twice daily—return fare 1*s.* 6*d.* There is a cabstand close to the bridge.

LONG ASHTON GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED NOVEMBER, 1893.

The course, of nine holes, is at Ashton Hill, near Clifton.

BROMLEY.

BROMLEY AND BICKLEY GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED NOVEMBER, 1892.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Number of Members*, 102. *President*—A. C. Norman. *Vice-Presidents*—G. Norman, C. Child, and E. Packe. *Captain*—Rev. F. W. Haines, M.A. *Committee*—Rev. R. I. Woodhouse, P. Buckley, H. A. Vallings, and G. Grant. *Hon. Treasurer*—J. W. Bennett, Bromley Common. *Hon. Secretary*—J. H. Yolland, 38, Bromley Common, Kent. *Green*—The Race-course, Bromley Common. *Greenkeepers*—A. Nash and H. Cavell.

A Monthly Medal (handicap) is played on the first Saturday of each month.

The Green Record is 86, by A. Nash (professional).

The course is an eighteen hole one, situated about a mile from Bickley Station (L. C. and D. R.), and two miles from Chislehurst Station (S.E.R.). Caddies receive fourpence for each round. There is no Sunday play. Ladies are allowed to play, and children may also, on certain conditions, on application to the Hon. Secretary. Temporary members are admitted on payment of five shillings a week, unless they be members of other clubs, when the charge is only two shillings and sixpence.

BRORA.

BRORA GOLF CLUB. INSTITUTED NOVEMBER 2ND, 1891.

Annual Subscription, Two Shillings and Sixpence. *Number of Members*, 84. *Patrons*—Duke of Sutherland, F. G. Gunnis, and A. B. Lawson. *President*—J. Melville. *Vice-President*—W. Donaldson. *Captain*—G. Sutherland. *Committee*—H. Gunn, A. M. Gunn, A. Will, Jas. Melville, M. F. Myron, D. Grant. *Hon. Secretary*—R. Mackay, Brora.

Club Prizes.—Gunnis Gold Medal and Club Gold Medal, fortnightly; Harvey Challenge Cup, monthly (all handicap).

Prize Winners in 1894.—Silver Biscuit Box, Jas. Melville; MacIntyre Medal, G. J. MacIntyre; Gunnis and Club Gold Medals, A. Will.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 89, by G. J. MacIntyre, on December 30th, 1893.

Record for Green.—38, by J. Sutherland, Dornoch Golf Club, in June, 1894.

The course, of nine holes, was laid out in 1891 by Mr. J. Sutherland, the Dornoch crack, and, as the turf is good, only play is required to bring it into excellent condition. On arriving at the green, one is struck with the number of bunkers dotted over the course. The other hazards are a pond and a stone dyke, which must be cleared driving to the seventh hole. Perhaps the most difficult hole is the third, which takes three good drives to reach the green. The greens are improving fast, and the course is now one of the most popular in the North. It will become even more so when the contemplated extension to eighteen holes is carried out. The course, which is about one and a half miles in length, extends along a picturesque strip of the shore. It is about five minutes' walk from Brora village, which has two very comfortable hotels, the Sutherland Arms and the Commercial. Should the golfer, or health-seeker, desire to vary his pastime, he has ample opportunity of trying his hand at the "gentle art," or, if bent on geological pursuits, the neighbourhood presents a valuable field for research. Brora has a fine beach for bathing purposes.

BROUGH.

BROUGH AND DISTRICT GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JANUARY, 1893.

The course of nine holes is situated about ten minutes' walk from Brough, and affords fair sport. The hazards are a hedge, a stream, a road and small plantation, and a quarry about 100 yards wide.

BROUGHTY FERRY.

An eighteen-hole course has been provided for lady players by the Corporation. It is laid out on the Barnhill links, close to the Esplanade. The turf is good, and there are plenty of whins as hazards.

BRUSSELS.

BRUSSELS GOLF CLUB.

No particulars forthcoming.

BUCKIE.

BUCKIE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1882.

The links are situated close to Portessie Station—about a mile from Buckie—and can be reached from either east or west by the Great North of Scotland Railway, or from the south by a branch of the Highland Railway, which terminates at Portessie. They consist of nine holes, making a round of something like two and a half miles. Their principal feature is the great variety of hazards—not so much sand bunkers as peculiarities of the ground.

BUDE.

BUDE AND NORTH CORNWALL GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1891.

Entrance Fee, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.* *Number of Members*, 50. *President*—H. M. Freeling. *Committee*—A. Baring-Gould, C. M. Cowie, J. King, Major Miles, Rev. G. Wingate. *Hon. Secretary*—Rev. E. P. Hebblethwaite, Poundstock Vicarage, Stratton, North Devon Mail. *Green*—Summerleaze Downs. *Greenkeeper*—J. May.

A new course of eighteen holes was laid out by Tom Dunn, the Bournemouth professional in January, and he pronounces it a very excellent green in every respect, the leading features being the number

of natural hazards, and the excellent quality of the turf. The round extends to about three miles, and fine views are to be had from it.

There is a separate nine hole round for ladies of fully a mile in length. Some of the holes are over 200yds., so there is ample scope for long driving. There is no crossing on either of the courses. A new pavilion has been erected at a cost of 600l., and there will be a resident professional. The nearest railway station is at Holsworthy (L. & S. W. Railway), thence by coach to Bude. There is plenty of accommodation to be had close to the green.

BULUWAYO (MATABELELAND).

BULUWAYO GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JANUARY, 1895.

A nine hole course has been laid out, and as there is a numerous English community, the club bids fair to be a great success.

BUNDORAN.

BUNDORAN GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED AUGUST, 1894.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 94. *President*—The Duke of Abercorn, K.G., K.P. *Vice-Presidents*—Right Hon. Evelyn Ashley, Sir Douglas Brooke, Bart., Colonel Dickson, H. Stubbs. *Captain*—J. Johnston. *Committee*—T. J. Atkinson, E. Buchanan, J. C. Bloomfield, H. Coane, T. Condell, Captain D'Arcy Irvine, A. W. Flood, F.R.C.S., R. G. C. Flower, C. R. Hearn, E. F. Hickson, Dr. L. Kidd, P. Lynch, A. F. Maude, P. Rafferty, G. Ramage, A. N. Reid, A. Stubbs, R. Sweeney, Surgeon-General Teevan, Colonel Tynte. *Hon. Secretary*—R. R. Todd, Ballyshannon, Co. Donegal. *Hon. Treasurer*—R. H. Reid, Ballyshannon.

Club Prizes.—Club Prize (handicap) on last Wednesday of each month; also prizes at Spring and Autumn meetings.

The Green Record is 46.

The course, which consists of nine holes, is situated on the seashore at Bundoran, about three miles from Ballyshannon, and was laid out under the careful supervision of Mr. G. L. Baillie. In a short time the green will take rank as one of the best in Ireland. Nor is Golf the only attraction, for the beach at Bundoran is magnificent, and there is excellent salmon fishing to be had in the river Bundrowes, and trout fishing in the famous Lough Melvin, which is about two and three quarter miles off. Visitors may use the course for three days free, and afterwards on payment of two shillings and sixpence a week. Bundoran is 400yds. from the green, and there is plenty of accommodation for visitors in hotels and lodging houses, while the Irish Highlands Hotel is in the centre of the green itself.

BUNGAY.

WAVENEY VALLEY GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JANUARY, 1889.

Entrance Fee, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.*; *Number of Members*, 50. *President*—E. de Poix. *Captain*—Rev. J. H. White. *Committee*—H. J. Harteup, R. C. Mann, Rev. R. M. Marshall, L. McDonnell, Mrs. Rider Haggard, Miss J. Harteup. *Hon. Secretary*—F. J. McLaughlin, Holly Hill Lodge, Ditchingham, Bungay. *Green*—Bungay Common. *Greenkeeper*—A. Clarke.

Club Prizes.—Scratch and Handicap Medals, and other prizes at Annual Meeting in August.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Scratch Medal, F. J. McLaughlin; Gentlemen's Medal (handicap): W. J. Ballard. Ladies' Handicap: Miss Ommaney. Mixed Foursomes: Mrs. Rider Haggard and R. C. Mann.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 98, by F. J. McLaughlin, on June 26th, 1894.

The Green Records are (1) Professional, 40, by C. Stevens, on December 18th, 1891; and (2) Amateur, 48, by C. E. Rice, on September 20th, 1893, and by F. J. McLaughlin several times.

The course, which consists of nine holes of a sporting character, and has as hazards furze bushes, the River Waveney, the railway, a large gravel pit, &c. The soil is sandy and the grass short. The surroundings are picturesque and the course is never crowded. The first tee is five minutes' walk from the Bungay Railway Station, on the Waveney Valley branch of the Great Eastern Railway. A comfortable clubhouse has been erected close to the station, where light refreshments can be obtained on giving notice to the caretaker. There is good hotel accommodation in the town, and visitors will always be welcomed by the Hon. Secretary.

Details of holes.—1 (River), 272 yards; 2 (The Ravine), 347 yards; 3 (The Willows), 258 yards; 4 (The Dyke), 472 yards; 5 (The Ferry), 146 yards; 6 (The Bridge), 152 yards; 7 (The Punch Bowl), 543 yards; 8 (The Pit), 396 yards; 9 (The Rampart), 176 yards; total, 2762 yards. The Home green is on the site of a Roman encampment. The drive to this green out of the pit is over a high vertical bank at a distance from the tee of about 120. The par of the green is 37.

BURGHERSDORP.

BURGHERSDORP GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JANUARY 31ST, 1894.

Annual Subscription, Ten Shillings; *Number of Members*, 31. *President*—W. R. Piers. *Vice-President*—

H. Kannemeyer. *Captain*—J. R. Cuthbert. *Committee*—F. Hopley, D. V. Kannemeyer, Dr. Shaw, Rev. F. Eccleston, Rev. C. H. Gill. *Hon. Secretary*—D. Reich, Burghersdorp, Cape Colony.

A Gold Medal is played for on the first Wednesday of each month. The winners last year were: M. Beamish, W. Currie, J. Reich, J. Reich, D. V. Kannemeyer, W. Currie, Rev. F. Eccleston, D. Reich. W. Currie also won the Challenge Cup played for at East London on Christmas, 1894, open to all amateurs in South Africa, with a score of 100 (scratch).

In a match, Burghersdorp *v.* Queenstown, played at Queenstown on July 25th, 1894, with ten men aside, Burghersdorp won by 18 holes, and the return match on September 19th, 1894, Burghersdorp also won by 17 holes.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 89, by L. Brown, on September 19th, 1894.

Record for Green, 42, by W. Currie, in July, 1894.

Burghersdorp is situated 4552ft. above sea level, and is inland from the nearest coast town, East London, 243 miles, on the direct railway to Johannesburg, and is 650 miles from Cape Town. The course is about five minutes' walk from the centre of the town. It consists of nine holes of average length, but can easily be extended to eighteen, and will be so soon as the membership increases. The air is clear and bracing, and as a health resort the town is second to none in the Cape. There is ample hotel and private boarding accommodation for visitors.

BURNHAM (Bucks).

BURNHAM GOLF CLUB, instituted October 8th, 1891.

Entrance Fee, 2*l.* 2*s.* for Gentlemen, and 1*l.* 1*s.* for Ladies; *Annual Subscription*, 2*l.* 2*s.* for Gentlemen, and 1*l.* 1*s.* for Ladies; *Number of Members*, 140. *Captain*—A. E. Wilmot. *Treasurer*—F. C. Carr-Gomm. *Committee*—H. Baldwin and E. Roehrich. *Joint Hon. Secretaries*—J. E. Bowen and C. S. Grenfell, Burnham Golf Club, Burnham, near Maidenhead.

Club Prizes.—Debonnaire Challenge Cup (scratch); Wright Presentation Silver Prizes for Gentlemen and Ladies (Bogey handicap); Monthly Medals on third Saturday of each month and following Monday; Silver Medals on Easter Monday, Whit Monday, and August and Christmas Bank Holidays; Summer Meeting Competitions. Separate prizes are in each case, except Debonnaire Cup, given for Ladies and Gentlemen. Also Wright Silver Bonbonnière for Ladies, annually.

Prize Winner in 1894. Debonnaire Challenge Cup: R. E. B. Wilmot.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 75, by A. E. Wilmot, in June, 1893, on the old course.

The green has recently been altered. On the old course J. Dixon (professional) did 72, and A. E. Wilmot 75, but the records for the present course are higher.

The course is a full one of eighteen holes, and as the ground affords exceptional advantages for an inland course, the hazards are therefore characteristic, and, with four exceptions, natural. The ground is beautifully situated and adjoins the well-known Burnham Beeches. It is on gravel soil, and is high, dry, and bracing. The nearest Railway Station is Taplow (G.W. Railway), which is about two and a half miles distant, and where conveyances can always be obtained. Accommodation for visitors can be obtained on very moderate terms in lodging-houses in Burnham Beeches or at the George Inn, Burnham. The committee are considering the desirability of building an addition to the clubhouse, with bedroom accommodation.

BURNHAM (SOMERSET).

BURNHAM GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED SEPTEMBER 3RD, 1890.

Entrance Fee, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 139. *President*—The Very Rev. Canon C. H. Kennard, M.A. *Vice-President*—W. S. Holt, sen. *Hon. Treasurer*—H. MacMurtrie. *Committee*—Col. Armstrong, Revs. R. B. Barter, T. Crump, F. N. Smith, G. Beilby, and C. F. Montgomery, A. B. Hill, R. Brice, W. S. Akerman, J. W. Trevor. *Hon. Secretaries*—T. Holt, The Hall, Burnham; and T. W. Colthurst, Berrow-road, Burnham. *Greenkeeper*—W. Foord.

Club Prizes.—Kennard Challenge Cup (handicap), Holt Challenge Cup (handicap), Open Club Prize (handicap) at Spring and Autumn Meetings; Vice-President's Prize at Spring Meeting; Bogey Competition every Saturday; Monthly Gold and Silver Medals on the last Tuesday in each month; Challenge Cup for the best aggregate gross score for any six Medal Competitions during the year, holder to be Captain.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Vice-President's Prize: Rev. A. G. Dowell, 73. Club Prize (open): Spring, J. W. Trevor, 87; Autumn, T. W. Colthurst, 75. Holt Cup (handicap): Spring, J. H. Palmer, 84 Autumn, A. B. Hill, 82. Kennard Cup (handicap): Spring, J. W. Trevor, 80; Autumn, C. B. Stokes, 80, all net scores.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 80, by T. W. Colthurst, on October 11th, 1894.

Records for two rounds of Green—(1) Professional, 72, by J. H. Taylor, in November, 1891 (course shorter than at present); (2) Amateur, W. H. Fowler, 77, on October 11th, 1894.

For plan and full description of the links, see the special article, "The Burnham (Somerset) Golf Links."

BURNHAM LADIES' GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MAY 2ND, 1892.

For a description of the ladies' course, see the special article referred to above.

MID-SOMERSET GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MARCH, 1894.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 64. *Chairman*—C. Gowan. *Treasurer*—H. S. Goldsmith. *Committee*—W. F. Goodry, Col. Battiscombe, Col. Jopp, R. G. Evered, Rev. J. E. Loughnan, G. T. Warry, R. Glanvill. *Hon. Secretary*—C. W. M. Greenhill, Puriton Manor, Bridgwater. *Greenkeeper*—Coombes.

A monthly medal is played for on the last Friday of each month. *The Green Record* is 34, by Johnson (professional).

The course of nine holes, is laid out between the two lighthouses, and extends to about 1640 yards. Sand bunkers form the chief hazards. There is a Bungalow on the course for the use of members. Visitors may play for three days free; but thereafter the scale of charges is two shillings and sixpence for a fortnight, or five shillings for two months.

BURNLEY.

BURNLEY GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1894.

No particulars forthcoming.

BURNTISLAND.

BURNTISLAND GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1797.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, Ten Shillings and Sixpence. *Number of Members*, 135. *Captain*—D. W. Stevenson. *Vice-Captain*—J. Blyth. *Treasurer*—J. W. Connel. *Committee*—J. C. Wallace, R. Dover, D. Ferguson, D. Gow, and J. Ross. *Hon. Secretary*—D. Wood, jun., Burntisland. *Green*—High Bents. *Greenkeeper*—T. Gibb.

Club Prizes.—Connel Trophy (hole competition), commencing in May; Club Medal (handicap) and Kirke Medal (scratch), on

June 1st; Inchdairnie Cup (scratch) and Wallace Medal (handicap), on July 13th; Visitors' Medal (handicap), on August 3rd; Old Gold Medal (scratch) and Old Silver Medal (handicap), on September 7th.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Inchdairnie Cup: J. Still. Club Medal: J. Adamson. Old Gold Medal: A. Wilson. Kirke Medal: J. Still. Wallace Medal: H. Philip. Visitors' Medal: T. Scott. Old Silver Medal: D. Gow. Connel Trophy: T. S. Watt.

The course only consists of six holes, but negotiations are proceeding for its extension to eighteen holes, a limited liability Company having been formed for the purpose of acquiring the necessary additional ground. The course is an elevated one, and a most magnificent view can be obtained from it. Burntisland Railway Station (North British Railway) is fully a mile from the course.

BURNTISLAND LADIES' GOLF CLUB.

No particulars forthcoming.

BURTON-ON-TRENT.

BURTON-ON-TRENT GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED SEPTEMBER, 1894.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.* *Number of Members*, 100. *Hon. Treasurer*—R. R. Morley. *Committee*—E. A. Brown, G. Lowe, S. H. Evershed, W. J. Menzies, H. T. Nadin, A. M. Tod, F. Wardle. *Hon. Secretary*—A. L. Stern, D.Sc., 170, Ashley-road, Burton-on-Trent.

The green is situated at Stapenhill, within the borough boundaries, about a mile and a half from the railway station. It consists of nine holes, and the circuit is about 2000 yards.

BURY.

BURY GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1890.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Number of Members*, 90, and about 15 ladies. *President*—Right Hon. Sir Henry James, M.P. *Vice-Presidents*—Alderman Hall (Mayor of Bury), J. Kenyon, Alderman Parks, T. Aitken, A. C. Bealey, T. Statter. *Captain and Treasurer*—P. G. Gow. *Director of Greens*—G. A. Kay. *Committee*—J. Haslam, A. H. Kay, C. B. Farr, F. Perham, D. Nicoll, and Rev. C. B. Knox. *Hon. Secretary*—S. F. Butcher, Fair Lawn, Bury. *Greenkeeper*—Harry Vardon, of Jersey.

Club Prizes.—Captain's Cup (handicap), for holes; Byrom Cup (handicap), in spring; Scholfield Medal (scratch) and Sir Henry James' Cup (handicap), at the Spring Meeting.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Scratch Medal: A. B. Scholfield, 94. Sir H. James' Cup: W. B. Gow, 102—20=82. Captain's Prize: F. Perham. Bogey Competition: Rev. C. B. Knox, one up.

Records for Green.—(1) Professional, 34, by Harry Vardon, in August, 1894; (2) Amateur, 37, by S. F. Butcher, in 1894.

The course of nine holes, playable all the year round, is laid out on grazing land at Redvales, about one mile from both the Bury stations. The round is a sporting one, with hedges, roads, and artificial bunkers as hazards. A clubhouse is in course of erection. Steam trams run past the green. Visitors can be put up for temporary membership on applying to the Secretary.

BUSHEY.

THE INCORPORATED WEST HERTS GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED FEBRUARY, 1890.

Entrance Fee, 5*l.* 5*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 3*l.* 3*s.*; *Number of Members*, 240. *Captain*—H. H. Williams. *Vice-Captain*—O. W. F. Hill. *Committee*—R. André, Dr. Banning, J. Clifford, Rev. Dr. Cockrem, H. J. Cottam, J. Jackson, A. H. Wallace, A. D. Walker. *Hon. Secretary*—E. R. Harby, Greenhill Lodge, Watford. *Greenkeeper*—C. Thom, of Montrose.

Club Prizes.—Gold Medal (scratch) at Summer Meeting; Silver Medal (scratch) at Winter Meeting; Monthly Medal (handicap) on second Saturday of each month; Bogey Medal (handicap) on fourth Saturday of each month; Burchell-Herne Cup (handicap) in September; Foursomes (handicap) in March.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Gold Medal: F. W. W. Graham, 82; Silver Medal: F. W. W. Graham, 88; Final of Monthly Medal (two rounds), First Division: J. S. Crawford, 192—24=168; Second Division: J. L. Clark, 186—22=164; Final of Bogey Medal, First Division: A. D. Walker, four down; Second Division: J. L. Clark, one down; Burchell-Herne Cup: O. W. F. Hill; Foursomes, J. L. Clark and P. B. Coombe.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 74 by H. H. Hilton in an amateur open competition, on June 20th, 1893.

Records for Green: (1) Professional, 71, by C. Thom, on July 31st, 1894; (2) Amateur, 74, by H. H. Hilton, as above.

The course of eighteen holes is beautifully situated in a private park adjoining "The Hall," Bushey, and is about three and a quarter miles round. It is scarcely one mile from Bushey and two miles from Watford Railway Stations on the London and North-Western Railway main line. The holes vary in length from 130 to 480 yards,

and are protected by numerous natural and artificial hazards. The Clubhouse, where luncheons, &c., may be obtained, is close to the first tee and the eighteenth green, and Bushey Hall Hydropathic Establishment is within three minutes walk of the green.

It was resolved at the Annual General Meeting of the West Herts Golf Club, in January, 1894, to limit the liability of the members under the Companies Acts, 1862 to 1890, and the new club was accordingly incorporated on June 1st, 1894.

Caddies fees are as follows: First-class caddies, ninepence per round; second class, sixpence.

BUSHMILLS.

BUSH FOOT GOLF CLUB.

Hon. Secretary—A. H. Steen, Bushmills, Ireland.

BUXTON.

BUXTON AND HIGH PEAK GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JUNE, 1887.

Entrance Fee, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 220. *President*—Duke of Devonshire. *Vice-Presidents*—Col. Sidebottom, M.P., Victor Cavendish, M.P., Marquis of Granby, M.P. *Captain*—Col. Fernley. *Hon. Treasurer*—W. L. Shipton, The Square, Buxton. *Hon. Secretary*—E. Bythway, 1, Avenue-terrace, Buxton. *Committee*—A. Coventry, J. H. Beckett, W. R. Bryden, Captain Darwin, R.N., F. Drewry, W. E. Fairlie, F. S. Higson, J. H. Orme, C. F. Wardley.

Club Prizes.—Easter Monday, Prize presented by J. K. Taylor; June 5, Prize presented by Col. Sidebottom, M.P.; June 6, Prize presented by W. Brindle; June 7, Prize presented by S. B. Kendal; June 8, Duke of Devonshire's Silver Vase; August 3, Club Prize; August 5, Captain's Prize; October 26, Monthly Medal (final); in April, May, and June, Bogey competition for prize presented by A. B. Scholfield.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Captain's Prize: Major Munn and W. Willoughby, a tie. Whit Monday Cup: W. B. Edmondson. Whit Saturday Cup: W. E. Fairlie. Midsummer Cup: A. B. Scholfield. Strutt Cup: A. B. Scholfield. Kendal Cup: T. G. Bates. Duke of Devonshire's Vase: W. A. Milner, after a tie with Col. Fernley. Sidebottom Cup: F. Edmondson. Foursome Tournament: Edmondson and Greenwell. Bennett Cup: J. L. Burt. Monthly Medal: W. B. Edmondson.

The Bogey score for the course is 84, and the record 81, by H. Shipton, and W. Lowe the professional.

A professional and two ground-men are constantly employed, and no expense is spared to maintain and improve the character of the green. The professional has his workshop on the club premises, and is a good club-maker, and a most painstaking coach. On the introduction of a member of the Committee, any gentleman may be made a temporary member for any number of weeks on payment of seven shillings and sixpence per week. Ladies may be made temporary members, on payment of five shillings for the first week and two shillings and sixpence per week afterwards, but they may not play on competition days, or Saturdays, and are only allowed the use of the dining-room of the club, and of that only after 3.30 p.m.

The course will be found described at length in the special article, "The Buxton Golf Links."

CAIRO.

CAIRO GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1888.

The golf course is in the grounds of the Khedivial Sporting Club, all members of which are entitled to play. Visitors can become members of the Sporting Club on payment of 1*l.* a month, and there is no separate subscription for golf.

The golfing community is so small and of such a changeable nature, consisting chiefly of officers of the army, who are frequently absent on leave or on duty, that anything in the way of prize competitions is difficult to arrange. A silver medal exists, which was presented to the club in 1888 by Mr. J. E. Laidlay. It is played for annually.

The green consists of nine holes, and the shortness of the course, which only stretches over a length of 2200 yards, is compensated for by the abnormal number of sandy lies and the difficulty of the "greens," which are brown patches of puddled earth, over which sand is sprinkled daily. The game languishes during the summer months, though a small number of enthusiasts may be seen wandering over the ground even in the sultriest weather.

There is also a golf course in connection with the Mena House Hotel, which is situated in close proximity to the great Pyramid.

CALCUTTA.

CALCUTTA GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1829.

Entrance Fee, Fifty Rupees; *Annual Subscription*, Twenty Rupees; *Number of Members*, 771. *President*—Sir Charles A. Elliott, K.C.S.I., I.C.S. *Vice-President*—G. A. Ormiston. *Captain*—A. F. Simson. *Committee*—J. O. Saunders, F. H. E. Lamb, N. M. Mitchell-Innes, and J. Adamson. *Hon. Secretary and Treasurer*—C. A. Smith, 4, Park-street, Calcutta. *Hon. Ground Secretary*—F. E. Patteson. *Greens*—Calcutta Maidan and Dum-Dum.

Club Prizes.—Lansdowne Gold Medal (handicap), in January; Tournament by holes for a Cup (presented by the visitors at the Championship Meeting), to commence on January 26th; Ladies' Challenge Cup (handicap), in February; Blackheath Gold Medal (handicap), and a Cup, and a Duffer's Cup (handicap), Club Gold Medal (scratch) and Captain's Cup (handicap), in March; Foursome Tournament (handicap), to commence on April 1st; St. Andrews Silver Tankard and a Cup (handicap), and a Duffer's Cup (handicap), Madras Silver Medal (handicap), in April; and Bombay Silver Medal (handicap), in May; Cashmere Silver Challenge Cup for best scratch round of nine holes during year; and Silver Challenge Club (handicap), for lowest net aggregate of eight rounds.

Prize Winners in 1893-94.—Championship of India, Christmas Meeting, 1893—Challenge Silver Cup: N. M. Mitchell-Innes, 278; Second Prize, J. B. Robertson, 284. Handicap Prize: H. C. Begg, 90 (scratch); Second Prize, F. H. E. Lamb, 92 (scratch). Record Prize: N. M. Mitchell-Innes and J. B. Robertson tied. Visitors' Handicap: *S. Forbes, 199−12=187.* Open Handicap: *S. Forbes, 95−10=85.* Visitors' Scratch Prize: J. B. Robertson, 88. Club Gold Medal: J. Adamson, 87 (scratch). Blackheath Gold Medal: N. F. Mackenzie, 93−6=87; Second Prize, W. E. G. C. Dickson, 97−10=87. Lansdowne Gold Medal: F. H. E. Lamb, 89 (scratch). Cashmere Silver Cup: N. M. Mitchell-Innes, 39 (scratch). Ladies' Challenge Cup: A. F. Simson, 85 (scratch). Silver Challenge Club: N. M. Mitchell-Innes, 346 (scratch), and R. D. Murray, 357−11=346, tied. Madras Silver Medal: A. J. Pugh, 95−16=79. Bombay Silver Medal: A. J. Dent, 98−12=86. St. Andrews Silver Challenge Tankard: N. McLeod, 89−4=85; Second Prize, J. G. Ritchie, 94−9=85. Opening Day's Handicap: N. M. Mitchell-Innes, 45 (scratch). Finlay Prize (Hole Match): N. M. Mitchell-Innes. Captain's Cup: J. Steel, 95−12=83. Foursome Match: F. H. E. Lamb, D. A. Campbell. Second Foursome Match: L. G. Dunbar, W. Orrell. Duffers' Cups: R. T. Denne, 56−6=50; Capt. C. F. G. Young, 106−6=100; E. A. Leach, 104−4=100.

Lowest Scratch Score.—39 for nine holes, by J. F. Macnair, in 1887, 1888, 1891, 1892; and by N. M. Mitchell-Innes, in 1894-5.

The following Medals and Cups have been presented to other clubs: Royal Blackheath Golf Club, a Silver Challenge Cup, 1875; Royal and Ancient Golf Club, St. Andrews, a Silver Challenge Cup, 1885; Royal Bombay Golf Club, a Silver Medal, 1881; Madras Golf Club, a Silver Medal, 1881; Colombo Golf Club, a Silver Medal, 1887; Rangoon Golf Club, a Silver Medal, 1887; Penang Golf Club, a Silver Medal, 1888; Ladies' Golf Club, Calcutta, a Silver Challenge Bowl, 1891; Barrackpore Golf Club, a Silver Medal, 1892.

The Calcutta Golf Club claims to be the mother club in India, and in the "Good old days of the Honourable John Company"—by Mr. W. H. Carey—we find the following remarks:—"A golf club was established in Calcutta on the 24th March, 1839, of which Lord Ramsay was Captain." Records of the existence of the club have been traced ten years previous to this, and it would appear that 1839 has been misprinted for 1829. Further proof is from the existence

of a large quantity of brass buttons still in the possession of the club which bear the Scotch Thistle, Golf Arms, and motto "Far and Sure," and the year 1829.

There are two courses of nine holes each on the Maidan, it being too small for eighteen holes. They are situated in the centre of the town. The circuit of the old course is 3160 yards, and of the new course 3061, the par of both being 39. A large bowling green, three tennis courts, and a quoiting ground are also attached to the club.

The Dum-Dum course is seven miles from Government House, and the club bungalow is seven and a half miles. The drive occupies about an hour. The round consists of nine holes, the circuit being 3391 yards, and the par 42. Through the kindness of the military authorities the club has been allowed to enlarge the sand bunkers considerably, and the course is now considered one of the best in India.

On approval by the Committee, temporary residents in Calcutta may become members of the club for a period not exceeding four months on payment of a monthly subscription of rupees ten. They shall be entitled to all the privileges of the club, except playing for medals, prizes, &c., and attending or voting at meetings or balloting for members: but this privilege cannot be claimed a second time in one season. Should a temporary member at any time wish to become a permanent member, half the amount, up to rupees twenty previously paid by him, shall, on his election, be treated as portion of his entrance fee.

CALCUTTA LADIES' GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MAY 7TH, 1891.

Entrance Fee, Sixteen Shillings; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l*. 4*s*.; *Number of Members*, 74. *Patroness*—Lady Elgin. *President*—Lady Elliott. *Vice-President*—Mrs. Rogers. *Captain*—Mrs. King. *Committee*—Mrs. Hanlon, Mrs. Kidston, Miss Wilson, Mrs. Bryant, Mrs. Donaldson, Mrs. Finney. *Hon. Secretary*—Mrs. Andrew Ker, 7, Hare-street, Calcutta.

Club Prizes.—Calcutta Bowl, Stevenson Bowl, Lansdowne Medal, Monthly Medal, &c., &c. (all handicap).

Prize Winners in 1894.—Calcutta Bowl: Mrs. E. J. Marshall. Stevenson Bowl: Mrs. Hanlon. Lansdowne Medal: Mrs. Hanlon. Monthly Medal: Mrs. Bryant.

Record for Green, 38, by Mrs. King.

The course consists of nine holes.

CALLANDER.

CALLANDER GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED SEPTEMBER, 1882.

Annual Subscription, 1*l*. 1*s*.; *Number of Members*, 40. *President*—J. B. Baillie-Hamilton. *Vice-President*—

E. W. B. Gray. *Captain*—J. Anderson. *Committee*—Dr. Maclaren, J. Thomson, J. Macdonald, C. Freebairn, R. Lister, J. Lister, D. MacEwen, jun., J. Robertson. *Hon. Secretary*—W. Thomson, Bank of Scotland, Callander. *Professional and Greenkeeper*—A. C. Brown.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Challenge Cup: D. Maclaren, 106−3=103. Handicap Medal: J. McEwen. Scratch Medal: J. Anderson.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 95, by F. Macintyre, in August, 1894.

Record for Green, 41, by E. W. B. Gray, in 1893.

The course of nine holes is within five minutes' walk of Callander Station (Cal. Railway). There are various first-class hotels in the town.

CAMBERLEY.

ROYAL MILITARY COLLEGE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MARCH, 1890.

The club is open to officers and cadets of the R.M. College only.

The course (nine holes) lies round the cricket and football grounds, and is about a mile in length. The hazards consist chiefly of roads and rhododendron beds, and the greens are fairly good.

CAMBRIDGE.

CAMBRIDGE UNIVERSITY GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1875.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 2*l.* yearly, or 1*l.* 1*s.* a term. *Number of Members*, over 400. *President*—C. Pigg. *Captain*—F. R. Upcher. *Hon. Treasurer*—R. C. Burrows. *Hon. Secretary*—W. T. Linskill, from May 1st until October 10th Royal and Ancient Golf Club, St. Andrews, rest of year Cambridge. *Committee*—W. Watson, J. G. McCall, E. K. Le Fleming, H. Pigg B. Darwin, F. W. Beckford, K. M. Marshall, E. C. Craig. *Professionals and Greenkeepers*—J. Gourlay, D. Gourlay, W. Duncan, H. Spaxman.

Club Prizes.—Linskill Cup (scratch), and the Pirie, Barrow, and St. Andrews Medals (handicap), played for every term.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Linskill Cup: W. T. Linskill, 85. Pirie Medal: J. A. Scott, 101−25=76. Barrow Medal: H. Glasier.

The course is situated at Coldham Common, about two miles from Cambridge Station, but only a few yards from Barnwell Station on the Great Eastern Railway. Trams also run to within four minutes' walk of the clubhouse. The soil is of clay, but the putting greens are

excellent and true in dry weather. The course consists of eighteen holes, one round being four miles. The drainage of the common and sanding and sowing of the greens have greatly improved the course. There are no very short holes. The ground is undulating, and the hazards a road, several footpaths, dry ditches, two running burns, and bushes, &c. The course is open from October 12th till May 12th, and the professionals are always ready to instruct beginners. There are weekly handicaps during term time. The Rules of the Royal and Ancient Golf Club, St. Andrews, are strictly followed. The clubhouse contains a large lunch and smoking room, large reading room, dressing room, four offices, large hall for boxes, &c., professionals' shop and house. Last year the club took in some extra ground, and the home hole and the first tee are placed there, this giving the additional hazards of two deep pits, one full of water, a running stream, a road, and a quantity of rushes. The shorter eighteen-hole round has been holed in 72 by W. Welsh and C. E. Hambro. The longer medal round has been holed by W. Welsh in 80.

A new course of eighteen holes has recently been laid out by Messrs. H. J. Gray and Sons, club-makers, Cambridge. It is situated in the Granchester Meadows, about fifteen or sixteen minutes' walk from the centre of the town, and extends by the side of the river Granta for a considerable way, and then running up into the village of Granchester. The hazards are ditches, hedges, and trees.

CAMPBELTOWN.

MACHRIHANISH GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1876.

Entrance Fee, 1*l*. 1*s*.; *Annual Subscription*, Ten Shillings *Number of Members*, about 300. *Captain*—Captain MacNeal. *Hon. Treasurer*—A. H. Duncan. *Committee*—W. Greenlees, J. Lothian, D. Mactaggart, D. C. Greenlees, S. Greenlees, A. H. Gardiner. *Hon. Secretary*—D. Colville, Dalintober Distillery, Campbeltown. *Greenkeeper*—J. Munro.

Club Prizes.—Gold Medal (scratch), in spring; Silver Medal (scratch), in autumn; Carskey Cross and Trophies (handicap), on first Saturday of each month.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Gold Medal: D. C. Greenlees, 90. Silver Medal: W. Welsh, 83.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 81, by W. Welsh, in September, 1892.

Records for Green.—(1) Professional, 75, by W. Fernie, in April 1894; (2) Amateur, 74, by W. Welsh, in September, 1892.

Machrihanish lies five miles west from Campbeltown, which is within a few hours' sail by steamers from Greenock, Gourock, an Ayr. The proprietors of the Argyll and White Hart hotels in Campbeltown run wagonettes to and from the links twice a week in

summer, and once a week in winter, carrying passengers for the moderate charge of 1s. each. Visitors can have rooms within a hundred yards of the home hole at Pans Hotel, to which considerable additions have recently been made, the hotel having now over eighty rooms, and being provided with all modern improvements, including billiard rooms, tennis courts, &c. The proprietor of this hotel has conveyances attending the arrival and departure of steamers, for the convenience of strangers visiting the links. Private lodging-houses also abound in the neighbourhood, and ground for feuing can be had on very moderate terms. There are the further conveniences of post and telegraph offices. In Machrihanish stream, and in several lochs in the vicinity, good trout fishing may be had free.

The links, which are universally admitted by those who have played over them to be "the finest of all links," were laid out about the year 1876 entirely to the north side of Machrihanish stream; but three years later the ground on the south side of the burn began to be utilised, although it was not till 1885 that the course was completed by placing the home hole on the plateau from which the first tee shots are driven. Three years ago several material alterations were made on the round, which is now considerably longer and more difficult than before.

MACHRIHANISH LADIES' GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MAY 17TH, 1890.

Entrance Fee, Ten Shillings; *Annual Subscription*, Seven Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, 100. *President* — Mrs. MacNeal. *Captain* — Mrs. Gardiner. *Hon. Treasurer*—Miss Brown. *Committee*—Mrs. D. Colville, Mrs. W. McKersie, Mrs. J. MacEwing, Miss Greenlees, Mrs. D. Mactaggart. *Hon. Secretary*—Miss Harvey, Skipness Court, Campbeltown. *Greenkeeper*—J. Munro.

Club Prizes.—Pearl and diamond bracelet and watch, monthly.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Spring Competition, Miss Lyon, 84 (scratch); Autumn Competition, Miss Lizzie Colville, 77 (scratch); Monthly Trophy (carriage clock), Miss M. Ferguson, 77+1=78.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition.—69, by Mrs. F. Smith, on 19th August, 1893.

The Green Record is 24, by T. Carmichael, St. Andrews, in August, 1893.

The ladies' course lies to the right of the long course, stretching out as far as the burn, and consists of nine holes.

DUNAVERTY GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MARCH 19TH, 1889.

Annual Subscription, Ten Shillings; *Number of Members*, 55. *President*—Marquis of Lorne. *Captain*—

W. Greenlees. *Treasurer*—J. Taylor. *Committee*—A. M. Greenlees, J. Lothian, J. Reid, and A. Ronald. *Hon. Secretary*—T. Bryce, The Schoolhouse, Southend, Campbeltown. *Greenkeeper*—J. McEachan.

Club Prizes.—Lorne Gold Medal (scratch), and Gold Medal (handicap), in May and August.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Lorne Gold Medal: J. Taylor, 86. Gold Medal (handicap): J. Moffat, 84—6=78, who also won Monthly Gold Medal outright.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 78, by A. H. Gardiner, on May 1st, 1891.

Records for the Green.—(1) Professional, 76, by Willie Campbell, in September, 1890; (2) Amateur, 76, by A. H. Gardiner, in June, 1890.

The Southend Links are beautifully situated at the Mull of Kintyre, an hour's drive from Campbeltown, and visitors can either hire or come by the Post Gig—fare 1*s*. Accommodation may be had in Argyll Hotel, Southend (Mr. Jas. Taylor's), or in private houses in the neighbourhood of links. The course is of the most sporting character, there being an infinite variety of hazards in the form of streams, hills, gullies, bent, and whins. It is an inexorable course, for there is no dodging of bunkers. The prospect from the links is extensive, and, on a fine day, even beautiful. Dunaverty Keil and the bold headland of the Mull stretch away to the right; westward lies the coast of Ireland; in front stretches the Irish Channel, with the Island of Sanda close at hand; and in the rear are the fertile lands of Southend, and the indispensable inn.

CANARY ISLANDS.

LAS PALMAS GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1891.

Annual Subscription, 1*l*. *Hon. Secretary*—E. C. Barker.

The course, which is situated on the high ground behind the Catalina Hotel, Las Palmas, Grand Canary, consists of twelve holes varying in length from 150 to 420 yards. There is a small clubhouse. Monthly members are admitted at a charge of 6*s*. 8*d*., and can play for the Monthly Medal and Palmer Challenge Cup, which are the club prizes.

CANNES.

CANNES GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1891.

Number of Members, 400. *President*—H.I.H. the Grand Duke Michael of Russia. *Vice-Presidents*—H.R.H. the Prince of Wales, H.R.H. the Grand Duke of Mecklenberg Schwerin, H.R.H. the Duke of Cambridge, H.S.H. the Prince of Thurn and Taxis, J. Gordon-Bennett, General

Vicomte De Bernis, Lord Brougham and Vaux, Lord Dunleath, Monsieur De Falbe, O. Goelet, Monsieur Kousnetzoff, Prince Ouroussoff, Comte E. de Pourtalès. *Captain*—Lieut.-Col. Cragg. *Committee*—Baron de St. Genest, Capt. Philip Green, Cte. J. de Pourtalès, A. Ussher, R. C. Vyner, F. Walker. *Hon. Secretary*—Colonel Woodward. *Greenkeeper*—R. Alty.

Club Prizes.—President's Prize, Castle Wemyss Challenge Cup, Gold Medals, Duke of Cambridge's Prize, Captain's Prize, Town of Cannes Challenge Cup, Town of Cannes "Médailles d'Honneur."

Prize Winners in 1894.—Gold Medal: Hon. A. Mulholland. President's Prize: A. D. Halford. Captain's Prize: J. W. Allen. Town of Cannes Challenge Cup: J. Roberts. Town of Cannes Médaille d'Honneur Cup: P. Green.

The course is at Napoule, four miles from Cannes, and is reached by train to Napoule station, which is twelve minutes' walk from the clubhouse; or by road, the club running a brake daily from Cannes. It is situated at the foot of the beautiful Esterel Mountains. The clubhouse is large and roomy, and an excellent restaurant is attached.

All inquiries should be addressed to the Hon. Secretary, Villa Merville, Cannes.

CANTERBURY.

CANTERBURY GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED OCTOBER, 1891.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 90. *President*—Col. H. R. Abadie, C.B. *Vice-Presidents*—J. Henniker Heaton, M.P., and W. J. Dennis. *Captain*—Capt. F. G. Frith. *Committee*—E. V. Dean, Rev. L. H. Evans, Rev. G. H. Gray, Capt. E. C. Knox, A. J. Lancaster, Col. C. E. Reeves. *Hon. Secretary*—A. J. Macfarlane, 6, St. George's-place, Canterbury. *Green*—The Old Park. *Greenkeeper*—C. May.

Club Prizes.—Monthly Medal, on third Tuesday in each month; Gold Medal, for the best aggregate of three net scores in Monthly Medal Competitions; Captain's Prizes (Bogey), on first Thursday in February; Mason Prize (Bogey), on first Thursday in March.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Gold Cross: Dr. W. W. Smith, 237. Mason Prize: Rev. T. Field.

Lowest Scratch Score, 83, by Dr. Manly, in March, 1894.

Green Record, 39, by Dr. B. C. Manly.

The course is of nine holes, of a total length of 1865 yards. A deep valley is crossed four times. The third and fourth holes, which are the two best, cross some old gravel workings, now overgrown

with grass, and the sixth hole is an iron shot across a broad gravel pit. Greens are small, but fairly good. The Railway Stations (South-Eastern and London, Chatham and Dover Rys.) are one mile from the green. First-class return tickets from London are supplied to members at reduced rates. Capital accommodation may be had in the Rose and the Fountain Hotels.

CAPETOWN.

CAPE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED NOVEMBER, 1885.

Entrance Fee: Ten Shillings; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.*; *Number of Members*, 140. *President*—Sir H. B. Lock, K.C.M.G. *Vice-President*—D. Gill, LL.D., F.R.S. *Captain*—P. C. Grant. *Committee*—B. Bayly, J. Harden, H. B. Roper, G. D. Walker, J. P. F. Watermeyer. *Hon. Secretary*—W. H. Finlay, Royal Observatory, near Capetown. *Green*—Rondebosch. *Greenkeeper and Professional*—W. D. Day, jun. (late of Musselburgh).

Club Prizes.—Club Championship Medal (scratch) in October; and Captain's Medal (handicap) monthly.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Championship: P. C. Grant, 91. Seale Medal: G. B. Muir. Junior Medal: C. W. M. Kingsley.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 87, by P. C. Grant, on April 21, 1894.

Records for Green.—(1) Professional, 36, by W. D. Day; (2) Amateur, 41, by P. C. Grant, both in 1894.

The course is situated at Rondebosch, about half a mile from the railway station, and consists of nine holes in a circuit of a mile and a quarter. The soil is sandy, and there are lots of natural bunkers.

CARLISLE.

CARLISLE AND SILLOTH GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED FEBRUARY 1, 1895 (by Amalgamation of the Carlisle and Silloth Golf Clubs.)

Annual Subscription, 2*l.* 2*s.*, 1*l.* 1*s.*, 10*s.* 6*d.*, 5*s.* *Number of Members*, about 100. *President*—Col. Salkeld. *Vice-Presidents*—Sir R. Musgrave, J. R. Creighton, and E. H. Banks. *Captain*—C. Todd. *Sub-Captain*—W. P. Story. *Treasurer*—H. Scott. *Hon. Secretary*—Dr. James Macdonald, 4, Bolton-place, Carlisle. *Greens*—Dalston and Silloth. *Greenkeepers*—Jefferson (Dalston), Lawson (Silloth).

Club Prizes.—Salkeld Bowl (scratch); Captain's Medal at Dalston and Chance Medal (handicap) at Silloth, monthly, from April to September.

The green at Dalston consists of nine holes, and, though small, affords plenty of scope for play, having natural hazards in the shape of whins, roads, &c. Dalston is four and a half miles from Carlisle, and the green is about a quarter of a mile from the station, to which there is a convenient service of trains.

The Silloth green consists of eighteen holes, and is laid out on the stretch of ground belonging to the North British Railway, called Blitterlees Bank, within a stone's throw of the Solway Firth. The holes vary in length from 147 to 380 yards, and the hazards are bunkers, bents, heather, and broken ground. Silloth is twenty miles from Carlisle. There is an excellent train service, and ample hotel and lodging-house accommodation. The green is fifty yards from the station.

CARLOPS.

CARLOPS GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JANUARY, 1893.

The course, of nine holes, situated on the farm of West Mains at the foot of the Pentland Hills, is about a mile and a half in length, and has as hazards bunkers, whins, and heather. The first teeing ground is in close proximity to the Allan Ramsay Hotel, so favourably known to the many pleasure seekers and holiday-makers who visit the far-famed "Habbie's Howe," celebrated in song by Allan Ramsay. The village of Carlops is fourteen miles south-west from Edinburgh, and may be reached by rail either to Penicuik or Broomlee, the former five and the latter a little over three miles from the village. A conveyance runs twice daily in the season from Penicuik.

CARLUKE.

CARLUKE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED OCTOBER 9, 1893.

Annual Subscription, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; Ladies, Five Shillings. *Number of Members*, 56, and Ladies, 27. *President*—J. Kelly. *Vice-President*—A. Jack. *Treasurer*—A. Murray. *Committee*—R. Gibson, C. Eason, J. H. Lindsay, J. Martin, T. Jackson, G. Dick, R. Hobart, A. Balvillie, D. Chalmers, J. Walker, A. Aikmand and J. Hinksman. *Hon. Secretary*—J. Barr, Whiteshaw, Carluke, N.B. *Greenkeeper*—J. Jackson.

Club Prizes.—Anstruther Cup: President's Medal, and Subscription Medal (handicap).

Prize Winners in 1894.—Anstruther Cup: D. Chalmers. President's Medal: W. Eason. Subscription Medal: C. Eason.

Green Record, 37, by J. Barr and C. Eason.

The course consists of nine holes, and the hazards are a quarry, a hedge, and a shale heap. Carluke Station (Caledonian) is one mile from the green.

CARNOUSTIE.

DALHOUSIE GOLF CLUB. INSTITUTED 1862.

Entrance Fee, 5*l.* 5*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.*; *Number of Members*, 400. *Captain*—D. Anderson. *Hon. Secretary*—D. McIntyre, C.A., 13, Albert-square, Dundee. *Greenkeeper*—D. Dargie.

Club Prizes.—Club Gold Medal (scratch), Brand Medal (scratch), and Gilroy Gold Medal (handicap), at Spring Meeting; Moir Medal (scratch) and Guthrie Medal (scratch), at Autumn Meeting; Dalhousie Cup (handicap), presented by the late Earl of Dalhousie; monthly (handicap) matches during the winter and spring months and aggregate and optional sweepstakes.

The Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition over the course as it now stands is 80, by J. L. Low, in 1894.

The Green Record is 72, by F. G. Tait, in 1894.

The course of eighteen holes has recently been altered, and several of the holes lengthened, thus adding considerably to the difficulty of the round. There is every variety of hazard, commencing with running water and ending with it. There are also turf dykes, palings, and between fifty and sixty sand bunkers of all sorts and sizes. There is an auxiliary course of nine holes. The holes are short, but very sporting. It also has been improved.

The green curator is Robert Simpson (golf club maker, Carnoustie), for the Dalhousie Club, who are the Curators appointed by the Police Commissioners of Carnoustie, by whom the links have been acquired for the purposes of golf only. The Carnoustie railway station is about five minutes' walk from the course. In the village there are three or four hotels where visitors can be accommodated, besides every variety of private lodgings.

CALEDONIA GOLF CLUB. INSTITUTED MAY, 1877.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.*; *Annual Subscription*, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, 260. *Captain*—D. D. Paton. *Treasurer*—L. Falconer. *Committee*—J. P. Bruce, D. Kidd, J. J. H. Henry, H. Whyte, J. P. M. Lowson, J. McAndrew, J. Black. *Hon. Secretary*—H. H. Watson, Meadowside, Dundee.

Club Prizes.—Club Medal (scratch), Henry Medal (scratch), and Club Medal (handicap), in May and October; Leith Medal (handicap) and Watson Cup (handicap), in July and August.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Club Medal: D. Winter, 80. Henry Medal: G. Fox, 80. Average Medal: D. Phillips, 89. Leith Medal: W. Young. Watson Cup: A. D. Freeland, 85.

The clubhouse is conveniently situated close to the first tee.

Special provision, which is very largely taken advantage of in the summer months, has been made for the accommodation of visitors, who are admitted to the privileges of the club on payment of a small fee.

CARNOUSTIE AND TAYMOUTH GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1839.

Entrance Fee, One Shilling; *Annual Subscription*, One Shilling. *Captain*—D. Ramsay. *Committee*—D. A. Bell, J. Stewart, A. Smith, J. Boyle, J. Simpson, J. Fox, T. Jamieson, A. Caut, J. Walker. *Hon. Secretary*—A. Ramsay, Carnoustie.

CARNOUSTIE LADIES' GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED AUGUST, 1873.

Entrance Fee, Five Shillings; *Annual Subscription*, Five Shillings; *Number of Members*, 70. *President*—Mrs. A. R. Gibson. *Vice-President*—Mrs. W. Cæsar. *Committee*—Mrs. D. Scroggie, Miss Carrie, Miss Stewart, Miss Nicol, Miss Fullarton. *Joint Secretaries*—Mrs. and Miss Dickson, Dalhousie Villa, Carnoustie. *Treasurer*—W. Freeland, Carnoustie.

Club Prizes.—Monthly Silver Medal; Club Gold Medal, annually; two Silver Cups; and other prizes.

The club recently feued a plot of ground whereon a clubhouse will shortly be erected. The Secretaries will be pleased to receive donations to this fund. The course is a short one of nine holes, and only wooden putters are used.

CARRIGART.

At Carrigart, County Donegal, there is an excellent eighteen-hole course in connection with the Rosapenna Hotel. The circuit is about three and a half miles, the putting greens, with three exceptions, are natural, and the hazards are bunkers, a lake, streams, bent, roads, hills, and rocky ridges. The view from the course is lovely.

CASHMERE.

CASHMERE GOLF CLUB.

Hon. Secretary—Lieut.-Colonel Neville Chamberlain.

There are two greens. The one at Gulmarg consists of eighteen very sporting holes, and will be found fully described in a special article. The other at Srinagar consists of twelve holes with splendid turf, but is rather tame. The situation and scenery are

lovely, and the green is 500ft. above sea level. Visitors to the famous valley can thus combine golf with the other great attractions of Cashmere, and throughout the valley there are innumerable glades and plateaux covered with the finest turf imaginable, where the ardent golfer may have occasional practice.

CASTLE DOUGLAS.

CASTLE DOUGLAS GOLF CLUB.

No particulars forthcoming.

CHARD.

CHARD GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED FEBRUARY, 1894.

Annual Subscription, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 34. *Captain*—A. V. Kyrke. *Treasurer*—Mr. Harding. *Committee*—Rev. H. Cartwright, Rev. C. Wimberley, and Messrs. Richards, Langdon, J. Mitchell, and E. James. *Hon. Secretary*—Rev. J. C. James, Chard.

A cup is played for every second month, and it will become the property of the first member who wins it thrice in succession, or five times in all.

The course of nine holes is about 2716 yards round, and the hazards are rather easy. Chard Railway Station is one mile from the green.

CHATHAM.

ROYAL ENGINEERS' GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1887.

The course consists of fourteen holes only, and is a good deal cut up by field works, &c., which cause it to be altered so much that it is hard to say what the record for the round is. Anything under 100 for the eighteen holes is good, the first four being played twice to complete the full number.

CHEADLE.

CHEADLE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED SEPTEMBER 1ST, 1891.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 2*l.* 2*s.* for playing members, 1*l.* 1*s.* for non-playing and non-resident; *Number of Members*, about 100. *President*—Rev. O. K. Prescot. *Vice-Presidents*—R. C. Barker, Rev. F. A. Macdona, S. B. Kendal, J. H. Marriott, J. D. Milne, J. E. Platt, Rev. J. W. Paull, and J. H. Milne. *Captain*—W. Scowcroft. *Committee*—J. Merry, S. Fernyhough, W. H. Smith, F. Bindloss, G. G. Campion, J. B. Cairnie, H. Wilson, G. E. Lund, and L. T. Willcox. *Hon. Treasurer*—J. B.

Parkinson. *Hon. Secretary* — C. D. Milne, Bassendene, Cheadle, Cheshire. *Greenkeeper*—W. Kirk.

Club Prizes.—Prescot Badge (scratch), held by the lowest scorer in any competition until that score is beaten; President's Cup (handicap 15 limit), in March, to go outright to winner; Monthly Medals, silver and bronze (handicap), on the last Saturday in each month for the two classes, viz., 13 or under, and over 13—the winners of the six summer competitions to play off for the Summer Medals, and the winners of the six winter competitions for the Winter Medals; Challenge Cup, played for by holes by the four players returning the six best net scores in any of the twelve monthly competitions (handicap limited to 17), to be won outright when won thrice in succession; Bogey Competitions on New Year's Day, Easter Monday, Whit-Monday, August Bank Holiday, and Boxing Day; also Singles and Foursomes Competitions, besides prizes given by members.

Prize Winners in 1894.—President's Cup, G. King, 108−25=83. Prescot Badge: J. Merry, 87 (scratch). Winter Medals: Silver, W. H. Smith, 89−7=82; bronze, A. Ramm, 100 (scratch). Summer Medals: Silver, S. Fernyhough, 93−7=86; bronze, C. W. Southwell, 99 (scratch). Challenge Cup: F. Bindloss, net average 85·4. Easter Monday (Bogey): W. A. Wood. Whit-Monday (Bogey): W. Scowcroft. Foursome Tournament: S. Fernyhough and W. H. Smith. Singles Tournament: H. Wilson. Scowcroft Prize: H. W. Carlton. August (Bogey): H. Mosley, O. J. Mosley, and C. Hopkinson, divided. Boxing Day (Bogey): C. D. Milne, S. Fernyhough, and A. T. Holland, divided.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 87, by J. Merry, in April, 1894.

Records for Green.—Professional, 39, by W. Kirk; Amateur, 39, by J. Merry.

The course of nine holes is one mile from Cheadle and Cheadle Hulme Stations (L. & N.W.R.), where cabs can be obtained, and the clubhouse is on the green. The hazards are fences, ditches, ponds, and artificial bunkers. Visitors may be introduced four times in a year for nothing, or may have weekly tickets at 5*s.*, or monthly at 10*s.*

CHEADLE LADIES' GOLF CLUB.

Annual Subscription, Ten Shillings; *Number of Members*, 30.

Club Prizes and Winners in 1894.—Lund Prize (handicap): Mrs. C. D. Milne, 83−20=63 for nine holes. Treasurer's Monthly Prize (final): Mrs. F. Fernyhough.

CHELMSFORD.

CHELMSFORD GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MAY 4TH, 1893.

Entrance Fee, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 90. *President*—Lord Rayleigh.

Vice-President—The Right Hon. A. J. Balfour, M.P. *Captain*—W. M. De Zoete. *Committee*—D. C. Gibbs, R. Newman, and J. A. Pledger. *Hon. Secretary*—J. A. Copland, Bellefield, Chelmsford.

The course is situated at Galleywood Common, which is about two miles and a half from Chelmsford Railway Station, and is 270ft. above the sea level. It consists at present of nine holes, with good natural hazards, and the greens are in excellent order. The course is about one mile in extent; scratch score, 34 to 38. Ample accommodation can be obtained at the inns adjacent to the Common.

CHELTENHAM.

CHELTENHAM GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MARCH, 1891.

The course is on Cleeve Common, about three miles from the town, from which a 'bus runs hourly. It is a circular course of eighteen holes, which are to be found at altitudes varying from 700ft. to 1000ft. above sea level. The hazards are quarries, deep-sunk roads, and cart ruts.

CHESTER.

CHESTER GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JANUARY, 1891.

Entrance Fee, 3*l.* 3*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Number of Members*, 213. *Patron*—R. A. Yerburgh, M.P. *President*—E. Massie. *Committee*—Capt. Cooper, R.A., F. Evans, Hon. C. H. Vivian, G. H. Reynolds, A. Barker, E. W. Swetenham, E. C. Kendall, Capt. Beresford-Drummond, Dr. Renton, and R. Wilkinson. *Hon. Treasurers*—W. D. Jolliffe and H. D. Jolliffe. *Hon. Secretaries*—J. M. Frost and J. G. Frost. *Green*—Sealand Marsh, Queen's Ferry. *Greenkeeper*—W. D. More.

Club Prizes.—Committee's Cups, from February to July inclusive, final in August; Monthly Competition, from March to August inclusive, final in September; Best Prize, on 2nd March; Shand Prize (Bogey), on 1st June; President's Cup, on 3rd June; Capt. Mould and Capt. Dorling's Prize (Bogey), on 20th July; Foursomes Prize, on 3rd August; Yerburgh Challenge Cup, on 5th August; Club prizes on April 15th (Bogey), May 4th (handicap by holes), and September 14th (strokes handicap). An Open Meeting is held on 14th and 15th June.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Handicap Competition: T. W. Rowley, 101—8=93. President's Prize: H. Mayhew, 89—5=84. Yerburgh Challenge Cup: R. W. Shand, 96—12=84. Silver Medal: J. Bowley, 91. Bogey Competition: T. G. Frost, all even. Club Handicap: F. W. Hayes, 89—3=86. Committee's Cup: J. Rowley, 90—4=86.

Monthly Competition: E. C. Kendall, 96—10=86. Silver Medal for best scratch score during competition: G. H. Reynolds. Bronze Medal for second scratch score during competition: T. G. Frost. Cup given by a member (match play): Capt. Stretton. Mayhew Prize (match play): Rev. J. D. Best. Dobie Prizes (Foursomes): Col. Cummings and A. Barker. Open Meeting, June 22nd—Bogey Competition: G. H. Reynolds, two up. June 23rd—Handicap Competition: Rev. F. B. Pinholm, 92—8=84. Gold Medal (scratch): John Ball, jun., 77. Silver Medal (scratch): D. Ball, 85.

Records for the Green: (1) Amateur, 74, by H. H. Hilton, on July 7th, 1893; (2) Professional, 74, by W. D. More, the club professional, on July 15th, 1893.

Close by the Hawarden Bridge and the railway of the Manchester, Sheffield, and Lincolnshire Railway Company, about six miles from Chester, lies a beautiful expanse of turf known as Sealand Marsh, inclosed by the Dee embankment on the west, on the east by Burton Hills, Stotwich, on the south by railway, and on the north by a broken embankment, through which the highest spring tides find their way. Here the course is laid out. The soil is perfection for good lies, being sandy and covered with a mossy kind of turf. The very high spring tides occasionally cover the ground for about an hour at a time—a great advantage in summer, and not detrimental in the winter. The chief characteristics of the ground are its uniform flatness, wonderfully true putting greens, and wide and irregular watercourses, which make the chief hazards. There are no huge sand bunkers, nor yawning hazards to get into, but long and powerful driving through the green is required.

The most convenient route by which to reach the links is by the Manchester, Sheffield, and Lincolnshire Railway, from the Northgate-street Station, where the company have erected a golf platform. The Wirral Railway is at present in course of construction, and will cross the marsh and join the Manchester, Sheffield, and Lincolnshire Railway a short distance from the golf platform. Members and friends will then be in direct communication with Birkenhead, Liverpool, and suburbs *vid* Mersey Tunnel. This line will be finished this year.

CHESTER LADIES' GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JANUARY, 1892.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 54. *Committee*—Mrs. Tyrer, Mrs. Swetenham, Mrs. J. G. Frost, Mrs. A. Chambres, and Miss Shand.

The Ladies' Club is really a branch of the Chester Golf Club, has accommodation in the same pavilion, and is under the same management.

Club Prizes.—Tyrer Gold Medal (monthly), final in August; the Misses Cogswell Prize, on February 19th; Mrs. Hancock and Miss

Kennedy's Prize, on February 25th; Mrs. J. G. Frost's Prize (mixed foursomes), on April 18th; Club Bogey Competition, on May 22nd; President's Prize, on June 20th; Club Handicap, on July 18th; Club Prizes (foursomes handicap), on September 12th.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Club Handicap: Miss Frost, 100—22=78. Capt. Dorling and Capt. Mould's Prize: Mrs. J. G. Frost, 95—22=73. Mr. J. G. Frost's Prizes: (1) Miss Cogswell, 104—24=80. (2) Miss Frost, 105—17=88. Tyrer Prize (scratch): Mrs. J. G. Frost, 97. Hobday Prize: Miss May Rowley, 85—12=73. Club Bogey Competition: Miss Grace Cogswell (5), all even. Tyrer Gold Medal: Mrs. Swetenham, 104—16=88.

CHICAGO.

CHICAGO GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED AUGUST, 1893.

Hon. Secretary—E. W. Cramer, 643, The Rookery, Chicago.

ILLINOIS GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1895.

Entrance Fee, $10.00; *Annual Subscription*, $10.00; *Number of Members*, 50. *Captain*—H. J. Tweedie. *Hon. Secretary*—R. Risk, 5211 Madison-avenue, Chicago.

The course of nine holes is situated at Belmont, twenty-three miles from Chicago, and is of a sporting character. Visitors from the "old country" are always welcome.

CHIPPING NORTON.

CHIPPING NORTON GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MARCH 11TH, 1890.

Annual Subscription, Ten Shillings. *President*—Dr. G. W. Hutchison. *Vice-Presidents*—A. Massey and L. M. Wynne. *Committee*—Rev. G. A. Littledale, A. W. S. Hitchman, A. Webb, R. Lawton, H. Lloyd, F. W. Schofield, A. Pettipher, J. Reader, W. Loy. *Hon. Secretary*—T. K. Pettipher, Chipping Norton.

The green is situated quite close to Chipping Norton Station, on the Banbury and Cheltenham Railway. There is capital accommodation for visitors at the White Hart and Crown hotels. The kennels of the Heythrop Hounds are at Chipping Norton, and it is also within hunting distance of the Bicester and Warwickshire packs.

CHISLEHURST.

CHISLEHURST GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1894.

The course is an excellent one of nine holes, and the hazards are hedges, ditches, and a chalk pit.

CHRIST CHURCH (NEW ZEALAND).

CHRIST CHURCH GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MAY 29TH 1891.

Annual Subscription, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 53. *Captain*—B. H. Burns. *Hon. Treasurer*—T. D. Condell. *Committee*—Dr. Palmer, J. J. Kinsey, A. T. White. *Hon. Secretary*—A. Carrick, Cashel-street, Christ Church, N.Z. *Green*—Hagley Park, Christ Church. *Greenkeeper*—R. Marshall.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Club Championship (holes): B. H. Burn. Club Handicap: Dr. L. Smith, 101−6=95.

Lowest Scratch Score in Club Competition, 94, by W. T. Charlewood, on August 23rd, 1893.

Record for Two Rounds of Green, 84, by W. Pryde, Hutt Golf Club, Wellington, on July 24th, 1894.

The New Zealand Championship Meeting was held in Christ Church, under the auspices of the Christ Church Golf Club, from July 24th to 28th, 1894. The leading events resulted as follows:—(1) New Zealand Amateur Championship: H. Macneil, Otago Golf Club. (2) Handicap (by strokes): J. C. Wilson, Christ Church Golf Club, 87−2=85. (3) Inter-Club Match, Otago v. Christ Church (singles, 17 a side): Otago, 31 holes; Christ Church, 21. Foursomes (16 a side): Otago, 17; Christ Church, 7.

CHURSTON.

CHURSTON GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED NOVEMBER, 1890.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 2*l.* 2*s.*; Non-Residents, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 46. *President*—Lord Churston. *Vice-Presidents*—T. B. Bolitho, M.P., and H. Studdy. *Committee*—Col. Gibbs, E. Denison, Col. Vallings, C. P. Williams, A. Spens. *Hon. Secretary*—Col. Hamilton-Simpson, Rocklands, Paignton, Devon. *Greenkeeper*—A. Bamsey.

Club Prizes—Silver Medal (handicap) on first Wednesday in each month, from October to May, and other prizes.

Prize Winners in 1894. Club Cup: Col. Vallings. Bogey Prize: J. Eastley. Spens Prize: Col. Gibbs.

Record for Green, 91, by H. Richards and C. Williams.

The course of nine holes is laid out on Galmpton Warboro', about 400 yards from Churston Railway Station, two miles from Paignton, and five from Dartmouth. The situation is lovely, overlooking Torbay, with views of the Dart. The hazards consist of whins, ditches, hedges, roads, and cart-tracks. The clubrooms are at the Brixham Road Hotel, adjoining the Churston Railway Station. Visitors may be introduced for three days without charge, after which a charge is made of 6*s.* a week and 15*s.* a month.

CIRENCESTER.

SAPPERTON PARK GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED NOVEMBER, 1893.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 80. *President*—Earl Bathurst. *Captain*—E. B. Haygarth. *Treasurer*—J. Rawlins. *Committee*—E. W. Bubb, E. C. Cripps, E. W. Haygarth, E. Kinch, Capt. Nevill, J. A. Ross-Hume, E. C. Sewell. *Hon. Secretary*—R. Anderson, Cirencester.

The course of eighteen holes, has been laid out, by kind permission of Earl Bathurst, in a portion of his park. It is about two and three-quarter miles round. The turf throughout is good, and the lies are excellent. The holes vary in length from 170 to 420 yards, and the hazards consist of a quarry, groups of small thorn trees, and clumps of furze bushes. The clubroom, which is a comfortable apartment in a cottage at Park Corner farm, where there is good stable accommodation, is about four miles from Cirencester, and 100 yards from the first tee.

CLACTON-ON-SEA.

CLACTON-ON-SEA GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED NOVEMBER, 1892.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 80. *President*—Earl of Warwick. *Committee*—S. N. Dimbleby, Dr. W. G. Murray, T. Whaley, Col. Beaty-Pownall, T. Lilley, W. B. Skinner, Dr. Blackwell, J. H Harman, A. McGregor, R. S. Standen, T. G. Wakeling. *Hon. Secretary*—Capt. E. Frayling, Clacton-on-Sea.

Club Prizes.—Monthly Medal and Aggregate Competition; Monthly Cup; Half Yearly Challenge Bowl, and other prizes. The first named was won last year by Capt. Frayling, 286 (three rounds).

Green Record, 44, by S. N. Dimbleby, on August 14th, 1894.

The course consists of nine holes, and is within seven minutes of the Railway Station. There is excellent clubhouse accommodation, consisting of a handsome clubroom, with access to billiard-room, lavatory, and dressing-rooms, &c., adjoining. Visitors may be introduced for two days free, or for 5*s.* per week, and 12*s.* 6*d.* per month.

CLITHEROE.

CLITHEROE AND DISTRICT GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED NOVEMBER 1ST, 1891.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 58. *Hon. Secretary*—H. H. Wheeler, Fir Tree House, Chatburn.

Club Prizes.—Two Scratch and two Handicap Cups.

Prize Winners in 1894.—W. H. Irving and W. Southworth, two cups each.

The course is a nine-hole one, situated on the banks of the Ribble, about a mile and a quarter from Clitheroe Station. There is a pavilion on the course, and good hotel accommodation in the town.

COLOMBO.

COLOMBO GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1879.

Club Prizes.—President's Cup (handicap), match play, and Calcutta Medal (handicap), in February; Gold Medal (scratch) and Lady McLeod Vase (handicap), in October; Aggregate Gold Medal (scratch).

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition and *Green Record*, 78, by F. A. Fairlie, on October 18th, 1887.

The links are within one mile of the landing pier of Colombo harbour, and are situated on the Galle Face Esplanade. There is ample accommodation for visitors in Colombo, which possesses the finest hotels in the East. The course is by no means as easy as it appears at first sight, for a sunken battery, a lake, the sea, two churchyards, gardens, and so forth are ready to devour the ill-played golf ball. The greens are good as a rule, and there are many worse places than these links whereon one may spend an afternoon.

COMRIE.

COMRIE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MARCH 20th, 1891.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, Five Shillings; *Number of Members*, 55. *Hon. President*—Col. Williamson. *Captain*—D. D. Maclagan. *Committee*—

P. Brough, J. Crerar, W. Gibson, J. Graham, D. Hamilton, Dr. Temple, J. Comrie, D. Comrie. *Hon. Secretary*—H. Campbell, Commercial Bank of Scotland, Comrie, N.B. *Green*—Laggan Braes. *Greenkeeper*—J. Macgregor.

Club Prizes.—Sanderson Medal (scratch); Dewhurst Cup (handicap), in August or September; Dalchonzie Cup (handicap), in May; Merchants' Trophy (open to visitors), during July, August, and September (the lowest net aggregate of any two competitions); Morrison Bowl (handicap), in August (open to visitors).

Prize Winners in 1894.—Dalchonzie Cup: J. P. Mitchell, 90−6=84. Dewhurst Cup: P. McIntyre, 84−1=85. Morrison Bowl: W. R. Whigham, 82−5=77. Merchants' Trophy: C. Robertson, 179−10=169. Sanderson Medal: Dr. Temple, 85.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 82, by W. R. Whigham, in August, 1894.

Record for Green, 38, by P. McIntyre.

The course is a nine-hole one with excellent natural hazards. The holes vary from 150 to 400 yards, and the circuit is one and a half miles. The green is within five minutes' walk of the village of Comrie. The number of visitors to the village increases year by year; private houses are well let, and the hotel accommodation is of a superior kind.

COMRIE LADIES' GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1894.

Entrance Fee, Two Shillings and Sixpence; *Annual Subscription*, Two Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, 70. *Hon. President*—Hon. Mrs. Williamson. *Hon. Vice-Presidents*—Mrs. Dewhurst, Mrs. D. D. Maclagan, Mrs. Campbell, and Mrs. Temple. *Captain*—Mrs. Brough. *Hon. Secretary*—J. P. Mitchell, Solicitor, Comrie.

Competitions are held every fortnight during the summer months, in which temporary members can take part.

CONWAY.

CARNARVONSHIRE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JUNE 3RD, 1890.

Entrance Fee, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 10*s.*; *Number of Members*, 159. *President*—Lord Penrhyn. *Vice-Presidents*—A. Wood, S. Platt, Sir R. W. Bulkeley. *Captain*—E. A. Young. *Deputy-Captain*—J. E. Fincham. *Treasurer*—Canon Rees. *Hon. Secretary*—G. H. Healey,

Felsberg, Llandudno. *Committee*—C. J. Wallace, Hon. H. L. Mostyn, Col. T. H. Marshall, Capt. J. Carden, A. Evill, A. A. Grant, C. A. Hartley, T. E. Horton, H. Kneeshaw, Capt. Lempriere, Rev. E. T. Owen, J. Platt, R. S. Chamberlain, H. G. Stock, Col. C. E. Dixon. *Greenkeeper*—J. Hughes.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Platt Cup (scratch), E. A. Young, 90. Penrhyn Cup (handicap): E. A. Young, 93−3=90. Volunteer Cup (Bogey handicap): E. A. Young, two up. North Wales Bulkeley Challenge Cup (scratch): E. A. Young, 93. Young Cup (Bogey handicap): F. E. Woodhead, all even. Healey Cup (handicap): H. G. Stock, 95−7=88. Rees Cup (scratch): F. E. Woodhead, 86; Half Yearly Subscription Bogey Cups (handicap): June, Col. Marshall: December, Col. C. E. Dixon.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 86, by F. E. Woodhead, in May, 1894.

Record for Green, 35, by J. Hughes (professional), in October, 1893.

The links are situated on the Conway marsh, and the hazards consist of sand bunkers and gorse. The course is at present a nine-hole one, but a full course of eighteen holes will be opened in May. Great care has been taken to avoid crossing. The links are within easy reach, by rail, of Llandudno, Penmaenmawr, Llanfairfechan, Bangor, and Colwyn Bay. From Llandudno by rail to Deganway, whence cross the river Conway by boat. They are close to the main road from Conway to Penmaenmawr, about three miles from the latter place. From Colwyn Bay by rail to either Deganway or Conway. Distance from Conway Railway Station, about a mile. To suit the convenience of members living on the Deganway side of the river, the committee has appointed a club boatman, who will be in attendance throughout the year to ferry members across at a fixed charge. The professional, Hughes, is in attendance daily. His charge for a lesson to a beginner is one shilling and threepence for a round of nine holes; two shillings and sixpence for a round of eighteen holes. Caddies must be engaged through the chief caddie, to whom the payments for same must be made, as follows: eighteen holes, tenpence; nine holes, sevenpence. Tickets are issued to visitors at 2*s.* 6*d.* the day, 7*s.* 6*d.* the week, or 1*l.* 1*s.* the month, and may be had from the professional, but visitors must be introduced by members. The charge for weekly tickets at Easter, Whitsuntide, and during club competitions, is 10*s.*

Hotels.—Castle Hotel, Conway; Deganway Castle Hotel, Deganway.

CARNARVONSHIRE LADIES' GOLF CLUB.

Entrance Fee, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 35. *President*—Hon. Mrs. H. Mostyn. *Captain*—Mrs. S. Platt. *Hon. Secretary*—Mrs. G. H. Healey, Felsberg, Llandudno. *Committee*—Mrs. Fincham,

Mrs. J. Platt, Mrs. Cohen, Mrs. Hartley, Mrs. Pilkington, Mrs. Owen, and Mrs. Wood.

The ladies play on the same course as the gentlemen, but must allow the gentlemen to pass them; nor can they play on competition or match days.

COOKSTOWN.

KILLYMOON GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED APRIL 1ST, 1890.

Annual Subscription, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 100. *President*—M. S. T. Moutray. *Captain*—A. D. A. Gaussen. *Treasurer*—S. C. Guiming. *Committee*—H. Adair, J. W. Munnis, W. A. Munnis, W. Leeper, J. B. G. Moore, R. J. Bourne, R. H. Twigg. *Hon. Secretary*—J. G. Donaldson, Cookstown, Ireland. *Greenkeeper*—W. Miller.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 76, by A. D. A. Gaussen, on December 26th, 1894.

There are two courses, each of nine holes, for ladies and gentlemen, situated in the park of Killymoon Castle, one mile from Cookstown, and the turf is of fine quality. Cars meet the trains.

COPTHORNE.

COPTHORNE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED OCTOBER 14TH, 1892.

Entrance Fee, Five Shillings; Family, Ten Shillings; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.*; Family, 2*l.*; *Number of Members*, 50. *Hon. President*—Marquess of Abergavenny, K.G. *Hon. Treasurer*—S. Russell. *Committee*—Rev. G. W. Banks, H. A. Hallett, Capt. Laprimandaye, C. D. Mare, E. D. Morgan, C. L. Reade. *Hon. Secretaries*—M. Drummond, Oakfield Worth, Crawley; and C. W. Nix, Worth Lodge, Crawley. *Greenkeeper*—S. Tullett.

Club Prizes.—Monthly Silver Medal (handicap) and Ladies' Monthly Silver Medal (handicap), on second Thursday and Saturday in each month; Ladies' Gold Brooch (handicap), on first Thursday in each month.

The course is situated on Copthorne Common, three miles from Three Bridges Station (L.B. and S.C.R.). The round of eighteen holes, as altered in November last, is about two and three-quarter miles in length. There is a separate nine-hole course for ladies, 1287 yards in length. Bogey scores, 80 and 41 respectively. The ground is undulating, and covered mainly with short heather. There are some good natural hazards—whins, gravel pits, ponds, &c.—and the putting greens, though leaving much to be desired, should improve with time. The clubhouse faces the green.

CORRIE (ARRAN.)

CORRIE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1892.

The course of nine holes is situated at the entrance to Glen Sannox, on the north side of Sannox burn. It is of a sporting nature, bunkers and other hazards abounding, while the greens are fairly good.

COVE.

CRAIGROWNIE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JUNE, 1890.

The course is situated on the high ground midway between Cove and Kilcreggan, two of the favourite resorts on the Firth of Clyde.

COVENTRY.

COVENTRY GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1887.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 116. *President*—E. Petre. *Captain* A. Rotherham. *Committee*—G. F. Twist, H. Rotherham, F. Twist, A. P. Pridmore, F. Smith, A. E. Jagger, J. Powers, W. Hillman, H. J. Nutt, and E. F. Coddington. *Hon. Secretary* — H. Smith, Pinley House, Coventry. *Greenkeeper*—W. Randall.

Club Prizes.—Gold Medal (scratch), in March; Silver Bowl (handicap), in May; Club Cup (handicap), last Wednesday in each month; Silver Challenge Cup, in October; Special Prizes at other dates.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Gold Medal: H. Smith, 88. Silver Bowl: K. Rotherham, 98−13=85. Silver Cup: T. A. Cash. Monthly Cup: F. Twist, 99−18=81; H. Smith, 89−8=81; Capt. F. B. Johnstone, 82−8=74; Rev. F. R. Evans, 83−8=75; H. J. Nutt, 88−11=77; C. P. Newman, 110−30=80; E. Blackburne, 103−19=84; C. P. Newman, 103−25=78; Major V. Hughes, 98−25=73; Rowland Hill, 103−25=78; R. A. Rotherham, 90−16=74; W. F. Wyley, 99−20=79; final, H. Smith, 90−7=83.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 82, by Capt. F. B. Johnstone, on December 27th, 1893.

Green Record, 81, by G. F. Twist, on May 12th, 1893.

The course is situated on Whitley Common, about one and a half miles from the centre of the town. The ground is very suitable for the game, and the round consists of nine holes, without any crossing. The second round takes the holes in different rotation, which considerably lengthens the distance, and gives great variety to the approaches without interfering with other players. There are plenty of good natural hazards and bunkers, and a ball driven off the line is very liable to be landed in the whins. Coventry Station is about two miles from the clubhouse, which is close to the first tee.

COVENTRY LADIES' GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JANUARY, 1892.

Entrance Fee, Five Shillings; *Annual Subscription*, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, 70. *Committee*—Mrs. Wyley, Mrs. F. Smith, Mrs. E. Blackburne, Miss Hill, Miss Rotherham, Miss J. Ratcliff. *Hon. Secretary*—Miss M. F. Verrall, The High House, Coventry. *Green*—Whitley. *Greenkeeper*—Randal.

Club Prizes.—Monthly Silver Cup (handicap) and Gold Medal (scratch), on first Monday of each month—final for cup in March; and various prizes presented by members.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Mrs. F. Smith, 77; Miss E. Rotherham, 74; Mrs. Wyley, 73; Mrs. Rotherham, 73; Miss A. Rotherham, 71; Miss N. Verrall, 76; Mrs. Pridmore, 79; Miss Hill, 77; Miss Smith, 74; Miss F. Verrall, 86; Miss G. Rotherham, 86.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 78, by Mrs. F. Smith, on March 20th, 1894.

Record for Green, 35, by Mrs. F. Smith, in 1893.

The course lies to the left of the gentlemen's. It consists of nine holes of a difficult character. There is a fair-sized clubroom, with dressing-rooms, &c.

COWDENBEATH.

COWDENBEATH GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1887.

Annual Subscription, Ten Shillings; *Number of Members*, 20. *President*—Dr. Craig. *Captain*—J. Finlay. *Treasurer*—C. Barclay. *Hon. Secretary*—T. Yule, Chemist, High-street, Cowdenbeath. *Green*—Leuchatsbeath.

Club Prizes.—Scratch Medal, and Birrell Medal (handicap).

The course of nine holes is a private one, situated about three-quarters of a mile to the north of the burgh, and within easy walking distance of the station. The hazards are whins, cart-ruts, and dykes. The greens are of fair size, and the turf short. On the way from the station to the green are the Commercial and Crown Hotels.

CRAIL.

CRAIL GOLFING SOCIETY, INSTITUTED 1786.

Annual Subscription, Two Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, 106. *Captain*—W. Oliphant. *Vice-Captain*—D. W. Bowman. *Committee*—W. Roger, D. W. Scott. *Hon. Secretary*—T. Brown, Market Gate, Crail. *Green*—Sauchope Links. *Greenkeeper*—J. Corstorphine.

Club Prizes.—Scratch: Maillardet and Society Medals. Handicap: Feilden Snuff Mull, Centenary Cup, Lindesay, Saunders, Spence, Jubilee, and Club Medals: Edinburgh Cup: Monthly Star and Cross.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 77, by T. Carmichael, on May 26th, 1894.

Sauchope links consist of nine holes, but are at present in need of some attention. The railway station is a little over a mile from the course, and excellent lodgings may be had in the town. In all probability another nine-hole course will be laid out this summer on Balcomie links, and the lease taken in the name of the Town Council.

CRAWFORD.

CRAWFORD GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MAY 22ND, 1890.

Annual Subscription, Five Shillings. *Number of Members*, 173. *Hon. President*—Sir Edward Colebrooke, Bart. *President*—A. Dey, LL.D. *Captain*—Rev. C. McKune. *Committee*—J. Pringle, J. A. S. Millar, J. W. Paterson, W. M. Noble. *Hon. Secretary and Treasurer*—H. S. N. Callender, W.S., 3, Newbattle-terrace, Edinburgh.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 76, by Rev. H. L. Dick, at the autumn meeting, 1893.

The green, which consists of eighteen holes, is an excellent inland course, situated only two minutes' walk from the station and adjoining hotel. Comfortable quarters may be secured at the village inn, and cottages may be had in the village close by. Summer visitors may become interim members of the club on application to the Secretary. The course lies 900ft. above the sea, on the upper reaches of the Clyde, in which good trout fishing may be had. During the past year the green has again been added to and greatly improved, the holes being made longer, crossing avoided, and a greater variety given to the course generally.

CREWE.

CREWE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED NOVEMBER, 1892.

The course is only five minutes' walk from Crewe Railway Station.

CRIEFF.

CRIEFF GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MAY, 1891.

Annual Subscription, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Monthly*, 10*s.*; *Subsequent Months*, 5*s.*; *Weekly*, 3*s.*; *Daily*, 1*s.* *President*—Sir P. K. Murray. *Captain*—W. R. MacGregor. *Committee*—Dr. T. G. Meikle, W. S. Anderson, J. R. Learmont,

A. W. Logan, Col. Rice, G. W. Richardson, Dr. J. M. Thom. *Hon. Secretary*—S. M. Brown, Earnview, Crieff. *Greenkeeper*—J. Donald.

Club Prizes.—Merchants' Cup, annually; Monthly Medal; Captain's Prize in April (all handicap).

Prize Winners in 1894.—Merchants' Cup: W. S. Anderson. Monthly Medal: G. W. Richardson. Baillie-Cochrane Medal: C. E. Rice.

The Green Record is 35, by R. B. R. Mair, on September 27th, 1894.

The course, of nine holes, is laid out on the north-west side of the Knock, a wooded eminence behind the town. The hazards are a wall, which is crossed four times, and two quarries. The situation is lovely, and the air bracing. There is ample accommodation in the town for visitors at the Hydropathic hotels and lodging houses.

DORNOCK GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED APRIL 1ST, 1892.

Annual Subscription—Gentlemen, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; Ladies, Five Shillings; Daily Ticket, One Shilling; Monthly, Five Shillings. *Hon. Secretary*—J. Drom, Dornock, Highlandman, Crieff. *Green*—Dornock.

Dornock golf course is situated within a mile and a half of Crieff, and the first tee is within three minutes' walk of Highlandman Station. The subsoil of the course being for the most part of a light sandy nature, the turf is finer than is commonly found on inland courses, and great care has been bestowed upon the greens. The sandy subsoil has also been taken advantage of in the formation of several sand bunkers, which, along with rushes and whins, make most of the holes of a sporting nature.

CROMARTY.

CROMARTY GOLF CLUB.

The course is a fine sporting one of nine holes.

CROMER.

ROYAL CROMER GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1887.

Entrance Fee, 5*l.* 5*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, New Members, 2*l.* 2*s.*; Original Members, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, about 300. *Patron*—H.R.H. the Prince of Wales, K.G. *President*—Lord Suffield, K.C.B. *Vice-Presidents*—Duke of Fife, K.T., Earl of Rosebery, K.G., Lieut.-Col. Viscount Coke, Lord Carrington, G.C.M.G., Lord Cromer, K.C.B., Lord Battersea, Sir T. F. Buxton, Bart., Hon. C. Mills, J. J. Colman, M.P., S. Hoare, M.P., H. A.

Barclay, S. G. Buxton, G. F. Buxton, R. W. Ketton, J. W. Scott. *Captain*—Harold Wilson. *Committee*—H. C. Dent, E. M. Hansell, R. W. Ketton, Dr. McClure, A. E. Ripley, J. W. Scott, Lieut.-Col. H. B. Winter, W. E. G. Wyrley-Birch. *Hon. Secretary*—P. M. Lucas. *Secretary*—Alfred Burton. *Hon. Treasurer*—R. N. Fenner. *Club Maker and Professional*—W. Aveston. *Greenkeeper*—J. Clements.

Club Prizes.—John Scott Gold Challenge Medal (scratch) and Prince of Wales's Challenge Cup (handicap) at Easter Meeting; Bond-Cabbell Challenge Cup (scratch), Lucas Challenge Cup (handicap), and Wilson Challenge Bowls (Handicap Foursome Competition, Match Play), at Whitsun Meeting; Suffield Challenge Cups (2) (scratch), Battersea Challenge Cup (handicap), and Hansell Medal (handicap match play), at Autumn Meeting; Monthly Club Medal; and other prizes.

Prize Winners in 1894.—John Scott Gold Medal: P. M. Lucas, 91. Prince of Wales's Cup: Major-General Dixon, 101−13=88. Bond-Cabbell Cup: E. M. Hansell, 85. Lucas Cup: A. C. Savin, 94−12=82. *Wilson Challenge Bowls*: W. B. Monement and Rev. A. H. Upcher. Suffield Cups: P. M. Lucas, 89. Battersea Cup for the best aggregate score: Rev. A. T. Farquharson, 92−12=80, and 94−10=84. Hansell Medal: Rev. H. C. Rogers beat A. C. Oldham after a tie. Monthly Medal: January, R. N. Fenner, 92−12=80; February, H. C. Dent, 92−8=84; March, P. M. Lucas, 84+2=86; April, C. H. Aveston, 93−9=84; May, Rev. A. H. Upcher, 96−11=85; June, Rev. H. C. Rogers, 95−10=85; July, K. McFarlane, 84−6=78; August, Major Archdale, 93−12=81; September, C. Leatham, 98−12=86; October, A. E. Jarvis, 93−6=87; November, G. P. Elwes, 89−7=82; December, P. M. Lucas, 91+2=93. The last-named having won the medal twice during the twelve months, retained it.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 80, by P. M. Lucas on three occasions.

The links are situated on the Lighthouse Hills, half a mile to the east of Cromer. They are kept in excellent condition. The eighteen hole course will be opened during this summer. The club-house is provided with a spacious and comfortably-fitted smoking and reading room.

Ladies are admitted to the club on the same terms as gentlemen. A separate course is laid out for them, and there is also a club-room for their use.

The Great Eastern Railway Station is about eight minutes' walk from the green; conveyance, cab or 'bus. There are good hotels and private lodging-houses in Cromer, offering excellent accommodation for visitors. There is also good accommodation for golfers at Overstrand, a rising seaside place to the east of the links.

CROOKHAM.

CROOKHAM GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1872; RE-CONSTITUTED MAY, 1891.

Entrance Fee, Ten Shillings; *Annual Subscription*, Playing Members, 1*l.*; Non-Playing, Ten Shillings; *Number of Members*, 108. *President*—W. G. Mount, M.P. *Captain*—A. B. Cook. *Committee*—W. H. Belcher, A. C. Bartholomew, A. H. Evans, F. Q. Louch, E. J. Maguire, B. Rendall, Rev. J. Stewart. *Hon. Secretary and Treasurer*—Rev. H. H. Skrine, Greenham Vicarage, Newbury. *Assistant-Secretary*—F. N. Garry, St. Mary's Vicarage, Reading. *Greenkeeper*—F. W. Millsom.

Club Prizes.—Crookham Cup (scratch), and Crookham Cup (handicap), at Spring and Autumn Meetings; Monthly Medal on the last Saturday. Bogey Prize on second Saturday of each month; and Bogey Sweepstake, monthly.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Crookham Cup: May, H. E. Meek, 84; October, A. H. Evans, 90. Handicap: May, H. E. Meek, two up; October, W. Ridley, three up. Monthly Medal: S. S. Wollaston, 101—11=90. Bogey Prize: A. B. Cook and E. J. Maguire (three).

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition and Green Record, 78, by A. B. Cook, on December 9th, 1893.

The course is situated on a high table land, 400 feet above the sea, from which it is distant some thirty miles as the crow flies, and the views, especially on the Hampshire side, are exceedingly fine and extensive. The entire length of the course, eighteen holes, is a trifle over three miles. The ground is level throughout, and the hazards are all natural. The course is open all the year round, and the club days are Wednesdays and Saturdays; but members can play on any day.

Thatcham Station (Great Western Railway) is distant about a mile and a half, and accommodation and conveyances may be had at the Swan Inn there. The club headquarters are at the Volunteer Inn, Crookham Common, where accommodation may also be had, as well as at various lodging-houses on the Common. Visitors on being introduced, may play free for a week, but thereafter a fee of two shillings and sixpence per week is charged.

CULLEN.

CULLEN GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MAY 17TH, 1876.

Golf has been played at Cullen for nearly two centuries. The course is an excellent one of nine holes, plentifully supplied with sand-bunkers. It is about seven minutes' walk from the Railway Station. There is ample accommodation at the Seafield Arms and elsewhere in the town.

CUMNOCK.

CUMNOCK GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED OCTOBER 16TH, 1894.

Annual Subscription, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, 80. *President*—S. Galbraith. *Vice-President*—Dr. Kerr. *Captain*—J. P. Ballantine. *Committee*—D. C. Smith, J. Andrews, W. J. King, J. Brown, J. W. Crawford, and Dr. Stewart. *Hon. Secretary*—D. H. Adamson, Solicitor, Cumnock.

The course of nine holes is situated near the new Station. The Dumfries Arms Hotel is close at hand.

CUPAR.

CUPAR GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED NOVEMBER 7TH, 1855.

Annual Subscription, Five Shillings; *Number of Members*, 40. *Captain*—H. S. Robson. *Treasurer*—D. Genge. *Hon. Secretary*—J. Honeyman, Elmwood, Cupar, Fife.

The course (nine holes) is half a mile from Ladybank Station. For a description see under "Ladybank."

CUPAR LADIES' GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1885.

No particulars forthcoming.

HILLTARVIT GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JUNE, 1892.

The course of nine holes is situated at the foot of Tarvit Hill. The ground is on a slope; but what with the fences, an existing sand hole, and other natural hazards, it gives excellent scope for play. It is ten minutes' walk from Cupar Station.

CURRAGH.

CURRAGH GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1883.

Number of Members, Variable; all officers of the Curragh Brigade may play.

The club is kept up by a small monthly subscription.

CYPRUS.

ROYAL CYPRUS GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JANUARY, 1894.

Entrance Fee, 1*l*.; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l*. *Hon. Secretary*—F. G. Templer, Queen's Advocate, Nicosia, Cyprus.

The course of nine holes is situated about a mile from Nicosia. Visitors will find good accommodation at the Nicosia Club.

DACCA (INDIA).

DACCA GOLF CLUB.

No particulars forthcoming.

DALBEATTIE.

DALBEATTIE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1894.

Captain—W. Smith. *Hon. Secretary and Treasurer*—Rev. W. Paton, Dalbeattie.

The course of nine holes is laid out on the farms of Meikle and Hillhead, near Dalbeattie.

DALKEITH.

DALKEITH GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED OCTOBER, 1880.

Entrance Fee, Ten Shillings; *Annual Subscription*, Five Shillings. *Hon. Secretary*—C. Guild, Melville Villa, Eskbank. *Green*—Musselburgh.

Club Prizes.—Gold Medal (scratch), in November; Silver Medal (handicap), in April, to become the property of anyone winning it twice in succession.

DARWEN.

DARWEN GOLF CLUB.

No particulars forthcoming.

DATCHET.

DATCHET GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JANUARY, 1894.

Annual Subscription, 1*l.* 1*s.*; Ladies, Ten Shillings; *Number of Members*, 56, including ladies. *Committee*—F. M. Copeland, P. J. de Paravicini, F. Tarver, W. Shipley, W. G. Clibborn. *Hon. Secretary and Treasurer*—A. Holford-Gower, Morden Holt, Datchet.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 78, by W. G. Clibborn.

Record for Green, 38, by W. G. Clibborn. *Par Score*, 32.

The course of nine holes is laid out in four fields belonging to Mr. F. Copeland at the right hand side of the road from Datchet to Windsor. The clubhouse is situated near the first tee. Datchet Station

is within five minutes' walk of the green. No caddies are allowed on Sunday.

Temporary members may be admitted to the privileges of the club, on the recommendation of a member, subject to the approval of the Committee, on payment of 5*s.* per week, or 10*s.* per month.

DAWLISH.

WARREN GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JUNE 23RD, 1892.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; Family Ticket, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Number of Members*, 41. *President*—The Rev. The Earl of Devon. *Vice-President*—Hon. H. L. Courtenay. *Committee*—Colonel Brown, H. Hillyard, H. S. Kneller. *Treasurer*—H. G. Hodgkinson. *Hon. Secretary*—Rev. C. F. Benthall, Cofton Vicarage, Starcross. *Greenkeeper*—H. Richards.

Medals for ladies and gentlemen are competed for on the first Wednesday in each month.

Record for two rounds of Green, 86, by H. Richards (professional).

The course of nine holes is situated at the mouth of the Exe, between the sea and the river. The clubhouse is a mile and a half from Dawlish Station Visitors may play free for three days; thereafter the charges are 5*s.* a fortnight, and 10*s.* a month.

DEAL.

CINQUE PORTS GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MARCH, 1892.

Entrance Fee, 5*l.* 5*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 3*l.* 3*s.*; *Number of Members*, 300. *President*—Marquis of Dufferin and Ava. *Vice-Presidents*—Lord Herschell and A. Akers-Douglas, M.P. *Captain*—Capt. Tattersall. *Committee*—E. P. Barlow, Capt. W. H. Eccles, Major-Gen. Graham, Hon. A. H. Grosvenor, F. N. Harvey, Col. Hungerford, H. M. Leggatt, W. P. Matthews, C. J. Mercer, R. Moxon, T. F. Welman. *Secretary*—Vacant. *Hon. Treasurer*—T. J. Coast, 44, Victoria-road, Deal. *Greenkeeper*—H. Hunter.

Club Prizes.—Singles Tournament (handicap), in April; Club Prize, on 1st June; Bogey Sweepstake on 3rd June; Captain's Silver Cup (best net aggregate score of two rounds), on 10th and 11th June; Club Prize (Bogey handicap), on 10th June; Bogey Sweepstake (handicap), on 11th June; Borough of Deal Challenge Cup (handicap limited to twelve), open to all amateurs, entrance fee, 5*s.*, on 26th, 27th, and 28th August; Club Prize (foursome handicap), on 28th, 29th, and 30th August; Committee Prize to member of the club who

returns the three lowest net scores under medal play, during the year commencing June, 1895; Monthly Medal (medal play and Bogey alternately).

Prize Winners in 1894.—Easter Tournament: H. Nicholls. Whitsuntide Tournament (Captain's Prize): H. M Leggatt. Borough of Deal Challenge Cup: C. E. Hambro, two up and one to play. A Professional Competition was won by A. Herd with a score of 161 for thirty-six holes, H. Vardon being second with 164, and Rolland third with 167.

The links are about a mile from the Deal Railway Station, and are of a most sporting description. They at present consist of nine holes, the hazards being chiefly sand-bunkers. During the last year large sums of money were expended on the course, which is now in splendid order. There is an excellent clubhouse with every accommodation.

DERBY.

DERBYSHIRE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED OCTOBER 12TH, 1892.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; Ladies, Ten Shillings and Sixpence, no entrance fee; *Number of Members*, 175. *President*—Hon. W. M. Jervis. *Committee*—A. Wilson (Chairman), P. S. McCallum (Vice-Chairman), F. K. Booty, Rev. T. E. M. Hutchinson, F. C. Coulthurst, Dr. Macphail, Dr. Laurie, Dr. Vaudrey, W. Morley, W. T. Morley, H. Marsh. *Hon. Solicitor*—J. P. Young. *Hon. Treasurer*—W. Campion. *Hon. Secretary*—W. Bancroft, 26, Reginald-street, Derby. *Greenkeeper*—W. Lewis.

Club Prizes.—Vice-President's Cup in April and October; Trollope Gold Medal monthly from December, 1894, to October, 1895; Monthly Medals: Bogey Competitions in May; Medal for lowest scratch score at spring and autumn meetings; Ladies' Silver Medal, monthly from January to October inclusive. During the year the following Inter-club matches will be played:—February 23, Derbyshire v. Leicestershire; March 23, Charnwood Forest v. Derbyshire; April 27, Leicestershire v. Derbyshire; May 18, Notts v. Derbyshire; May 25, Derbyshire v. Charnwood Forest; October 5, Barton v. Derbyshire; October 26, Derbyshire v. Notts; November 16, Derbyshire v. Barton.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Vice-President's Cup: April, S. Wilson, 85; October, B. D. Aspdin, 83. Strutt Trophy: B. D. Aspdin, 83. Trollope Silver Prize: S. Wilson, 78. Thirty-six Hole Competition: Dr. Vaudrey, 173. All net scores. Scratch and Bogey Competitions: T. C. Jeffrey. Bogey Competition: Rev. T. E. M. Hutchinson. Special Prize for best Record in Inter-Club Matches: L. A. Guilmant.

Monthly medals: T. C. Jeffrey, J. N. Nutt, Rev. T. E. M. Hutchinson, Rev. J. Mursell, A. L. Upstone. Foursome Competition: J. N. Nutt and T. Newton.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 86, by T. C. Jeffrey, on August 11th, 1894.

Records for Green.—(1) Professional—73, by W. Lewis, the club professional, on July 19th, 1893; (2) Amateur—78, by F. H. Foulds, on July 26th, 1893.

The course of eighteen holes is situated in Osmaston Park, about a mile and a quarter from Derby Station (Midland); fares by tram, a penny; cabs, 1*s.* 6*d.* The hazards are all natural, and consist of pits, plantations, streams, &c. The clubhouse is at Osmaston Hall, and the headquarters in town are at the St. James Hotel.

DEVIZES.

NORTH WILTS GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED SEPTEMBER 1ST, 1890.

Entrance Fee, Ten Shillings; *Annual Subscription*, Ten Shillings, family 1*l.* 10*s.*; *Number of Members*, 50. *Captain*—Col. Rudge. *Committee*—J. E. Gladstone, H. E. Meek, H. H. Smith. *Hon. Secretary*—R. H. Caird, Southbroom House, Devizes. *Green*—Blackland Down. *Greenkeeper*—J. Smith.

A Medal is played for on the first Saturday in each month, and a prize meeting is held in September.

Green Record, 38, by H. E. Meek, on December 1st, 1894.

The course of nine holes has an average number of inland hazards, such as shrubs, roads, ruts, a pond, &c. There is no accommodation nearer than Devizes or Calne, each about four miles off, but there is a clubroom and stabling on the green.

DEVONPORT.

ROYAL NAVAL BARRACKS GOLF CLUB.

The course is one of fourteen holes.

DEWSBURY.

DEWSBURY DISTRICT GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED OCTOBER 22ND, 1891.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 77. *Hon. President*—E. B. W. Balmer. *Captain*—T. L. Chadwick. *Treasurer*—A. C.

McIntyre. *Committee*—E. B. Wilson, J. W. Kaye, Rev. L. S. Calvert, T. G. Beaumont, E. Tree, G. J. Nevin, A. Ackroyd, S. Shaw, A. Tree. *Hon. Secretary*—J. H. Simpson, Bond-street, Dewsbury. *Greenkeeper* — W. Newhook.

Club Prizes.—Medal and Captain's Cup (Handicap).

Prize Winners in 1894.—Medal: E. Tree, 116—25=91. Captain's Cup: E. Woodhead beat E. Tree by one hole.

The green is situated at the Pinnacle, about three miles from Dewsbury, two from Mirfield, and one from Ravensthorpe Station (L. and N. W. Railway).

DIDSBURY.

DIDSBURY GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED APRIL, 1891.

Entrance Fee, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 11*s.* 6*d.*; *Number of Members*, 93 (limit, 90, but five may be admitted above that number, provided they be experienced players). *President*—Sir W. H. Houldsworth, Bart., M.P. *Captain*—W. H. Young. *Treasurer*—A. Galbraith. *Committee*—H. R. Coubrough, R. G. Adamson, E. A. Russell, J. W. Hulse, M. Bythway, J. G. Fleming. *Hon. Secretary*—G. A. Brown, 8, Exchange-street, Manchester. *Greenkeeper*—T. Gourlay.

Club Prizes.—Houldsworth Gold Medal (scratch) and Beith Silver Cleek (Handicap) at Spring Meeting; Vice-Presidents' Cups (scratch and handicap) at Autumn Meeting; Adamson Prize for the lowest net score returned at the Spring Meeting by the six winners of the Winter Monthly Medal.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Houldsworth Medal: H. Hyslop, 86. Beith Cleek: W. C. Adamson, 87—10=77. Vice-Presidents' Cups: (scratch), H. Hyslop, 86; (handicap), H. E. Lees, 86—14=72.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 84, by R. G. Adamson, in 1893, and over the new course in 1894 by J. W. Hulse.

Record for Green, 34, by H. Vardon, the Bury professional, in 1894.

Didsbury is a village about five miles from Manchester, with a station on the Midland Railway. The clubhouse, School-lane Farm, is half a mile from the station, and the first tee is close to the clubhouse. The course is one of nine holes, and, as a large proportion of the members are players, the club does not desire to attract strangers. At the same time, friends of members, or visitors to the neighbourhood, may be introduced on terms to be ascertained from the Hon. Secretary.

DIDSBURY LADIES' GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1892.

Entrance Fee, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Annual Subscription*, Twelve Shillings and Sixpence for original members; 1*l.* 1*s.* for members joining after November 4th, 1894; *Number of Members*, 30 (the limit). *Captain*—Mrs. Rohde. *Committee*—Mrs. Boyde, Mrs. Walsh, Miss Adamson, Miss Brownell, H. R. Coubrough. *Hon. Secretary and Treasurer*—Mrs. C. W. Foster, Southernhay, Didsbury.

Club Prizes.—Foster Medal (scratch) and Club Medal (handicap), at Autumn Meeting.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Foster Medal: Miss Armstrong, 110. Club Medal: Mrs. Foster, 122−12=110.

The course is the same as the gentlemen's.

DIEPPE.

DIEPPE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JULY, 1894.

Annual Subscription, 25 francs. *Hon. Secretary*—W. P. S. P. Samborne, 8, Quai Duquesne, Dieppe.

The course is a nine-hole one, and was laid out by Ross, the Seaford professional. Temporary members (for not more than a week) are charged five francs.

DINARD.

DINARD GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1890.

The course of eighteen holes is situated at St. Briac, about four miles from Dinard, and has recently been lengthened and improved.

DINARD LADIES' GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1891.

The course is a very sporting one of nine holes, about a mile round, and is situated at St. Lunaire.

DIRLETON.

ARCHERFIELD GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED APRIL 6TH, 1869.

Entrance Fee, Five Shillings; *Annual Subscription*, Four Shillings; *Number of Members*, limited to 40. *President*—H. T. N. Hamilton-Ogilvy. *Captain and Hon. Secretary*—T. D. Thomson, Craigville, Dirleton, Drem. *Chaplain*—Rev. J. Kerr, M.A. *Committee*—J. Law, W.

T. Ferme, J. McCaul, Rev. J. Kerr, W. Palmer, T. Binnie, T. Yule, J. Bisset, J. Morrison. *Greenkeeper*—J. Burnside.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Hamilton-Ogilvy Medal (scratch): T. Binnie, 82. Hamilton-Ogilvy Golf Clubs: T. Binnie, J. McCaul, and Bernard. Penn Prize: Rev. J. Kerr, 87 + 1 = 88. Captain's Prize (bogey): J. Bisset, three down. McCaul Prize: W. T. Ferme, 95 − 11 = 84. Law Prize (holes): W. T. Ferme. Old Man's Prize: T. Binnie, 82. Penn Prize: T. Yule, 82 + 5 = 87.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 76, by A. Murray, in 1887.

Record for Green, 69, by Jack White, on August 1st, 1894.

The club is a private one, and Archerfield Links, situated close to Dirleton, are also private. The round consists of eighteen holes. The turf is excellent, and hazards numerous in the shape of bunkers and rabbit scrapes. The holes are rather to the short side, and the par of the round is 68.

DISLEY.

DISLEY GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED DECEMBER 4TH, 1889.

Entrance Fee, 3*l.* 3*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 10*s.*; *Number of Members*, 150. *President*—Lord Newton. *Captain*—J. Murray. *Treasurer*—H. D. Tonge. *Committee* — W. Bell, H. C. Garrett, J. S. Turnbull. *Trustees*—J. J. Graham and J. W. Hague. *Hon. Secretary* —R. W. Hutton, Edgemoor, Disley, Cheshire. *Greenkeeper*—J. Hudson.

Club Prizes.—(A) *Medal Play*: Hodgkinson Foundation Medal (scratch) for the four lowest returns during the year; Annual Silver Cup (handicap), on January 26; Summer Medal (scratch, 36 holes) and Disley Challenge Vase (handicap limited to 15 strokes, 36 holes), July 6; monthly competitions (handicap) on the third Saturday in each month, winners of the six summer competitions to play off for the Summer Medal, and the winners of the six winter competitions for the Winter Medal.—(B) *Match Play*: President's Cup on May 11; Bell Salver on October 5; District Prize in April and May; Hutton Tournament Shield and Foursome Tournament Prizes, in June and July.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Hodgkinson Medal: R. W. Hutton, 82, 84, 84, 86. Annual Cup: G. F. Schofield, 119 − 30 = 89. Winter Medal: T. G. Yates, 86 − 2 = 84. Summer Medal: J. H. Smith, 105 − 18 = 87. Disley Challenge Vase: Rev. E. J. Satterthwaite, 175 − 16 = 159. President's Cup: E. Hutton. Milne Tournament Bowl: W. Bell. Hutton Tournament Shield: T. G. Yates. Bell Salver: S. Thackeray. Foursome Tournament: R. Murray and H. Latham.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Competition, 80, by A. B. Schofield, on October 20, 1894.

Disley is on the London and North-Western Railway, half-way between Manchester and Buxton, and a few miles from Stockport. The clubhouse is about ten minutes' walk from the station, and the links are situated on high ground overlooking the Cheshire plain, with lovely views of the Derbyshire hills. The course of eighteen holes, varying in length from 100 to 400 yards, affords every variety of play. The hazards are excellently placed, and consist of ponds, gullies, stone walls, hedges, roads, and quarries, and good play is necessary for every shot; but a well-hit ball is never punished. Unlike most other inland greens, this course is at its best in summer, the turf being close and fine, and a ball is hardly ever lost through the green, the grass never growing to any length. The putting greens are fast and true, and will compare favourably with many of the best of the sea-side links. Strangers are admitted to play by applying to the Secretary, and by payment of one shilling per day, five shillings per week, or ten shillings per month. Excellent accommodation may be had at the Ram's Head Hotel, close to the station, and rooms may also be had in Disley.

DISS.

STUSTON GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1888.

Annual Subscription: Ten Shillings and Sixpence; Ladies, Five Shillings; *Number of Members*, 42. *President*—Rev. T. L. French. *Committee*—Rev. F. P. Roberts, Rev. J. H. White, Rev. A. T. Farquharson. *Hon. Secretary*—A. H. Horsman, The Nunnery, Diss, Norfolk. *Green*—Stuston Common. *Greenkeeper*—H. Spalding.

The President's Cup is played for on the last Thursday of each month.

Green Record, 57, by Rev. A. T. Farquharson, in November, 1894.

The course of nine holes is very difficult to play, on account of the unevenness of the ground, and the furze and gorse, which are rather too plentiful. Two gravel pits also add to the difficulties. The longest hole is the fourth (396yds), and the circuit is one and three-quarter miles. The course is in best condition from October till the end of May. It is half a mile from Diss Station (G.E.R.), and there is capital accommodation in the town.

DOLLAR.

DOLLAR GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1890.

Annual Subscription, Five Shillings; *Number of Members*, 30. *Captain*—J. Fleming. *Committee*—Dr.

Cownie, J. Smith, Dr. Thom, F. W. Wallace, and Wm. Annand. *Hon. Secretary and Treasurer*—J. Fleming, Mayfield, Dollar.

Club Prizes.—Club Medal (handicap), and Captain's Prize (handicap).

Prize Winners in 1894.—Club Medal: Dr. Spence. Captain's Prize: Dr. Cownie.

Record for Green, 38, by J. Fleming.

The course has been changed to fields skirting the Glen to the famous Castle Campbell. The situation is very fine, but play is only possible from September 1st to June 1st. It is ten minutes' walk from Dollar Station; conveyance by 'bus or cab. There is excellent accommodation in Dollar.

DONCASTER.

DONCASTER GOLF CLUB.

Entrance Fee—1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*—1*l.* 1*s.* *President*—H. Cockill. *Hon. Secretary*—Capt. Grosvenor.

The course of nine holes is laid out in the grounds of Green House, Doncaster.

DOORN (HOLLAND).

DOORN GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1894.

Hon. Secretary—Schuurbeque Borge.

The course is laid out on undulating ground, and the hazards are sand bunkers and heather. There is a small clubhouse.

DORNOCH.

DORNOCH GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1877.

Entrance Fee, Five Shillings; *Annual Subscription*, Five Shillings; *Number of Members*, 150. *President*—The Duke of Sutherland. *Vice-President*—R. T. Hamilton-Bruce. *Captain*—J. Leslie. *Committee*—G. Bridgeford, M. McDonald, W. S. Fraser, W. Cameron, W. G. Moore, and H. Munro. *Hon. Secretary*—J. Sutherland, Golf View, Dornoch. *Greenkeeper and Professional*—D. J. Ross.

Club Prizes.—Scratch: Club Silver Medal and Gold Medallion, at Autumn Meeting; Monthly Medal; Ospisdale Silver Quaich. Handicap: Challenge Vase at spring and autumn meetings; Platt Cup (by holes) in October; Captain's Gold Star (team competition); Northern Counties Challenge Vase in autumn.

Prize Winners in 1894.—(1) Scratch:—Silver Medal and Gold Medallion: J. Sutherland, 80. Ospisdale Quaich: A. Innes, 82. (2) Handicap:—Challenge Vase: W. Mackay, average 84. Weekly Competition (barometer): H. Munro; Fortnightly Competition: H. Munro. Platt Cup: J. Sutherland. Northern Counties Trophy and Captain's Star: Dornoch Club. Special Prizes:—W. Mackay and H. Munro. Moore Medal: G. Bridgeford. MacLachlan Prize: J. Sutherland.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 76, by J. Sutherland, on October 13th, 1894.

Record for Green, 72, by M. Macdonald on September 19th last. Details:—

Out	3 3 3 4 4 5 5 3 4=34	72
In	4 4 4 5 5 3 5 4 4=38	

There is no professional record for the existing course.

The Mound, distant seven miles, is the railway station for Dornoch, and a 'bus meets the 10 a.m. and 2.30 p.m. trains from the south; hirers, Mr. Morrison, Sutherland Arms Hotel, and Mr. J. Mackintosh.

For a description of the green, which consists of eighteen holes, and other information, see special article "Dornoch Golf Links" in Vol. VII. of the "Annual."

For information respecting accommodation, &c., apply to Hon. Secretary.

DOUGLAS (Isle of Man).

See under Isle of Man.

DOUGLAS (Lanarkshire).

DOUGLAS GOLF CLUB, instituted 1888.

Douglas Railway Station is about four miles from the green; 'bus from station to village. The course is playable from October to end of April. Accommodation may be had in the Douglas Arms Hotel.

DOVER.

DOVER GOLF CLUB, instituted January, 1890.

The membership is mainly drawn from the officers of the garrison. The course of nine holes is situated in the Northfall Meadow at the back of the Castle, and is about a mile and a half in length. The chief hazard is a bastion 60ft. high, which has to be frequently negotiated. There is a club pavilion with boxes at Five Shillings each. Visitors may play at a charge of Two Shillings and Sixpence a week, or 1*l.* a quarter.

DROGHEDA.

COUNTY LOUTH GOLF CLUB, instituted August 4th, 1892.

Annual Subscription, 1*l.*; *Number of Members*, 56. *President*—Lord Rathdonnell. *Captain*—H. Daly. *Com-*

mittee—T. W. Browne, T. Gilroy, H. S. Searancke, and J. V. Byrne. *Hon. Secretary*—G. H Pentland, Black Hall, Drogheda. *Greenkeeper*—J. Smith.

Club Prizes.—Monthly Medal; Donacarney Medal (holes handicap), half yearly.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Monthly Medal: J. A. Byrne. Donacarney Medal: G. H. Pentland.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition and Green Record—79, by T. Gilroy, in May, 1894.

The course, which is now an eighteen-hole one, is situated at the mouth of the Boyne, about three miles from Drogheda, where good accommodation is to be had. It is an excellent course, the soil being sandy, and the turf short. The circuit is about three miles, and the hazards are sand hills, bents, and bunkers. Visitors are always welcome.

DUBLIN.

ROYAL DUBLIN GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MAY 15TH, 1885.

Entrance Fee, 8*l.* 8*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 2*l.*; *Number of Members*, 256. *Trustees*—Judge Shaw, J. Lumsden. *President*—Major-Gen. G. H. Moncrieff. *Captain*—W. Hone. *Hon. Secretary*—G. C. May, 13, Fitzwilliam-square, Dublin. *Hon. Treasurer*—V. Kyrke, Stafford House, Merrion, Dublin. *Committee*—J. H. Barrington, C. D. Barry, J. H. Campbell, J. Brown, D. Christie, Serjt. Dodd, Q.C., G. C. Green, Judge Orr, M. O'Connell, J. Petrie. *Green*—North Bull, Dollymount. *Greenkeeper*—A. Brown.

Club Prizes.—Lumsden Medal (holes), on March 23rd; Dollymount Cup (holes), on May 4th; Captain's Prize (handicap), on June 1st; Black Watch Medal (handicap, limit 25), on June 8th; Scratch Medal and Moncrieff Cup (36 holes), on June 22nd; Coldstream Guards' Cup (handicap, limit 18), on October 12th; Bar Cup (handicap, limit 15), on November 2nd; Monthly Medal, on third Saturday of each month, final on December 21st.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Monthly Medal, 1893, final: J. P. Barrington. Lumsden Medal: J. Saunders. Black Watch Medal: T. Gilroy. Civilians' Cup: B. O'Brien. Bar Cup: T. Stewart. Captain's Prize: Dr. A. Traill. Coldstream Guards Cup: Dr. R. McCausland. Scratch Medal and Moncrieff Cup: B. O'Brien, 86. Coldstream Guards Cup: A. S. Hussey. Bar Cup: C. D. Barry. Monthly Medal: P. Watson, V. Kyrke, H. J. Daly, M. J. Fry, J. H. Barrington, Dr. R. McCausland, C. D. Barry, Surgeon R. H. Moore, R. F. Harrison, F. H. Orr, W. F. Bailey.

Lowest Scratch Score in a club competition, 78, by T. Gilroy, on April 14th, 1894.

The *Green Records* are (1) Professional—75, by A. Brown, in April, 1893; (2) Amateur—75, by J. Bell, jun., in September, 1894.

The links are situated on the North Bull, on the sea coast, about four miles from Dublin. The course consists of eighteen holes, about three miles round. It is narrow, being guarded on one side by the sea, and on the other by rough hillocks covered with bents. The hazards are mostly sand bunkers, also bents and rushes. The turf is undulating and very fine, the characteristic of the links being the excellence of the putting greens. The longest hole is 400 yards, and the shortest 130 yards. Trains run from Dublin every ten minutes to within five minutes' walk of the links. Visitors may be introduced by a member to the links and clubhouse for one week gratis, and for four weeks after that by a payment of five shillings for each week.

DUBLIN UNIVERSITY GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED NOVEMBER, 1894.

Number of Members, about 30. *President*—Dr. Traill. *Captain*—B. O'Brien. *Committee*—E. Higinbotham, A. T. Johns, J. S. Moore, C. W. Webb, and, *ex-officiis*, the Golfing Fellows of Trinity College. *Hon. Secretary and Treasurer*—R. Magill, jun., 23, Trinity College, Dublin.

The members play on the ground of the Royal Dublin Golf Club at Dollymount.

DUDLEY.

DUDLEY GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MARCH, 1893.

The course of nine holes is laid out upon the ground lying between Queen's Cross and Himley Road, belonging to the Earl of Dudley. There is a small clubhouse a little over a mile from Dudley Station.

DULVERTON.

DULVERTON GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1894.

Hon. Secretary—R. S. Barrow, Melton House, Dulverton.

The course, of nine holes, is close to the station and Carnarvon Arms Hotel. The turf is good, and the hazards are hedges and the river.

DUMBARTON.

DUMBARTON GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1888.

Entrance Fee, Honorary and Playing Members, 1*l.*; Playing Members, Ten Shillings; Lady Members, Five Shillings; *Annual Subscription*, Honorary and Playing Members, 1*l.*; Playing Members, Ten Shillings; Lady

Members, Five Shillings; *Number of Members*, 310. *Honorary President*—P. Denny. *President*—J. Babtie. *Captain*—J. Denny. *Treasurer*—J. M. Denny. *Committee*—P. Denny, jun., M. Lawson, J. M'Intyre, C. McHardy, A. D. Wedgwood, C. J. Babtie. *Hon. Secretary*—W. Craig, County Buildings, Dumbarton. *Greenkeeper*—J. Murphy. *Clubhouse Keeper*—R. Birrell.

Club Prizes.—Silver Medal (handicap), on third Saturday of January and second Saturday of each month thereafter, final on third Saturday of March; Club Championship (scratch) and Gold Medal (handicap), on first, third, and fourth Saturdays of May; Captain's Prizes (handicap), on third and fourth Saturdays of October; Spring Tournament in April; Autumn Tournament (Bogey Handicap) on third Saturday of September; Aggregate Prizes for six lowest scores (net) in Monthly Medal Competitions; Ladies' Gold Medal (handicap), on second Thursday of each month, final on second Thursday of April; Spring and Autumn Tournaments; Mixed Foursomes in April.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Club Championship: W. Aitken, 80. Gold Medal: J. Liddell, 81 – 6 = 75. Monthly Silver Medal: January, W. Lonie, 87 + 2 = 89; February, A. T. Watson, 93 – 8 = 85; March, R. Carson, 90 – 10 = 80; April, T. M'Vie, 99 – 14 = 85; May, J. Denny, 87 – 2 = 85; June, J. T. Babtie, 90 – 6 = 84; July, M. Lawson, 88 – 4 = 84; August, J. Ward, jun., 98 – 20 = 78; September, W. Craig, 81 (scratch); October, J. W. Ritchie, 93 – 12 = 81; November, W. Aitken, 80 + 2 = 82; December, Rev. J. Smith, 88 + 1 = 89; final for 1893: Rev. John Smith, 85 + 1 = 86. Spring Tournament: 1, A. Deuchars; 2, Dr. J. R. F. Cullen; 3, R. Carson; 4, J. T. Babtie. Autumn Tournament (Bogey): 1, A. B. Law (6), two up; 2, W. Craig (scratch), one up; 3, W. Risk (8), square. Captain's Prizes: 1, A. Deuchars, 87 – 8 = 79; 2, W. Aitken, 79 + 2 = 81; 3, J. Liddell, 85 – 4 = 81; 4, W. H. Kidston, 85 – 2 = 83. Aggregate Prizes: W. Aitken, W. Craig, Rev. J. Smith, W. Thomson, jun. Ladies' Gold Medal: August, Miss E. Wedgwood, 61 (scratch); September, Mrs. W. S. Anderson 66 – 6 = 60; October, Miss F. W. Matheson, 62 – 12 = 50. Autumn Tournament: 1, Miss J. Gillespie; 2, Miss Matheson.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 78, by W. Thomson, jun., W. Lonie, and W. Aitken, in 1894.

Green Record, 33, by J. W. Todd, on March 24th, 1894.

The course of nine holes and the clubhouse are barely a quarter of a mile from Dumbarton Station.

DUMFRIES.

DUMFRIES AND GALLOWAY GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED OCTOBER 13TH, 1880.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 11*s.* 6*d.* *Captain*—Sheriff Campion. *Sub-Captain*—Dr. Ferguson.

Committee—W. M. Blake, W. Moodie, W. H. Scott, G. Thomson. *Hon. Secretary*—J. Smith, Commercial Bank House. *Greenkeeper*—J. McCulloch.

Club Prizes.—Monthly Medal (handicap), on the last Saturday of each month; Championship Medal, 11th May; Autumn Medal (handicap), 5th October.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Championship Medal: W. M. Blake, 81. Autumn Medal: Rev. Mr. Stewart, 87 – 7 = 80.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 73, by W. M. Blake, on 26th June, 1893.

The club formerly played on Kingholm, a public common, and have only just entered into possession of a new private green at Summerhill, Maxwelltown. It has been laid out by Willie Fernie, who speaks highly of its mer ts for golfing, but it is yet too soon to report on its value.

QUEEN OF THE SOUTH GOLF CLUB, FORMED IN MAY, 1882, AS THE MECHANICS' CLUB. RE-FORMED JUNE 19TH, 1891, AS QUEEN OF THE SOUTH.

Annual Subscription, Seven Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, 50. *President*—Sheriff Campion. *Vice-Presidents*—W. M. Blake, J. Bryden. *Captain*—J. Dickie. *Vice-Captain*—W. Jamieson. *Committee*—R. H. McNaught, G. M. Davidson, W. Flynn, R. A. Morrison, J. McDonald, T. Lauder. *Secretary and Treasurer*—J. M. Gray, County Buildings, Dumfries. *Green*—The Kingholm.

Club Prizes.—Silver Cup, &c., on January 1; Annual Medal in July; Half-yearly Medal in April and October; Monthly Medal on first Saturday of each month (all handicap).

Prize Winners in 1894.—Silver Cup: R. Anderson, 82. Annual Medal: G. N. Bedford, 78. Half-yearly Medal: April, J. M. Gray, 75; October, R. A. Morrison, 77. Monthly Medal: January, J. Martin, 82; February, R. A. Morrison, 84; March, W. Jamieson, 73; April, J Davidson, 74; May, G. M. Davidson, 74; June, W. Gordon, 69; July, J. M. Gray, 77; August, R. A. Morrison, 77; September, R. A. Morrison, 81; October, G. N. Bedford, 81; November, G. N. Bedford, 80; December, A. Smith, 80.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 72, by H. Govan, in July, 1894.

Records for Green — (1) Professional, 33, by G. Fernie; (2) Amateur, 34, by W. M. Blake.

The Kingholm is a piece of merseland running alongside the river Nith about a mile below the town. It is covered with a coarse grass, on which cattle are grazed, and has few bunkers or hazards. The round is a nine-hole one.

DUNBAR.

DUNBAR GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1856.

Entrance Fee, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 120. *President*—Duke of Roxburgh. *Captain*—P. Fyshe. *Committee*—J. Mackinlay, R. Grieve, F. Wallace, A. Horne, and W. T. Armour. *Hon. Secretary*—W. Dick, Dunbar. *Greenkeeper*—J. Gellatly.

Club Prizes.—Roxburgh Gold Medal (scratch) and Corrychoillie Gold Medal (handicap), in April; Warrender Medal (scratch) and Belton Cup (handicap), in June; Roxburgh Gold Cross (handicap), in August; Club Medal (scratch), Quaigh (second lowest score), in October.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Roxburgh Medal: W. T. Armour, 81. Corrychoillie Medal: A. Sisson, 90 – 5 = 85. Warrender Medal: W. T. Armour, 84. Belton Cup: Sir A. P. Hepburn, 100 – 15 = 85. Roxburgh Gold Cross: Colonel Anderson, 90 – 2 = 88. Club Medal: A. Horne, 103. Quaigh: J. R. Jolly, 106. The October meeting took place in a violent storm of wind and rain.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, and *Amateur Record for Green*, 77, by W. T. Armour, in 1893.

Professional Record, 70, by Jack Kirkcaldy.

DUNBAR CASTLE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED AUGUST 3RD, 1882.

Club Prizes.—Brand Medal (scratch) and Brand Trophy (handicap, in May; Inches Gold Medal (handicap), on third Wednesday of January, April, July, and October; Club Medal (handicap), on second Wednesday of each month.

The Dunbar golf course is situated at Broxmouth Park, within ten minutes' walk of the town, and consists of eighteen holes. It has recently been very much improved, and, although rather narrow, is an excellent green. The par score for the green is 70. Visitors are charged one shilling per day, and summer visitors five shillings for the season. Charge for caddies sixpence per round, and strangers are requested not to give more.

Dunbar is within easy access of Edinburgh by rail, and there is an excellent service of trains, the journey only occupying forty minutes by fast trains. The three principal hotels are the George, situated in the High-street; the Royal, close to the station; and the Roxburgh Lodge, within a few yards of the links.

BOWMONT GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1892.

The membership is confined to youths of twenty and under.

DUNBAR LADIES' GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MAY 8TH, 1894.

Annual Subscription, Three Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, 108. *Captain*—Miss Russell. *Committee*—Mrs. Baillie, Mrs. Leach, Miss Hunter, Miss Bruce, and Messrs. R. G. Baillie, Crooke, F. Wallace, and Edgar. *Hon. Secretary*—Miss Storey, Blanerne Villa, Dunbar.

Club Prizes.—Silver Medal (handicap), with gold pendant, and other prizes, both scratch and handicap, monthly during summer and autumn.

Prize Winners in 1894.—June, Miss A. Bruce, 84 − 10 = 74; July, Miss Greig, 74 (scratch); August, Miss Greig, 72 + 2 = 74; September, Miss A. Bruce, 81 − 5 = 76; October, Mrs. J. A. Purves, 73 + 2 = 75.

Lowest Scratch Score—72, by Miss Greig on 2nd August, 1894.

The course is eighteen holes, but only twelve holes of the long course are played in competitions.

DUNBLANE.

DUNBLANE HYDROPATHIC GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED APRIL, 1892.

The course, of nine holes, is situated on the Laigh Hills, about ten minutes' walk from Philp's Hydropathic. It is an excellent little green, with numerous hazards in the shape of a burn, whins, rough ground, and the railway. The view is magnificent, extending west as far as Ben Lomond, while nearer at hand are Ben Ledi and Ben Venue. The course is ten minutes' walk from the railway station.

The Green Record is 32, by Ben Sayers (professional), and J. Wilson, a member. This is also the par score.

DUNDEE.

DUNDEE ADVERTISER GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JULY 24TH, 1870.

Annual Subscription, Three Shillings; *Number of Members*, 80. *Patron*—Sir J. Leng, M.P. *Captain*—W. F. Black. *Vice-Captain*—A. Forsyth. *Committee*—W. Duguid, W. Still, T. Knox, A. Buchan, J. D. Brown, W. Kennedy, J. Duirs. *Hon. Secretary*—J. P. Inglis, *Dundee Advertiser* Office, Dundee. *Assistant Secretary*—W. G. Westwood. *Green*—Monifieth.

Club Prizes.—Leng Medal, Honeyman Gold Medal, and Club Medal, at Spring, Summer, and Autumn Meetings.

The membership is confined to the *Dundee Advertiser* staff.

DUNDEE COURIER GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MARCH, 1889.

Hon. President — D. C. Thomson. *Hon. Secretary and Treasurer*—G. Smart, *Dundee Courier* Office. *Green*—Monifieth.

Club Prizes.—President's Medal (scratch) and Boyd Gold Cross and Club Silver Medal (average).

The membership is confined to the *Dundee Courier* staff.

DUNEDIN.

OTAGO GOLF CLUB.

Captain—C. R. Howden. *Committee* — Dr. Brown, J. R. Scott, G. Todd. *Hon. Secretary and Treasurer*—F. J. Stilling, Dunedin, Otago.

The course consists of fifteen holes, with plenty of hazards.

DUNFERMLINE.

DUNFERMLINE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JULY, 1887.

Entrance Fee, 3*l*. 3*s*.; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l*. 1*s*.; *Number of Members*, 322. *President*—Dr. Dow. *Vice-President* — J. Cowan. *Captain* — R. H. Robertson. *Treasurer*—W. Aikman. *Committee*—R. Reid, R. W. Stewart, J. T. Spence, W. Spedding, R. Husband, J. Marshall. *Hon. Secretary*—J. W. Robertson, 3, Comely-park-place, Dunfermline. *Greenkeeper*—W. Fairfull.

The green is a private one, situated on the Ferry Hills, within five minutes' walk of North Queensferry Station. It consists of eighteen holes, and the hazards are hedges, roads, a wall, and a quarry. There is a clubhouse with box accommodation.

The Green Records are (1) professional, 72; (2) amateur, 77.

DUNGANNON.

DUNGANNON GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED NOVEMBER 22ND, 1890.

Entrance Fee, 1*l*. 1*s*.; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l*. 1*s*.; *Number of Members*, 100. *President and Captain*—Earl of Ranfurly. *Captain and Treasurer*—F. Barcroft. *Committee*—J. Dickson, J. R. McDonald, J. Simmons, R. W. Scott, G. Greer, C. Barcroft, T. J. Smith, Rev. E.

F. Campbell. *Hon. Secretary*—R. Daniel, Derryvale, Dungannon, co. Tyrone. *Greenkeeper*—J. Anderson.

Club Prizes.—Ranfurly Challenge Cups, Ladies and Gentlemen; Club Shield; Captain's Prize; East Tyrone Cup; Tyrone County Challenge Cup.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Ranfurly Challenge Cup: Gentlemen, G. Greer; Ladies, Miss E. Daniel (18 holes). Captain's Prize: G. Greer. Henderson Cup: R. B. West.

The Green Record is 79, by T. Dickson, on November 10th, 1892.

The course of twelve holes is beautifully situated in the park of the Earl of Ranfurly. The greens are excellent, and great attention is given to them all the year round. A handsome clubhouse, with every accommodation, is situated close to the last green. The course is ten minutes from Dungannon Station, and visitors will find excellent accommodation at Black's Hotel, the proprietor of which can always provide caddies.

DUNS.

DUNS GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JUNE 21ST, 1894.

Entrance Fee, Two Shillings and Sixpence; *Annual Subscription*, Five Shillings; *Number of Members*, 55. *Captain*—A. Morrison. *Treasurer*—P. Wilson, jun. *Committee* — Rev. Mr. Beak and A. N. McDougal. *Hon. Secretary*—T. A. M. Somers, Solicitor, Duns.

The Morrison Medal (scratch) is played for on the last Saturday of each month, from December to April inclusive.

The course of nine holes is laid out in the meadows to the east of the town, about ten minutes' walk from the station. There are good hotels in the town.

DURBAN.

DURBAN GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1892.

Entrance Fee, 3*l.* 3*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 11*s.* 6*d.*; *Number of Members*, 80. *Patron*—Sir W. Holy Hutchinson. *Presidents*—J. G. Maydon, J. W. Leuchars, A. M. Campbell, D. Don, D. Hunter. *Captain*—J. Watt. *Committee*—W. I. Proudfoot, J. H. Wade, Dr. Bonnar, J. L. Couper, Dr. Campbell, G. Roger. *Hon. Treasurer*—J. E. Evans. *Hon. Secretary*—M. Pollok.

The championship of Natal, played for at Durban, was won by J. Watt, 85.

Lowest Scratch Score, 83, by J. H. Wade.

The course is prettily situated at the foot of the Berea. The distance round is about three miles. The club has a convenient clubhouse, with lockers, &c., on the ground.

DURHAM.

DURHAM GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED DECEMBER 3RD, 1887.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 72. *President*—T. Milvain, Q.C. *Vice-Presidents*—Sir H. Williamson, Bart., J. L. Wharton, M.P. *Captain*—Dr. E. S. Robson. *Treasurer*—H. E. Ferens. *Committee*—W. H. Oliver, Rev. A. Robertson, D.D., H. W. Roberts, G. P. Blagdon, J. Duncannon. *Hon. Secretary*—F. W. Cluff, 45, Old Elvet, Durham. *Greenkeeper*—J. Beck.

Club Prizes.—President's Medal (scratch), at Spring Meeting; Club Cup (handicap), at Spring and Autumn Meetings; and ten Sweepstake Competitions, with Robson Cup for best aggregate of five scores.

Prize Winners in 1894.—President's Medal: Dr. Treadwell, 81. Club Cup: spring, Dr. T. E. Hill, 75; autumn, Dr. Robson, 84.

Record for Green, 40, by Dr. Robson, on September 4th, 1894, when the new nine-hole course was inaugurated.

The course is situated at Pinker Knowle, about two miles from Durham.

DURNESS.

DURNESS GOLF CLUB.

The course of nine holes is a capital one, laid out on undulating ground.

EARLSFERRY.

EARLSFERRY AND ELIE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1858.

Entrance Fee, Six Shillings; *Annual Subscription*, Six Shillings; *Number of Members*, 140. *Captain*—G. Lowe. *Vice-Captain*—T. Sime. *Committee*—M. Prain, J. E. Pitcairn, R. Gibson, sen., W. Simpson, L. Fish, J. Sanderson, and G. McHardy. *Joint Hon. Secretaries*—J. Davidson, Earlsferry, and A. J. Morris, Elie. *Greenkeeper*—G. Smith.

Club Prizes.—Glover Cup, No. 2 (handicap), on April 8th; Balcaskie Medal (scratch) and Browning Quaich (handicap), on July 20th; Club Medal (scratch) and Robertson Cross (handicap), on August 10th; Henry Gold Medal (scratch) and Glover Cup, No. 1 (handicap), on August 16th; Baird Medal, on September 2nd; Earlsferry Medal (scratch) and Monkland Medal (handicap), on September 14th.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Glover Cup (No. 2): S. Paterson, 89 – 4 = 85, Balcaskie Medal and Browning Quaich: L. Fish, 81. Club Medal: J. Sanderson, 84. Robertson Cross: A. W. Belfrage, 82 (net). Henry Medal: L. Fish, 84. Glover Cup (No. 1): G. B. Key, 87 – 3 = 84. Baird Medal: L. Fish, 85. Earlsferry Medal: N. R. Foster, 83. Monkland Medal: J. Hendry, 95 – 10 = 85.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 75, by J. Taylor.

EARLSFERRY THISTLE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1875.

No particulars forthcoming.

Earlsferry—a favourite summer resort—stands contiguous to Elie on the north shore of the Firth of Forth, directly opposite North Berwick. The golf course lies on the north side of the village, and, starting from the eastern extremity, stretches west and south to the Lunder Law; thence northward, skirting a pretty little bay, to the foot of Kincraig Braes. In this portion of the links there are seven holes. From the Braes the homeward journey is made partially over the same ground, without, however, again visiting the Lunder Law. This portion has four holes, making in all a round of eleven holes, the par score for which is 42. The hazards are bunkers, cart tracks, bents, rocks, and two fields, both of which are out of bounds. There are also three holes in the Melon Park to the east of those just noticed, but they may only be played over with the permission of the Elie Golf House Club. Par score for whole round, 53.

Capital accommodation may be had at the Marine and Victoria Hotels in Elie. Elie and Kilconquhar stations are about a mile from the green.

EASTBOURNE.

ROYAL EASTBOURNE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1887.

Entrance Fee, 3*l.* 3*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 300. *Patron*—H.R.H. the Duke of York. *President*—Duke of Devonshire. *Captain*—V. Cavendish, M.P. *Committee*—Colonel Shaw, A. Mayhewe, G. H. Lawrence, Rev. H. Von Essen Scott, G. Gardner, Capt. B. G. Harrison, H. Matheson. *Hon. Secretaries*—A. Smith, and C. H. Evill, Sussex Club. *Hon. Treasurer*—A. M. Wilkinson. *Greenkeeper*—T. Chisholm.

Club Prizes.—Club Gold Medal (scratch), in April; Hartington Gold Medal (scratch), in October; Hambro Challenge Bowl Tournament, in March and October. Club Prize Meetings in April, October, and December.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Club Medal: G. Gardner, 91. Hartington

Medal: G. Gardner, 82. Hambro Bowl: R. T. Murray and Rev. H. Von E. Scott.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 78, by G. Gardner, in October, 1894.

The Green Record is 76, by Horace G. Hutchinson.

The links, which belong to the Duke of Devonshire, are very attractive and pretty, the turf and hazards being specially good. The Eastbourne Railway Station is five minutes' drive from the links, on which there is a very comfortable clubhouse. Visitors are admitted to the links (on the introduction of a member) on payment of five shillings a week subscription.

EASTBOURNE LADIES' GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JUNE, 1888.

Entrance Fee, Ten Shillings; *Annual Subscription*, Five Shillings; *Number of Members*, 200 Ladies and 100 Gentlemen Associates. *Patroness* — H.R.H. the Duchess of Fife. *Captain*—Mrs. T. S. Whitfield. *Committee*—Miss A. Tyrwhitt Drake, Mrs. Franks, Miss G. Mills, Miss M. C. Reid, R. C. Lambert, Rev. H. Von Essen Scott, W. S. Sheldon. *Hon. Secretary* — C. H. Evill, 1, Grange-gardens, Eastbourne.

Club Prizes.—Club Medal (scratch), in January, May, and October; Challenge Bowl (handicap), in May and October; Monthly Medal, final in January.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Club Medal: Miss Bruce, in January, May, and October, 80, 79, and 78. Challenge Bowl: May, Mrs. Franks, 84—12 = 72; October, Mrs. Richardson, 79 — 3 = 76. Monthly Medal (final): Miss A. L. T. Drake, 86 — 1 = 85.

The course is a nine hole one about a mile from the railway station. The lengths of the holes vary from 95 to 160 yards, each hole having its hazards. The putting greens are very good.

EAST GRINSTEAD.

FRITH PARK GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED OCTOBER 1ST, 1893.

The course, of nine holes, is laid out on private ground in Frith Park, about three-quarters of a mile from Dormans Station, and one mile from East Grinstead Station (L. B. and S. C. Ry), both of which are an hour's run from Victoria and London Bridge Stations. There is a club pavilion on the ground and an excellent hotel on the road to Dormans Station.

EDINBURGH.

HONOURABLE COMPANY OF EDINBURGH GOLFERS, INSTITUTED PREVIOUS TO 1744.

Entrance Fee, 12*l.* 12*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 3*l.* 3*s.*; *Number of Members*, 440. *Captain*—A. Graham Murray, Q.C., M.P. *Committee*—W. Hope, Col. Anderson, Alex. Stuart, J. W. Tod, T. Rutherford-Clark. *Joint Hon. Secretaries*—John Bruce, W.S., and A. G. G. Asher, W.S., 18, Hill-street, Edinburgh. *Green*—Muirfield. *Greenkeeper*—R. Brown.

Club Prizes.—Gold Medal (scratch) and Silver Medal (scratch), at Spring Meeting in April; Gold Medal (scratch), at Winter Meeting in November.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Gold Medal: R. H. Johnston, 79. Silver Medal: J. E. Laidlay, 81. Winter Medal: W. M. de Zoete.

Lowest Score in a Club Competition, 78, on April 6th, 1893, by J. E. Laidlay.

The date of the institution of the Honourable Company of Edinburgh Golfers (incorporated by a charter from the magistrates of Edinburgh in 1800) is lost in antiquity, but the first of a regular series of minutes, signed by President Forbes, of Culloden, bears date 1744. The Muirfield Green is situated about four miles from Drem Railway Station, and less than one mile from Gullane village. It is an excellent course of eighteen holes, and has been wonderfully improved since the opening four years ago; but it is to all intents and purposes a winter course, as in summer the grass grows too long to be pleasant for erratic drivers.

The green record is 69, by Archie Simpson, on September 21st, 1892, his figures being:

Out.....	2 3 7 4 4 4 4 5 4=37	69
In	3 4 3 4 3 3 3 4 5=32	

Since then, however, several of the holes have been considerably lengthened.

The par of the green may be put at 72.

Conveyances meet the principal trains from Edinburgh at Drem, and there is sleeping accommodation for members in the handsome clubhouse on the green.

BRUNTSFIELD LINKS GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1761.

Entrance Fee, 3*l.* 3*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 15*s.*; *Number of Members*, 128. *Captain*—H. Gilmour. *Committee*—W. B. Glen, J. Gibson, T. T. Gray, W. Lees, C. D. Rutherford, J. Kennedy. *Hon. Secretary*—C. S. Halkett,

National Bank, 3, Elm-row, Edinburgh. *Treasurer*—D. N. Cotton. *Greens*—Musselburgh.

Club Prizes.—Challenge Cup (handicap), on first Tuesday of every month (except May and October) by holes; Gold Medal (scratch), and Ladies' Cup (handicap), in May; Cairns Medal (scratch); Hay Medal (handicap), in October; Captain's and Secretary's Prizes.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Gold Medal: T. T. Gray, 90. Ladies' Cup: G. J. Beattie and W. J. Buist tied, 89 (net). Cairns Medal: W. B. Taylor, 78 + 2 = 80. Hay Medal: D. Foulis. Monthly Medal: C. S. Halkett.

EDINBURGH BURGESS GOLFING SOCIETY, INSTITUTED 1735.

Entrance Fee, 7*l.* 7*s.*; *Annual Subscription* 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Number of Members*, 313. *Captain*—R. S. Bryson. *Treasurer*—K. Watson. *Chaplain*—J. Young. *Committee*—C. J. Kerr, T. Aitken, A. B. Doughty, W. Allaway, J. M. Williamson, R. Sawers. *Hon. Secretary*—A. S. Muir, S.S.C., 11, York-buildings, Edinburgh. *Greens*—Musselburgh and Barnton. *Greenkeeper*—P. Lees, Barnton.

Club Prizes.—Spring Gold Medal (scratch), and Gold Medal (handicap), in April; Autumn Gold Medal (scratch), and Silver Medal (handicap), in October; and other prizes.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Spring Gold Medal: T. Aitken, 81. Gold Medal (handicap): T. Aitken, 85. Autumn Gold Medal: T. Aitken, 85. Silver Medal (handicap): A. B. Doughty, 85 − 10 = 75.

The Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 76, by A. M. Ross on October 13th, 1881.

The Society have acquired on lease a portion of the Barnton Estate, situated three miles to the west of Edinburgh, upon which a course of eighteen holes has been laid out. It was opened for play on the occasion of the Spring Meeting on April 4th. The turf is old and of good quality, and it is anticipated the green will soon be one of the best inland courses in the country. The first tee is seven minutes' walk from Cramond Brig Station (Cal. Ry.), and temporary accommodation is to be had in Barnton House.

ABERDEEN, BANFF, AND KINCARDINE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED DECEMBER, 1890.

Number of Members, 30. *Captain*—A. McDonald. *Vice-Captain*—G. Stevenson. *Committee*—G. Crawford, J. R. Renton. *Hon. Secretary*—J. Hamilton, 10, Hill-street, Edinburgh.

Club Prizes.—Captain's, Vice-Captain's, and Monthly Medals (handicap).

The club is one in connection with the Aberdeen, Banff, and Kincardine Edinburgh Association.

ALBAN GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1890.

Annual Subscription, Two Shillings and Sixpence. The membership is confined to members of the Brighton-street Evangelical Union Church.

Club Prizes.—Silver Medal and other Handicap Prizes, at Gullane on spring and autumn holidays.

ALBERT GOLF CLUB.

President—W. S. Morton. *Vice-President*—S. P. Keith. *Captain*—T. Brown. *Hon. Secretary*—J. Law. *Treasurer*—W. Robb.

The membership is confined to employés in the works of Messrs. W. S. Morton and Co., Albert Works, Edinburgh.

BALLANTYNE PRESS GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JULY 11TH, 1894.

Annual Subscription : Five Shillings ; *Number of Members*, 30. *Patron*—W. Hanson. *Hon. President*—J. Gibsone. *President*—G. Muir. *Captain*—T. Stewart. *Committee*—J. Hogg, A. Anderson, A. Thomson. *Treasurer*—D. Blaik. *Hon. Secretary*—D. Grubb, 2, Braid-place. *Green*—Braid Hills.

Club Prizes.—Heinemann Trophy and Prizes, on April 27th and August 31st; Monthly Medal, on third Saturday of each month. Membership is confined to employés in the Ballantyne Press Printing Works.

BANK OF SCOTLAND GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1889.

Hon. President—J. A. Wenley. *Hon. Vice-President*—D. McNeill. *Captain*—W. Lomond. *Hon. Secretary*—T. Arnot, Bank of Scotland, Edinburgh.

BERTRAM'S GOLF CLUB.

Membership is confined to employés of Messrs. Bertram, Engineers, Sciennes, Edinburgh.

BLACKFORD GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED FEBRUARY, 1890.

Annual Subscription, Five Shillings; *Number of Members*, 64 (the limit). *Captain*—W. H. B. Paterson. *Committee*—T. C. Kay, J. Sanderson, D. W. Paton, J. T. Maxwell, D. S. Wilson. *Hon. Secretary*—J. Crease, 112, Thirlestane-road, Edinburgh.

Club Prizes.—Scratch and Handicap Medals; Club Prizes, monthly.

BRAIDS GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED DECEMBER 4TH, 1889.

Annual Subscription, Ten Shillings; *Number of Members*, 50. *President*—Bailie Kinloch Anderson. *Captain*—J. Sinclair. *Treasurer*—P. Campbell. *Committee*—W. J. Walker, J. S. Campbell, W. C. Sturrock, G. Borthwick, G. Farrell, H. Blanche. *Hon. Secretary*—J. S. Shaw, 20, Fountainhall-road, Edinburgh. *Green*—Braid Hills.

Club Prizes and Winners in 1894.—Woodhead Medal (scratch), at Leven: J. W. Paterson, 87. McEwan Medal (handicap), at Braids: P. Campbell, 84 – 7 = 77. Monthly Medal: J. Johnstone, average for four competitions, 79·7. Hole Tournament: 1st, H. Blanche; 2nd, D. Peter; 3rd, W. C. Sturrock; 4th, F. E. Buist.

The Braid Hills golf course is a thoroughly sporting one of eighteen holes. The view from it is magnificent, and the air of the purest; and golfers are under a deep debt of gratitude to the City Corporation for carrying through such a wise purchase. The caddies in attendance are licensed by the Corporation. Their tariff is one shilling and sixpence for the first round, and one shilling for each succeeding round. The order of play is regulated by tickets, for which, however, there is no charge. The par of the green is 68, and the *Green Record* is 69, by A. J. T. Allan, Edinburgh University G.C., in 1894. A relief course of nine holes was opened last summer for ladies and beginners, but it has not been taken advantage of as it ought to have been, and waits on the long course are still too frequent and tedious to be pleasant. An excellent hotel with box accommodation has recently been erected within three minutes' walk of the course.

A tournament, open to members of Edinburgh and Leith clubs, is held annually in June over the Braids course, for prizes presented or subscribed for. G. Robb, 30, Royal-circus, Edinburgh, is Hon. Secretary and Treasurer of the Tournament Committee, which comprises other twelve delegates from clubs elected annually. In 1894 the chief prize winners were—Kinloch Anderson Medal (scratch): W. Turpie (Brunswick G.C.), 76. Colston Medal (handicap): C. A. Macpherson (Watsonian G.C.), 79 – 4 = 75. Handicap Prizes: A. Gunn (Civil Service), 93 – 16 = 77; A. Struthers (Burgess), 80 – 3 = 77; G. A. Ross (Blackford), 79 – 1 = 78; J. Paterson (Gillespie),

92−14=78; J. Laurie (Craiglea), 94−16=78; J. H. Hallard (University), 81−2=79; J. Hay (Albert), 87−8=79; A. Lawson (Commercial Bank), 81; F. Marshall (Whitehouse), 86−5=81; J. Paterson (Ye Monks), 83−2=81; J. Livingston (Ye Monks), 82−1=81.

BRITISH LINEN COMPANY GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1891.

Annual Subscription, Two Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, 71. *Captain*—J. G. Macnair. *Treasurer* — E. G. Galletly. *Committee* — J. Martin, D. Thomson, W. H. Montgomery, J. Blaikie. *Hon. Secretary*—A. Dempster, British Linen Company Bank, Edinburgh.

W. H. Montgomery won the gold medal in 1894.

BRUNTSFIELD ALLIED GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1856.

Annual Subscription, Ten Shillings; *Number of Members*, 25. *Captain*—J. Riddle. *Vice-Captain*—J. Stevens. *Treasurer*—J. McLeod. *Committee*—J. T. Sharpe, E. McGregor, J. Frater, T. Aitken, T. Hunter, A. Kinross. *Hon. Secretary* — J. L. Brown, 22, Gillespie-crescent, Edinburgh. *Green*—Braid Hills.

Club Prizes.—Gold Medal (scratch), in March; Silver Medal (handicap), in September; Crichton Trophy, in February and March.

CALEDONIAN INSURANCE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MARCH, 1892.

Number of Members, 30. *Captain* — R. Rodger. *Vice-Captain*—A. Robertson. *Committee*—J. Ranken, C. Price, T. Richardson, J. Litster, R. R. Stewart, C. J. Hurry. *Hon. Secretary*—W. L. Adamson, 19, George-street, Edinburgh.

Prizes and Winners in 1894.—Hon. President's Medal: A. Robertson. United States Manager's Cup (handicap): A. E. Murray.

CARLTON GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED OCTOBER, 1889.

Entrance Fee, Two Shillings and Sixpence; *Annual Subscription*, Five Shillings; *Number of Members*, 56.

Captain — J. Taylor. *Vice-Captain* — A. Macbeth. *Treasurer*—W. Corson. *Committee*—Dr. Haultain, G. S. Turnbull, T. Lugton, jun., J. S. Sutherland, T. T. Gray. *Hon. Secretary*—Wm. B. Taylor, 13, Greenhill-terrace, Edinburgh.

Club Prizes.—Gold Medal (scratch), Oakvale Bowl (scratch), and Gold Medal (handicap), on New Year's Day; Silver Medal (handicap), in March; and other prizes.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Gold Medal and Oakvale Bowl: J. Taylor, 76. Gold Medal (handicap): R. D. Croall, 97 – 18 = 79. Silver Medal: J. S. Sutherland, 88 – 8 = 80.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 75, by W. B. Taylor, at Archerfield, on January 1st, 1892.

The membership of the club is limited to past and present members of the Carlton Cricket Club, Edinburgh.

The club were last year's holders of the *Edinburgh Evening Dispatch* Braid Hills Trophy, competed for in April, by clubs in Edinburgh and Leith, this being the second occasion on which they have been successful. The club's representatives were: J. Taylor and G. W. S. Paterson; W. B. Taylor and T. Lugton, jun.

CIVIL SERVICE GOLF CLUB, EDINBURGH, INSTITUTED 1894.

Annual Subscription, Ten Shillings; *Number of Members*, 60. *Captain*—F. Taylor (Register House). *Vice-Captain*—J. T. Maxwell (Local Government Board). *Hon. Treasurer*—D. M. Gavine (Inland Revenue). *Committee*—J. Macdonald, J. Davidson, T. Kinnear (General Post Office); A. Gunn (Excise); W. Thom (Register House); G. Finlay (Inland Revenue); R. Brown (Parliament House). *Hon. Secretary*—G. W. Wight, H.M. Lunacy Commission (Scotland), 51, Queen-street, Edinburgh. *Green*—Braid Hills.

R. AND R. CLARK GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MARCH, 1892.

Annual Subscription, Four Shillings; *Number of Members*, 24. *President*—J. Kirkwood. *Vice-President*—E. Clark. *Captain*—A. J. Gillies. *Hon. Secretary and Treasurer*—J. G. Mills. *Committee*—R. Grant, T. Izzett, W. Sime.

The membership is limited to the employés of R. and R. Clark, Printers, Brandon-street, Edinburgh.

CLEEK GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1864.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.*; *Annual Subscription*, Fifteen Shillings; *Number of Members*, 40. *Captain* — M. McCall. *Vice-Captain*—R. Marshall. *Committee*—A. B. Doughty, J. Frater, J. H. Forrester, A. G. Macaulay. *Hon. Secretary*—A. Grieve, 30, Argyle-place. *Green*—Musselburgh. *Clubhouse*—Pinkieburn.

Club Prizes.—Hole Tournament; Scratch Medal in June; Holiday Cup in September; McIntosh Cleek in February, May, August, and November; Rattray Cup in April and October.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 84, by T. Aitken, in 1894.

CLUNY GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MAY 17TH, 1893.

Subscription, Two Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, 40. *Hon. President*—Rev. W. Brown. *Hon. Secretary* — G. A. Ross, 54, Comiston-road, Edinburgh. *Green*—Braid Hills.

The membership is confined to members and adherents of the Braid United Presbyterian Church.

COMISTON GOLF CLUB.

Captain—J. Maclagan. *Committee*—P. Smith, W. McNiven, G. McNiven. *Hon. Secretary*—P. A. Maclagan, 4, Braidburn-crescent, Edinburgh. *Green*—Braid Hills.

COMMERCIAL BANK GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MARCH 24TH, 1890.

Entrance Fee, Two Shillings and Sixpence; *Annual Subscription*, Two Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, 40. *Captain* — J. Gibson. *Treasurer* — J. Sutherland. *Committee*—R. W. Huie, J. S. Sutherland, A. Lawson, J. Wilson. *Hon. Secretary*—A. Ritchie, 14, George-street.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Annual Medal: A. Ritchie, 88. Baillie Cup: J. Denholm, 81.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 75, by A. Lawson, at Dunbar, on September 22nd, 1894.

CRAIGLEA GOLF CLUB.

Hon. Secretary—J. Laurie, 43, Nile-grove.

CRAIGMILLAR GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED NOVEMBER 11TH, 1890.

Annual Subscription, Five Shillings; *Number of Members*, 28 (limited to 35). *Captain* — T. Adams. *Treasurer* — C. F. Smith. *Committee* — R. A. Bruce, J. Mathewson. *Hon. Secretary*—E. Bruce, jun., 20, West Mayfield, Edinburgh.

Club Prizes. — Bruce Trophy (scratch), Handicap Cup, and Captain's Prize (foursomes).

Prize Winners in 1894.—Bruce Trophy: R. A. Bruce. Handicap Cup: E. Bruce, jun. Captain's Prize: R. Berry and E. Bruce, jun.

CRAIGMILLAR PARK GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JANUARY, 1895.

Number of Members—Over 100 Gentlemen and 50 Ladies. *Joint Hon. Secretaries* — C. D. O. Morrison and A. Campbell, jun., 52, Hanover-street, Edinburgh.

The course of nine holes is situated within three minutes' walk of Craigmillar Park car terminus and of Newington Suburban Station. The course is about a mile in length, and was laid out by W. D. Day, Musselburgh.

EDINBURGH GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JANUARY 31ST, 1894.

Entrance Fee, Five Shillings; *Annual Subscription*, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, 28. *Captain*—G. R. Gilruth. *Hon. Treasurer*—Dr. Keiller. *Hon. Secretary*—Dr. H. M. Baylis, 17, Bruntsfield-gardens, Edinburgh. *Green*—Braid Hills.

Club Prizes.—Monthly Medal (handicap) and other prizes, on first Tuesday of each month; also prizes at Summer and Winter Competitions

Prize Winners in 1894.—Monthly Medal: February, E. Peck, 118 − 18 = 100; March, Rev. W. Johnston, 85 (scratch); April, G. H. Rees, 85 (scratch); May, G. R. Gilruth, 101 − 14 = 87; June, G. H. Rees; July, Dr. W. H. Miller, 104 − 16 = 88; July (at Gullane), G. H. Rees, 80 + 4 = 84; August, G. H. Rees, 75 + 4 = 79; September, Dr. W. H. Miller, 98 − 16 = 82; October, G. Smith, 102 − 14 = 88; November (at Kinghorn), Dr. Keiller, 103 − 19 = 84; November, Rev. W. Johnston, 78 + 2 = 80; December, Dr. Keiller, 99 − 19 = 80.

EDINBURGH C. A. GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JULY 3RD, 1890.

Entrance Fee, Life Members, 1*l.* 1*s.*; Ordinary Members, 5*s.*, the latter can be assessed 5*s.* every second or third year; *Number of Members*, 101. *Honorary President*—W. Moncreiff. *Honorary Vice-Presidents*—T. G. Dickson, G. Auldjo Jamieson, J. M. MacAndrew, J. Turnbull Smith, G. T. Chiene. *Captain*—R. Brown. *Hon. Treasurer*—J. H. Chalmers. *Committee*—J. Brown, G. H. Carphin, D. N. Cotton, W. Greenhill, J. Greig, C. McCuaig, J. Paterson, H. L. Sanderson, W. J. Croall, J. H. Buchanan. *Hon. Secretary*—J. Gordon, C.A., 3A, North St. David-street, Edinburgh.

Club Prizes.—Club Cup at Spring Meeting; Moncreiff Medal at Summer Meeting; Club Medal, at Autumn Meeting.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Club Cup: H. C. Anderson, 89—6=83. Moncreiff Medal: G. G. Robertson, 85 (scratch). Club Medal: G. W. Currie, 88—3=85.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 77, at Gullane, on 13th October, 1894, by G. G. Robertson.

EDINBURGH CITY CHAMBERS GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED FEBRUARY 25TH, 1891.

Annual Subscription, Two Shillings and Sixpence. *Number of Members*, 18. *Captain*—A. Grierson. *Treasurer*—J. K. Fenton. *Hon. Secretary*—D. Lumsden, City Chambers, Edinburgh. *Green*—Braids.

The Skinner Medal, for lowest aggregate of six scores during year, was won last year by D. Cameron.

EDINBURGH CORPORATION GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED APRIL 22ND, 1890.

Annual Subscription, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, 60. *President*—Sir James A. Russell, *Captain*—Councillor J. A. Robertson. *Hon. Treasurer*—J. S. Gibb, Treasurer to the Gas Commissioners. *Committee*—Bailies Macpherson and Kinloch Anderson, Councillors Mitchell Thomson, and J. Robertson, and A. Campbell, Deputy City Clerk. *Hon. Secretary*—G. Somerville, City Chambers, Edinburgh.

Club Prizes.—Slater Trophy, on first Wednesday in May; Club Medal, on second Wednesday in June; Barrie Medal, on first Wednesday in July; Mitchell Thomson Trophy, in June or July; Robertson Medal, on first Wednesday in October; Ramage Clock and Handicap Trophy, monthly throughout the year.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Slater Trophy: Bailie Steel. Club Medal: J. M. Jack. Barrie Medal: J. S. Gibb. Mitchell Thomson Trophy: Councillor J. A. Robertson. Robertson Medal: J. Oliver. Ramage Trophy: Bailie Macpherson.

Membership is only open to members and ex-members of Town Council and officials of the Corporation.

EDINBURGH DRAPERS ALLIANCE GOLF CLUB INSTITUTED 1894.

Number of Members, 40. *Hon. Presidents*—R. Allan, R. Crunton, and R. Maule, jun. *Captain*—W. Ferguson. *Vice-Captain*—F. Taylor. *Treasurer*—A. Fraser. *Hon. Secretary*—T. R. McIlwrick, 84, South Bridge. *Green*—Braid Hills.

Club Prizes.—Cranston Gold Medal (handicap) and Maule Silver Medal (scratch), monthly.

EDINBURGH ESTABLISHMENT GOLF CLUB FEDERATION, INSTITUTED 1894.

Membership is confined to clubs connected with establishments under the jurisdiction of the Factories Acts. *President*—A. J. Gillies (R. and R. Clark's). *Vice-President*—J. D. Gibb (Wharfdale). *Hon. Secretary*—J. G. Mills (R. and R. Clark's).

A Team Trophy is played for on League principles during the year.

EDINBURGH FORFARSHIRE GOLF CLUB.

Captain—D. Anderson. *Vice-Captain*—S. Mackenzie. *Hon. Secretary*—F. G. Thomson. *Treasurer*—D. Henderson. *Committee*—J. S. Officer, J. C. Robbie, W. B. Cuthbert, C. Leighton.

Club Prizes and Winners in 1894.—President's and Captain's Prizes: C. Leighton. Club Medal: W. P. Wighton.

EDINBURGH HYDROPATHIC GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1893.

Annual Subscription—1*l.* 5*s.* *Hon. Secretary*—J. Bell, Hydropathic, Slateford.

The course is one of nine holes, situated upon Wester Craiglockhart Hill and two adjoining fields leased from the City Parochial Board. The round is an extremely sporting one, the hazards being whins, trees, walls, fences, &c. The par of the green is 34. The first tee is close to the Hydropathic, and there is a small clubhouse in the grounds with box accommodation, for which 3*s.* extra is charged. Craiglockhart (Suburban Railway) and Slateford (Cal. Ry.) Stations are less than a mile from the course. A Monthly Medal is competed for on the first Saturday of each month from March to July inclusive, and also in September and October.

EDINBURGH INSTITUTION FORMER PUPILS' GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED OCTOBER 19TH, 1887.

Entrance Fee, Two Shillings and Sixpence; *Annual Subscription*, Five Shillings; *Number of Members*, 100. *Hon. President*—Dr. Ferguson. *President*—Dr. J. B. Buist. *Captain*—J. S. Stevenson. *Vice-Captain*—J. McCulloch. *Committee*—T. Ainslie, A. Henderson, D. Johnston, R. L. Macdonald, C. Smith, J. Stevenson. *Hon. Secretary*—W. Oliphant, 21, York-place, Edinburgh.

Club Prizes.—Gold Medal (scratch), in Autumn; Aggregate Trophy (handicap), for best three scores of the season; Club and Presented Prizes at the other three annual competitions.

Prize Winners in 1894.—North Berwick: J. S. Stevenson, 84. Mortonhall: M. J. Brown, 80. Gullane: J. Foggo, 75. North Berwick: J. McCulloch, 77.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 75, by J. Foggo, at Gullane, on 14th July, 1894.

EDINBURGH LADIES' GOLF CLUB. INSTITUTED MAY, 1894.

The green is situated at Millbank, on ground belonging to Mr. W. J. Menzies, Mr. W. Currie, and Mr. Usher, lying alongside the Suburban Railway between Morningside and Blackford Hill Stations. There are eleven holes of fair length, and the hazards are a ditch, a wall, and several artificial bunkers. There is a clubhouse on the green. The membership, we understand, is full.

EDINBURGH MINISTERS GOLF CLUB.

No details.

EDINBURGH MORAYSHIRE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MAY 27TH, 1892.

Annual Subscription, Two Shillings and Sixpence. *President*—R. Adam. *Captain*—J. Wilson. *Treasurer*

—G. Ross. *Hon. Secretary*—C. A. Macpherson, Cockburn Hotel. Membership is confined to Members of the Edinburgh Morayshire Association.

EDINBURGH ST. ANDREW GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JUNE 10TH, 1882.

Entrance Fee, Two Shillings and Sixpence; *Annual Subscription*, Eight Shillings; *Number of Members*, 53. *Captain*—J. Stewart. *Vice-Captain*—J. Macdonald. *Committee*—A. T. Sinton, W. Paterson, W. Stirling, D. A. Paterson, R. Jeffrey. *Hon. Secretary*—J. D. Gibb, 25, Tarvit-street. *Treasurer*—A. Steel, 10, Brougham-place. *Green*—Braid Hills. *Club Room*—Braid Hills.

Club Prizes.—Gold Medal (scratch), in May; Goldsmith's Medal (handicap), in April and September; Shand Medal, in July; Monthly Medal, on second Saturday of each month; Thomson Claret Jug, in May; Jubilee Cup (handicap), in June.

Prize Winners in 1894. Goldsmith's Medal: J. Paterson, 85 – 10 = 75. J. Macdonald, 103 – 34 = 69. Gold Medal: J. Knowles, 77. Monthly Medal: R. Knowles, jun. Jubilee Cup: J. Stewart, 95 – 7 = 88, at St. Andrews. Thomson Claret Jug: J. Kettles.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 74, by A. Lawson.

EDINBURGH THISTLE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1870

Entrance Fee, Two Shillings and Sixpence; *Subscription*, Two Shillings and Sixpence per quarter. *Number of Members*, 70. *Captain*—J. S. Williamson. *Vice-Captain*—J. W. Barclay. *Treasurer*—J. Ormston. *Committee*—W. Smail, W. Rankine, D. Grant, E. A. Rhead, J. Smith, T. Turner. *Hon. Secretary*—R. S. Thomson, 18, Viewforth Gardens, Edinburgh. *Club-rooms*—Golf Hotel, Bruntsfield, and Braid Hills. *Green*—Braid Hills.

Club Prizes and Winners in 1894.—Gold Medal (scratch), in May: I. Stevenson Silver Medal (handicap), in May and August: P. Whitten. Monthly Gold Trophy, on third Saturday of each month: T. Brown. Thistle Cup (hole tournament): J. Harvey. Aggregate Medal (handicap); also three prize competitions, at which the principal winners were: J. Bell, W. Smail, J. Williamson, P. Whitten, D. Grant, R. S. Thomson.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 71, by J. Nelson, in July, 1893.

EDINBURGH TRAMWAY GOLF CLUB.

The Adam Medal and other prizes are played for throughout the year.

EDINBURGH UNITED INSURANCE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MARCH, 1894.

Annual Subscription, Nominal. *Number of Members*, 144. *President*—J. Turnbull Smith. *Vice-President*—P. R. D. Maclagan. *Captain*—J. McCulloch. *Vice-Captain*—C. M. Henderson. *Hon. Secretary*—J. Moffat, Scottish Metropolitan Assurance Company.

Club Prizes and Winners in 1894.—Edinburgh Insurance Golf Trophy, open to foursomes from all insurance offices in the city, to be competed for annually: North British and Mercantile Team. Captain's Medal (scratch): C. K. Tod. Other Prizes: H. Nicolson, A. Bonthron, G. A. Williamson, C. A. S. Maitland, W. Henderson, J. C. Bayne, J. Sanderson.

EDINBURGH UNIVERSITY GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MARCH 23RD, 1881.

Entrance Fee, Former Students, Ten Shillings; Present, Five Shillings; *Annual Subscription*, Five Shillings. *Captain*—Dr. Haultain. *Vice-Captain*—H. de M. Alexander. *Treasurer*—J. R. Carphin. *Committee*—C. L. Blaikie, Dr. R. H. Blaikie, Dr. Wallace, Dr. W. H. Bryce, G. L. Chiene, L. V. Laurie, J. S. Frazer. *Hon. Secretary*—R. J. Bryce, 31, Charlotte-square, Edinburgh. *Club-room*—2, Links-place, Musselburgh.

Club Prizes.—Challenge Shield and McEwan Medal for present students, at Musselburgh, on March 9th; Challenge Cup and Club Prizes at Musselburgh in December, at Musselburgh on March 9th, at St. Andrews on May 4th, at Gullane on June 1st, at North Berwick on June 22nd; Gold Medal and Captain's Prize (scratch), and Senatus Prize, for first and second year students, at North Berwick on June 22nd; Challenge Cleek (hole competition) commencing in February.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Gold Medal and Captain's Prize: A. J. T. Allan, 80. Senatus Prize: A. J. T. Allan, 80—4 = 76. Silver Cleek: C. L. Blaikie.

ELECTRIC GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED APRIL 3RD, 1883.

Green—Braid Hills.

Membership is confined to employés in the Telegraph Department of the General Post Office.

FETTESIAN-LORETTONIAN GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED OCTOBER, 1881.

Subscription, Life Membership, 2*l.* 10*s.*; *Number of Members*, 690. *President*—C. J. G. Paterson. *Vice-President*—T. S. Esson. *Hon. Treasurer*—H. L. Sanderson, C.A. *Committee*—A. R. Paterson, A. O. M. Mackenzie, D. J. Simson, G. H. Gibson-Carmichael, J. F. Bayley, R. S. McNeill. *Hon. Secretary*—A. R. Don-Wauchope, 12, Ainslie-place, Edinburgh.

Club Prizes.—Spring Gold Medal (scratch), Autumn Gold Medal (scratch), and a Handicap Prize at each meeting.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Spring Gold Medal: F. M. Marshall, 82. Handicap Prize: A. O. M. Mackenzie, 82−3=79. Autumn Gold Medal: J. F. Bayley, 85. Handicap Prize: G. F. Dalziel, 87−9=78.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 76, by J. E. Laidlay, at Musselburgh, in April, 1888.

EDINBURGH AND LEITH GAS EMPLOYÉS' GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED APRIL 4TH, 1894.

Annual Subscription, Two Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, 15. *Captain*—G. E. Brodie. *Vice-Captain*—J. W. Caithness. *Committee*—W. K. Coutts, J. Anderson, C. Mason. *Hon. Secretary*—J. Cochrane, 25, Waterloo-place, Edinburgh.

GENERAL POST OFFICE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED APRIL, 1891.

Annual Subscription—Five Shillings. *Greens*—Braid Hills and Musselburgh.

GEORGE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1880.

Entrance Fee, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Annual Subscription*, Five Shillings. *President*—W. Brook. *Captain*—W. M. Archibald. *Vice-Captain*—R. Robinson. *Committee*—J. Aitchison, F. Taylor, jun., A. G. Sinclair, G. Robb. *Hon. Secretary*—S. F. Notman. *Assistant Secretary*—A. Lawson. *Green*—Musselburgh.

Club Prizes.—Scratch and Handicap Medals every month from March to September inclusive; also prizes at Spring and Autumn Meetings.

Prize Winners in 1894. — Scratch Medal (final): A. Lawson. Handicap Medal (final): H. Macfarlane. Stroke Tournament (final): G. Robb, 82—6=76. Hole Tournament: G. Hawley. Spring Meeting: (1) A. Lawson, 74+4=78. Autumn Meeting: (1) G. Robb, 85—6=79.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 74, by A. Lawson, in April, 1894.

GILLESPIE'S SCHOOL FORMER PUPILS' GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED SEPTEMBER 27TH, 1889.

Annual Subscription, Five Shillings; *Number of Members*, 60. *President*—W. Jenkins. *Vice-President*—W. Crichton. *Captain*—A. P. Struthers. *Vice-Captain*—W. Hastie. *Treasurer*—J. F. Mitchell. *Committee*—J. King, G. Reid, M. McCall, W. Smith, G. Aitken, J. Inglis, W. Scott, J. Ranken, jun., J. Robertson. *Hon. Secretary*—W. Baird, 52, Home-street, Edinburgh. *Green*—Braid Hills.

Prize Winners in 1894. — J. F. Mitchell, A. P. Struthers, J. Ranken, jun., J. Black, J. Reekie, R. Davies, W. Smith, M. McCall, jun., A. V. Drummond, W. Muir, J. Mitchell, J. Rutherford, G. Reid, G. Scott, W. McMurtrie, J. King.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 76, by J. F. Mitchell, on September 1st, 1894.

GRAMPIAN GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED APRIL 15TH, 1886.

Entrance Fee, Five Shillings; *Annual Subscription*, Twelve Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, 40. *Captain*—J. O. Kemp. *Vice-Captain*—C. E. Reid. *Treasurer*—R. S. Morris. *Committee*—W. R. Findlay, G. W. Grant, A. W. Hogg, W. W. Taylor. *Hon. Secretary*—F. J. Crawford, 13, East Preston-street, Edinburgh. *Green*—Musselburgh.

Club Prizes.—Silver Medal, monthly from March to October inclusive, on various greens; Rutherford Medal, on April 15th at Carnoustie, June 19th at Musselburgh, on July 24th at Musselburgh, and on September 16th at Leven; Captain's Prize, at Archerfield on May 23rd; Club Prizes, at Leven on August 5th; Thornton Gold Medal (hole tournament), during season.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Thornton Medal: J. O. Kemp. Monthly Gold Charm: J. Gibsone. Rutherford Gold Charm: S. F. Trotman.

HARRISON GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED AUGUST 21ST, 1889.

Entrance Fee, Two Shillings and Sixpence; *Annual Subscription*, Five Shillings. *Number of Members*, 50. *President* — R. Cox. *Vice-President* — J. Harrison. *Captain* — A. McFarlane. *Vice-Captain* — J. C. Bell. *Committee*—R. Rodger, R. Coutts, W. K. Smith, J. Marshall, J. Paterson. *Hon. Secretary*—O. W. Howie, 39, Hazelbank-terrace, Edinburgh.

Club Prizes.—Cox Gold Medal, over Braid Hills course, six competitions, April to September inclusive, player winning oftenest obtains a gold charm; Harrison Prize, for player having best aggregate of three scratch scores in Cox Medal Competitions; Silver Cup (hole tournament), over Braids, commencing on May 1st, player winning oftenest gets a gold charm; Monthly Medal in Harrison Park, eight competitions, player securing oftenest becomes possessor; and various other competitions, all under handicap.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Cox Medal: J. Paterson, 89−9=86. President's Prize: A tie between W. M. Smith and W. Paterson, 81·1. Monthly Medal: A. McFarlane.

Record for Harrison Park, 40, by L. G. Ross, in 1890; by R. J. B. Tait, in 1892; and by S. Mackenzie, in 1894.

Harrison Park, the club green, is situated at North Merchiston, adjoining the Merchiston Station on the Caledonian main line, and the North Merchiston and Colinton Road tramway lines. There are five holes (averaging 150 yards apart), two rounds being played in competitions. Looking to the fact that the park is a public one, the greens are tolerable. There are no hazards, in the strict sense of the term; but skirting the park are the canal, a road embankment studded with trees and shrubs, and a railway-sleeper fence. The competitions in the park usually commence at 6 a.m.

HERIOT GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1891.

Annual Subscription, Five Shillings; *Number of Members*, 45. *Hon. President*—Lord Provost McDonald. *Hon. Vice-Presidents*—D. F. Lowe, M.A., F.R.S.E., J. Linton, M.P., F.R.C.P.E. *Captain* — J. B. Clark. *Treasurer*—W. F. Forrester. *Committee*—S. P. Latimer, J. Boyd, J. W. Butters, G. W. Thom, D. Hogg. *Hon. Secretary*—D. Sime, Public Library. *Green*—Braid Hills.

Club Prizes.—Tawse Gold Medal (scratch); Captain's Prize; Monthly Charm; Club Silver Medal and Club Prizes; Lowe Aggregate Prize (handicap).

The membership is confined to former pupils and masters of George Heriot's Hospital School.

INSURANCE AND BANKING GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JANUARY, 1895.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 5*s.*; *Number of Members*, 500 (the limit). *Captain*—J. Turnbull Smith. *Vice-Captain*—D. McNeill. *Treasurer*—W. Alves, Royal Bank, Hope-street. *Hon. Secretary*—J. Sanderson, 82, Princes-street, Edinburgh. *Committee*—P. R. D. Maclagan, A. Tait, J. K. Macdonald, J. Small, J. G. C. Cheyne, C. M. Henderson, J. McCulloch, W. W. McCrie, A. K. Wright, J. Sutherland, J. F. Hall, J. Crease. *Greenkeeper*—C. Davidson (of Montrose).

The club have leased part of the Duddingston policies from the Duke of Abercorn. The ground extends to about 132 acres. A burn forms at several points an excellent hazard, and, in addition, there are other hazards in the shape of ditches, fences, &c. The ground is within a few yards of Duddingston Station (Suburban Railway). The course is one of eighteen holes, varying in length from 463 to 173 yards, the circuit being over three miles. The turf is of good quality, and when the course has been played over for some time the par of the round should be 73.

LICENSED VICTUALLERS' GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED FEBRUARY 18TH, 1890.

Entrance Fee, Ten Shillings; *Annual Subscription*, Ten Shillings; *Number of Members*, 115. *President*—W. R. McNiven. *Captain*—R. Veitch. *Vice-Captain*—J. Hannan. *Treasurer*—G. J. Morrison. *Committee*—A. Morgan, A. Wilson, W. S. Montgomery, J. Caskey. *Hon. Secretary*—J. C. Campbell, 19, Gilmore-road, Edinburgh.

Club Prizes.—Hannan Medal (handicap), in March; Fisher Cup (handicap), in May; Omand Trophy (handicap), in June; Gold Medal (scratch), in October, and other prizes.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Hannan Medal: G. B. Paterson, 88 (net). Fisher Cup: D. Fraser, 86 (net). Omand Trophy: A. Cruickshank, 88 (net). Gold Medal: A. Wilson, 81 (at Leven).

LIFE ASSOCIATION OF SCOTLAND GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MARCH 18TH, 1892.

Annual Subscription, Two Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, 36. *President*—J. Turnbull Smith. *Vice-President*—J. Sharp. *Captain*—G. Douglas. *Com-*

mittee—J. J. Robertson, J. Sanderson, W. M. Carment. *Hon. Secretary*—J. Norrie, 82, Princes-street, Edinburgh. *Green*—Musselburgh.

Prize Winners in 1894.—President's Prize (handicap, average): W. J. Munro, 95. Hole Competition: (1) Vice-President's Prize, A. Balfour; (2) Captain's Prize, J. Sanderson.

LOTHIAN GOLF CLUB.

No details.

LOTHIANBURN GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1893.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 160. *Captain*—J. T. Cunningham. *Committee*—J. A. Forrest, Rev. J. Campbell, A. Riddell, R. Mark, G. Jack, O. Thomson, J. Reid, D. Young, W. Gavine, K. Watson. *Hon. Secretary*—J. Wylie, Royal Bank of Scotland, Leven-street, Edinburgh.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 84, by Oliver Thomson, on October 3rd, 1894, and by G. A. Ross, on March 30th, 1895. *Record for Green*, 37, by J. King, in June, 1894.

The course is situated at Lothianburn, about two miles from Morningside Station, from whence a conveyance runs. With play it will make an excellent inland green. It consists of nine holes.

YE MONKS OF YE BRAIDS, INSTITUTED JULY 14TH, 1891.

Entrance Fee, Five Shillings; *Annual Subscription*, Ten Shillings; *Number of Members*, limited to 30. *Abbot*—J. Livingston, jun. *Committee*—J. Rose, A. C. Drummond, F. P. Nicol. *Scribe*—W. King, Bruntsfield House. *Green*—Braid Hills.

MORTONHALL GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 29TH APRIL, 1892.

Entrance Fee, 10*l.* 10*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 11*s.* 6*d.*; *Number of Members*, 400 (the limit). *Captain*—Lord Stormonth Darling. *Treasurer*—A. Ker, Commercial Bank, Morningside. *Committee*—J. Ainslie, W. A. Carter, Dr. Clouston, C. J. Munro, J. Ayton, J. M. Brown, T. B. Clark, Dr. Haultain, J. Taylor, J. Turner. *Hon. Secretary*—D. W. Walker, S.S.C., 36, George-street. *Clubmaster*—J. Sales. *Greenkeeper*—J. Durie.

Club Prizes.—Trotter Cup (scratch) and Club Cup (handicap) at Spring Meeting; Club Gold Medal (scratch) at Autumn Meeting; Gordon-Gilmore Cup (handicap) at Winter Meeting; Club and other prizes (handicap) at Spring, Summer, Autumn, and Winter Meetings; Hole Tournament (handicap).

Prize Winners in 1894.—Trotter Cup: D. MacLaren. Club Gold Medal: G. Macgregor, 76, after a tie with J. M. Brown. Gordon-Gilmore Cup: J. S. Smith, 85−11=74. Club Cup: C. Moxon, 99−10=89. Moxon Prize: D. MacLaren, 82 (scratch). Turner Aggregate Prize: W. B. Taylor, 151+2=153. Sinclair Prize: J. M. Brown, 76−6=70. Hole Tournament: A. Ker.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition.—(1) Original nine hole course (two rounds), 82, by D. MacLaren, at Autumn Meeting in 1893, and again at Spring Meeting in 1894. (2) Extended course of eighteen holes, 75, by W. B. Taylor at Summer Meeting, 1894, made up thus:—

Out—4 4 5 4 3 4 4 4 8=40 }
In —3 4 4 4 4 5 4 3 4=35 } 75

Mortonhall green is a private one, situated immediately outside the southern boundary of the City of Edinburgh on that part of the Braid Hills belonging to the estate of Mortonhall. It is within fifteen minutes' walk of Morningside-road Station on the Suburban Railway, where conveyances can be had. There is a handsome and commodious clubhouse, which has cost nearly 3000*l.*, including the expense of a recent addition and the furnishing. Members have the privilege of introducing strangers to play twice a week, and guests twelve times a year.

NATIONAL BANK OF SCOTLAND GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MARCH 11TH, 1880.

No particulars forthcoming.

NEWINGTON GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1887.

Entrance Fee, Five Shillings; *Annual Subscription*, Five Shillings; *Number of Members*, 26. *Captain*—T. L. Walker. *Vice-Captain*—A. Hay. *Treasurer*—A. Dewar. *Hon. Secretary*—D. Crawford, 75, South Clerk-street, Edinburgh.

Club Prizes.—Monthly Medal; Webster Cup, in March and September; Club Prizes at St. Andrews on April 4th, at Luffness on June 6th, and at Leven on September 26th.

NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JUNE, 1889.

Annual Subscription, Nominal; *Number of Members*, 35. *President*—P. R. D. Maclagan. *Vice-Presidents*—

H. J. Stevenson, T. Wallace. *Captain*—C. M. Henderson. *Hon. Secretary*—J. W. Hodge, 64, Princes-street, Edinburgh. *Treasurer*—R. Y. Martin. *Committee*—W. J. Moffat, C. F. Whigham, C. K. Tod, J. F. Brown.

Club Prizes.—Maclagan Cup (half yearly): Manager's Prize (hole tournament); and Monthly Medal.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Maclagan Cup: May (at Luffness), P. J. Urquhart, 83 (net); August (at Leven), H. Nicolson, 86 (net). Gold Monthly Medal: A. Latta (three wins). Hole Tournament: R. Y. Martin.

NORTHERN MERCHANTS' GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JANUARY 24TH, 1893.

Entrance Fee, Two Shillings and Sixpence; *Annual Subscription*, Ten Shillings; *Number of Members*, 40 (the limit). *Hon. President* — Lord Wolmer, M.P. *Captain*—D. W. Matthew. *Vice-Captain*—J. Jackson. *Treasurer*—A. Gibson. *Committee*—J. A. Smith, R. C. Bain, A. McOwan. *Hon. Secretary*—A. Breck, 4, Baker's-place, Edinburgh.

Club Prizes.—Smith Medal and Gold Charm (scratch), half-yearly; Monthly Medal (handicap), with charm to member with lowest aggregate of six scores.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Smith Medal, A. B. Doughty; Monthly Charm, R. Fraser.

PARKSIDE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JUNE 22ND, 1891.

Entrance Fee, One Shilling; *Annual Subscription*, Four Shillings; *Number of Members*, 25. *Hon. President*—J. T. Gray. *Hon. Vice-Presidents*—G. Johnstone, J. T. Sharp. *Captain*—G. T. Orr. *Vice-Captain*—A. Pryce. *Treasurer*—W. Black. *Committee*—A. Davidson, W. Crozier, W. B. McPherson. *Hon. Secretary*—D. Murdoch, 27, East Preston-street, Edinburgh. *Green*—Braid Hills.

Club Prizes.—Monthly Medal on first Saturday of each month; Quarterly Trophy; Summer and Autumn Prize Competitions; Aggregate Prizes.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Quarterly Trophy: W. J. Thomas, D. Murdoch, G. Smith, D. Murdoch; Monthly Medal, D. Murdoch and A. Pryce, each two wins.

PHILOSOPHICAL INSTITUTION GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MAY 31ST, 1892.

Entrance Fee, Two Shillings and Sixpence; *Annual Subscription*, Five Shillings.

Club Prizes.—President's Trophy (handicap) in October, and other prizes at April, June, and October competitions.

REGISTER HOUSE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1878.

Captain — W. Menzies. *Vice-Captain* — P. Grant. *Treasurer*—T. B. Robertson. *Committee*—J. M. Marr, A. Cromb, A. M. Runciman, W. H. McAsh. *Hon. Secretary*—W. Thom, Register House, Edinburgh. *Green*—Braid Hills.

ROYAL BANK GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1879.

Number of Members, 33. *Captain*—J. Hardie. *Committee* — R. Ewing, W. Davidson, A. Hume. *Hon. Treasurer*—C. H. Mackenzie. *Hon. Secretary*—R. Don.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Gold Medal (scratch), G. S. Turnbull; Gold Medal (handicap), J. McGeoch.

ROYAL COLLEGES OF PHYSICIANS AND SURGEONS' GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MARCH, 1890.

Club Prizes. — Inter-College Trophy (a loving cup, played for between teams chosen from the Colleges of Surgeons and Physicians, Edinburgh), in March; Argyll-Robertson Medal (scratch), in October.

ROYAL HIGH SCHOOL GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1884.

Annual Subscription, Five Shillings; *Number of Members*, 130. *President*—Lord President Robertson. *Captain* — E. Millidge. *Committee* — G. Lawson, M. Sanderson, W. Russell, J. Smith, R. G. Wilson. *Hon. Secretary*—C. H. Turnbull, 63, Hanover-street, Edinburgh. *Green*—North Berwick.

Club Prizes. — Lord President's Cup and Gold Medal and Stevenson Medal (scratch); Millidge, Inches, and Sanderson Medals (handicap); besides Club Prizes.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Lord President's Cup and Medal: J. Livingston, jun., 84. Millidge Medal: G. Lawson, 88 + 1 = 89.

Inches Medal: A. Muirhead, jun., 102—10=92. Stevenson Medal: J. Livingston, jun., 82. Sanderson Medal: S. D. Macmillan, 87—8=79.

SCOTSMAN GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MARCH, 1882.

Annual Subscription, Six Shillings; *Number of Members*, 56. *Hon. Presidents*—J. R. Findlay, J. Law. *Hon. Vice-President*—C. A. Cooper. *Captain*—J. Geoghegan. *Hon. Secretary*—J. Murdoch, *Scotsman* Office, Edinburgh. *Green*—Braid Hills.

Club Prizes.—Aggregate Trophy and Caxton Medal; Monthly Medal; a Yearly Gold Charm; and other prizes.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 77, by R. Melrose, on August 2nd, 1890.

SCOTTISH ACCIDENT GOLF CLUB.

The membership is confined to the staff of the Scottish Accident Insurance Company.

SCOTTISH EQUITABLE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED SEPTEMBER 10TH, 1890.

Club Prizes.—Club Medal (scratch), quarterly; Club Medal (handicap), monthly; Challenge Cup (handicap), annually.

SCOTTISH METROPOLITAN ASSURANCE COMPANY GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JUNE, 1893.

Annual Subscription, Two Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, 29. *President*—W. G. Bloxsom. *Vice-Presidents*—H. E. Marriott, W. A. Holme, A. Cunningham. *Captain*—J. D. Moffat. *Committee*—A. Dow, J. S. McLellan, R. Ogilvie. *Hon. Secretary*—A. J. Sidey, 25, St. Andrew-square, Edinburgh.

Club Prizes.—President's Medal (handicap), monthly, over various greens; Aggregate Charms (scratch and handicap), best aggregate of three scores; and other prizes.

Prize Winners in 1894.—President's Medal and Aggregate Charm (handicap): J. A. Gough. Aggregate Charm (scratch): J. S. McLellan.

SCOTTISH PROVIDENT GOLF CLUB.

The membership is confined to the staff of the Scottish Provident Institution.

SCOTTISH UNION AND NATIONAL INSURANCE OFFICE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MARCH, 1880.

Annual Subscription, Two Shillings and Sixpence: *Number of Members*, 28. *Hon. President*—A. Duncan *Hon. Vice-President*—J. K. Macdonald. *Hon. Captain*—C. McCuaig. *Captain*—W. Anderson. *Committee*—T. R. Gibson, E. J. McDonald, C. S. Beattie. *Hon. Secretary*—W. E. Watson, 35, St. Andrew-square, Edinburgh.

Club Prizes.—Scratch Medal, twice annually, aggregate of two lowest scores; McCandlish Trophy (handicap), at Montrose, on Queen's Birthday.

SCOTTISH WIDOWS' FUND GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 13TH MAY, 1892.

Annual Subscription, Two Shillings and Sixpence.

Club Prizes.—Handicap Prizes are played for in April, May, July, and September.

STANDARD GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JUNE, 1889.

President—S. C. Thomson. *Vice-President*—G. Oliver. *Captain*—J. H. B. Black. *Committee*—J. McCulloch, C. W. G. Browning, R. Gibson, C. A. S. Maitland. *Hon. Secretary*—J. Buddie.

STEWART'S COLLEGE FORMER PUPILS' GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1891.

Annual Subscription, Five Shillings; *Number of Members*, 25. *President*—J. Buchanan. *Captain*—J. T. Maxwell. *Hon. Treasurer*—W. J. Munro. *Committee*—J. Rose, T. Craig, C. Mackenzie. *Hon. Secretary*—J. Norrie, 82, Princes-street, Edinburgh. *Green*—Braid Hills.

STOCKBRIDGE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JANUARY, 1885.

Annual Subscription, Five Shillings. *Hon. President*—Councillor Lang-Todd. *Hon. Vice-President*—P. Anderson. *Captain*—J. C. Johnston. *Hon. Secretary*—W. Henderson. *Green*—Inverleith Park (play only allowed from 6 to 9 a.m.)

Club Prizes.—Anderson Medal (scratch); Wallace Medal (handicap); and Wallace Cleek (handicap, holes).

TEACHERS GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1884.

Annual Subscription, Ten Shillings; *Number of Members*, 96. *Captain*—J. Brown. *Treasurer*—R. Hastings. *Committee*—J. B. Clark, W. H. Farquharson, W. Maclean, C. Symington, D. Urquhart, K. Whitton. *Hon. Secretary*—W. R. Hay, James Gillespie's Schools. *Green*—Musselburgh.

Club Prizes and Winners in 1894.—Gold Medal (scratch): T. Carmichael. Charms: J. Halley and W. Young. Captain's Prize: D. Urquhart. Aggregate Prizes: W. Calder and J. Robb.

"TWENTY-FOUR" GOLF CLUB.

The membership is strictly confined to the staff of Messrs. Lindsay, Jamieson, and Haldane, C.A., 24, St. Andrew-square, Edinburgh, who play on a spur of the Pentland Hills, near Bonally.

UNION BANK GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MAY, 1890.

Hon. President—J. Morton. *Captain*—C. Keene. *Committee*—R. Thorburn, W. W. Henderson, R. M. Dunlop, W. Mitchell, D. S. Thyne. *Hon. Secretary*—H. S. Ingram, Union Bank of Scotland, Edinburgh.

VIEWFORTH GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1872.

No particulars forthcoming.

WARBLERS GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JUNE, 1892.

Two Gold Medals (scratch and handicap) are played for yearly.

WARRENDER GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1858.

Entrance Fee, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Annual Subscription*, Twelve Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, 50. *Captain*—G. Campbell. *Treasurer*—D. Stocks. *Committee*—M. M'Call, J. K. Andrews, W. H. Menzies, J. A. Munro, J. Grahamslaw, J. S. Shaw. *Hon. Secretary* — A. Sinclair, 30, Forbes-road, Edinburgh. *Clubhouse*—Braid Hills.

Club Prizes—Inglis Gold Cross (scratch), Smart Medal, Cannon Medal, Claret Jug, Gilfillan Belt, Club Gold Medal and Monthly Medal (handicap).

WATSONIAN GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED NOVEMBER 18TH, 1887.

Annual Subscription, Five Shillings. *President*—J. Herdman. *Vice-President*—W. W. Robertson. *Captain*—H. M. Knight. *Vice-Captain*—A. H. Glegg. *Committee*—A. H. Robertson, J. Henderson, J. Davidson, W. Buist, F. H. Lightbody, C. A. Macpherson. *Hon. Secretary and Treasurer*—T. J. Elgin, 93, Warrender Park-road, Edinburgh.

Club Prizes.—Gold Medal (scratch), President's, Captain's, and other prizes (handicap).

WATSON'S COLLEGE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MARCH, 1885.

Annual Subscription, Two Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, 25. *President*—D. Tweedie. *Captain*—J. H. Macdonald. *Committee*—J. L. Oliver, J. Watt, W. Oliver. *Hon. Secretary*—J. Maclagan, 4, Braidburn-crescent, Edinburgh. *Green*—Braid Hills.

WEST END GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 19TH SEPT., 1893.

Annual Subscription, Five Shillings; *Number of Members*, 33. *Captain*—J. Miller. *Committee*—R. Stalker, R. Baillie, A. Hemming, R. Marshall, W. B. Wise. *Hon. Secretary*—A. Hamilton, 109, Warrender Park-road, Edinburgh.

Club Prizes.—Club Medal (handicap), half-yearly; Miller Medal (handicap), quarterly.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Club Medal: April (Gullane), D. Stalker; October (Kinghorn), A. Stevenson. Miller Medal: April (Gullane), D. Stalker; July (Leven), R. Stalker; October (Kinghorn), A. Stevenson.

WESTERLEA GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1891.

Hon. President—J. J. Cowan. *Captain*—A. Young. *Treasurer*—A. Cowan. *Hon. Secretary*—W. B. Miller.

This is a private club, confined to employés of Messrs. Alex. Cowan and Sons, Limited, Edinburgh.

WEST MAYFIELD GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1893.

No particulars obtainable.

WHARFDALE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MARCH 24TH, 1892.

Entrance Fee, One Shilling; *Annual Subscription*, Six Shillings; *Number of Members*, 25. *Captain*—J. D. Gibb. *Vice-Captain*—Wm. Bell. *Treasurer*—D. McIntyre. *Hon. Secretary*—J. H. Tully, 9A, Roxburgh-street, Edinburgh.

Club Prizes.—McEwan Cup in April, May, and June; Monthly Medal; Fullerton Medal; and other prizes in March and September. Membership is confined to employés of Messrs. Miller and Richard, Typefounders, Canongate.

WHITEHOUSE GOLF CLUB.

President—A. Campbell, S.S.C. *Captain*—H. A. Campbell. *Hon. Secretary*—D. Renton, 1, Westhall-gardens.

EDZELL.

EDZELL GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1887.

The course is situated close to Edzell, which is distant about six miles from Brechin.

ELIE.

ELIE GOLF HOUSE CLUB, INSTITUTED 1875.

Entrance Fee, Shareholders, 5*l.*; Non-Shareholders, 1*l.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* *Captain*—General Morgan. *Hon. Secretaries*—W. R. and H. M. Ketchen, Elie, Fife. *Green*—Earlsferry Links and Melon Park.

Club Prizes.—Baird (Gold) and Babington (Silver) Medals (scratch), and Cairnie Cup (handicap), at Summer Meeting in August; Thomson Silver Cup (scratch) and Henry Gold Medal (handicap), at Spring Meeting in April.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Thomson Cup: J. H. Outhwaite, 61. Henry Medal: J. H. Outhwaite, 66 + 2 = 68. Baird Medal: J. Foggo, 62. Babington Medal: T. P. Outhwaite, 62. Cairnie Cup: J. S. Davidson, 73 − 10 = 63. Shepherd Aggregate Prize: J. Foggo, 62 + 62 = 124 + 6 = 130.

The club has a clubhouse, to which visitors are, in terms of the

rules, admitted on payment of subscriptions. There is a capital hotel in the town of Elie, about five minutes' walk from the course. Steamers run daily during the summer months between Elie and Leith. The course will be found described under Earlsferry.

ELIE AND EARLSFERRY LADIES' GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED OCTOBER, 1889.

Entrance Fee, Two Shillings and Sixpence; *Annual Subscription*, Two Shillings and Sixpence. *Patroness*—Lady Anstruther, of Balcaskie. *Hon. Secretary* — D. W. Marwick, W.S., 14, Hill-street, Edinburgh.

Club Prizes—Challenge Medal (scratch), in August; Cairnie Challenge Cup (handicap), in September; Lady Anstruther's Prize (handicap); Cook Prize; and other special prizes at monthly competitions in May, June, July, August, and September.

The course is a nine hole one, laid out in a portion of the Recreation Park, Elie, and is about half a mile from the Elie Station, on the North British Railway, and about ten minutes' walk from the pier. The course is immediately behind the Marine Hotel, whose omnibus meets all the principal trains and steamers.

ENFIELD.

ENFIELD GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED FEBRUARY, 1894.

Entrance Fee, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 4*l.* 4*s.*. *Number of Members*, 60. *Captain*—F. Pyman. *Committee*—J. A. Allen, A. Bass, H. Bourne, R. G. Cather, F Porter, A. R. Smee. *Hon. Secretary*—A. W. Hutt, Hill Side House, Enfield. *Greenkeeper*—E. Hooker.

A Monthly Handicap is held on the second Saturday in each month.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 89, by F. Pyman, on October 13th, 1894.

Record for Green, 44, by F. Pyman, on October 13th, 1894.

The Great Northern Railway Station is about five minutes from the course, which consists of nine holes, and is laid out in the Old Park. Visitors must be introduced by a member. A clubhouse has just been opened. Each member has the right to nominate a lady member of his family to the privilege of play.

ENGADINE.

ENGADINE GOLF CLUB.

There are three courses of eighteen, twelve, and nine holes respectively, and the grass being short and crisp, they are in good

playing order from the beginning of April until the end of August. The courses are reached in five minutes from Samaden, and in fifteen from Pontresina. At the Samaden end of the green there is a convenient pavilion, and a small hut has been erected at the Pontresina end.

MAJOLA GOLF CLUB.

No particulars forthcoming.

EPPING.

EPPING GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED OCTOBER, 1890.

Annual Subscription, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, over 50. *President*—Major J. C. Tait. *Committee*—T. Pearson, G. Sewell, S. C. Marsh, R. C. Lyall. *Hon. Secretary*—H. B. Yerburgh, Frampton, Epping. *Greenkeeper*—J. Cordell.

Handicaps are held monthly. The winners last year were G. Sewell, A. Kemp, T. Pearson, A. C. Oldham, T. D. C. Allen.

Green Record, 46, by H. B. Yerburgh, on September 20th, 1894.

The course, of nine holes, is laid out on a common known as Epping Plain, forming part of Epping Forest. The hazards are whins, bushes, and ponds. The course is situated about a mile from Epping Station (G.E.R.), and there is a clubroom in the Royal Oak, Epping Plain.

EPSOM.

EPSOM GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JANUARY 25TH, 1889.

Entrance Fee, 5*l.* 5*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 11*s.* 6*d.*; *Number of Members*, 250. *President*—T. T. Bucknill, Q.C., M.P. *Captain*—R. Lawson. *Committee*—G. Cosens, F. Barry, F. H. A. Booth, W. Tatham-Hughes, C. Hart, G. Ruck, G. G. Thoms, A. E. Harter, G. F. Burgess. *Hon. Secretary*—E. R. H. Barlton, Mount Hill, Epsom. *Hon. Treasurer*—C. P. C. Jones, Fieldside, Epsom.

Club Prizes.—Brooks Challenge Cup (scratch), and Rosebery Medal (handicap), on first Saturday in May and last Saturday in October; *Prize Winners in* 1894.—Brooks Cup: May, F. H. A. Booth, 91; October, W. D. Bovill, 94. Rosebery Medal: May, E. N. Gardiner, 96 – 14 = 82; October, D. L. Holms, 99 – 14 = 85.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 85, by F. Barry and R. Lawson, in 1894.

Record for Green, 81, by F. Barry.

The course is an eighteen hole one, about three and a half miles round, on Epsom Downs, and the hazards are composed principally of roads and whins. There is a good clubhouse with bedrooms. The nearest Railway Station is Epsom Downs (L. B. & S. C. Ry.).

ERIBOLL.

ERIBOLL GOLF CLUB. INSTITUTED 1893.

The course is a very fair one of nine holes.

EXMOUTH.

EXMOUTH GOLF CLUB. INSTITUTED NOVEMBER 4TH, 1885.

The course is situated close to the town, and, being protected by high ground on the north, east, and west, and having, moreover, a southern exposure, is particularly adapted for winter play. Consisting originally of nine holes, it was altered to six, thereby giving greater length between the holes, and the entire round is a little over a mile in length. The green is by no means an easy one, owing partly to sand, with little or no admixture of soil, immediately underlying the turf, and partly to the variety of hazards. The consequent lightness of the turf ensures perfect drainage, and admits of the game being played with comfort in the wettest weather. Exmouth Railway Station (L. & S.W.R.) is about three-quarters of a mile from the course; and the Imperial and the Beacon Hotels are about mid-way between it and the station. A pavilion is situated within a few yards of the first teeing ground.

EXMOUTH LADIES' GOLF CLUB.

The Ladies' Club have no separate officials or finances, but a wing for their accommodation has been added to the pavilion.

The ladies' course consists of a six-hole course which intersects a part of the men's round, and fully shares the hazards to be found on the course as a whole, viz., stone walls, long grass, and sand bunkers.

EYEMOUTH.

EYEMOUTH GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1894.

Hon. President—Sir W. G. Simpson, Bart. *President*—Bailie Robertson. *Captain*—G. Purves.

The course is a very sporting one of nine holes, laid out on the cliffs near the battery. It will be considerably extended this season

FAKENHAM.

FAKENHAM GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED FEBRUARY, 1889.

Annual Subscription, Gentlemen, 1*l.*; Ladies, Five Shillings; *Number of Members*, 38. *President*—Lord

Hastings. *Captain*—Commander H. A. Digby, R.N. *Committee*—Dr. Belding, O. S. Curtis, Sir L. J. Jones, Bart., Rev. H. C. Rogers, G. A. Watson, H. C. Wilson. *Joint Hon. Secretaries*—H. Newson, The Square, and Rev. J. R. B. Owen, Toftrees Vicarage, Fakenham. *Green*—Hempton. *Greenkeeper*—J. Dennis.

Club Prizes.—Monthly Medal (handicap), Hastings Cup (handicap), Hamond Cup (handicap), and Belding Cup (aggregate scratch), at Spring and Autumn meetings.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Belding Cup: O. S. Curtis, 187; C. Scott-Chad, 188. Hamond Cup: Rev. A. H. Upcher, 84; H. C. Wilson, 83. Hastings Cup: Rev. H. C. Rogers, 86; J. W. Scott, 82. Ladies' Medal: Miss Campbell, 74; Miss M. Hoare, 70.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 89, by Rev. H. C. Rogers, on October 18th, 1892, and by H. C. Wilson, on October 8th, 1894.

Green Record, 43, by Dr. Belding and C. Scott-Chad, on October 9th, 1894.

The course, of nine holes, is dry and sandy, and a fine sporting one. Fakenham is within an hour by rail from Cromer and Sheringham. Fakenham Town Station (G.N.R. and M.R.) is five minutes' walk, and Fakenham (G.E.R.) about a mile and a quarter from the green. 'Buses run from both stations. There are good hotels in Fakenham.

FALKIRK.

FALKIRK TRYST GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JUNE, 1885.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.*; Ladies, Five Shillings; *Annual Subscription*, Fifteen Shillings; Ladies, Ten Shillings; Juniors, Five Shillings; *Number of Members*, 170, Ladies 32. *Captain*—R. Whyte. *Vice-Captain*—T. W. Blakey. *Treasurer*—J. Darge. *Committee*—A. Nimmo, jun., D. M. Wilson, A. M. Darling, F. L. Overend, W. R. Bow, Rev. C. McGlashan, J. Gardner, A. Macgregor. *Hon. Secretary*—W. M. Scott, Camelon Manse, Falkirk. *Greenkeeper*—W. Whittet.

Club Prizes.—Nimmo Championship Medal (scratch); Handicap Prizes at Spring and Autumn Tournaments; Foursomes Tournament (handicap); Saturday and Wednesday Monthly Prizes (handicap).

Prize Winners in 1894.—Saturday Monthly: Rev. C. McGlashan. Wednesday Monthly: J. Gardner. Spring Tournament: W. M. Scott. Autumn Tournament: W. Cormack. Foursome Tournament: Darling and Clarke. Championship: J. H. Aitken, 84.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 79, by J. H. Aitken, on April 8th, 1893.

Record for Green, 35, by J. H. Aitken.

The course, of nine holes, which is laid out on the ground on which the large stock sales known as the Falkirk Tryste are held, is within five minutes' walk of Larbert Station. It is much more difficult than it looks, and is improving every year. Charges for strangers, 1*s.* per day, 2*s.* 6*d.* per week, and 5*s.* per month. Capital accommodation for visitors can be had at the Railway Hotel at Larbert Station.

FALMOUTH.

FALMOUTH GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JULY, 1894.

Annual Subscription, 1*l.* 1*s.*; Ladies, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, 60. *Captain*—H. Mansel. *Hon. Treasurer*—T. R. Grylls. *Hon. Secretary*—W. L. Fox, Carmino, Falmouth. *Committee*—A. F. Bealey, H. Fox, R. Fox, W. A. Ingram, Capt. Mills, R.A., J. H. Owen. *Greenkeeper*—H. Johns.

The Captain's Medal (handicap) is played for in April, and Handicap Competitions are held on the second Friday and Bogey Matches on the third Friday of every month.

The course of nine holes is situated at Higher Argal, about two and a half miles from Falmouth. The hazards are hedges, a quarry, gorse, the end of a brickfield, a small stream, rough ground, and rushes. The farmhouse occupied by Mr. Richard Dale is used as a clubhouse. On Wednesdays and Fridays brakes go to the course—charge, sixpence each way. On other days conveyances can be obtained at a moderate fixed tariff. Falmouth and Penryn Railway Stations are about two and a half miles distant.

FAULDHOUSE.

FAULDHOUSE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED SEPTEMBER 14TH, 1894.

Entrance Fee, Two Shillings and Sixpence; *Annual Subscription*, Five Shillings; *Number of Members*, 44. *President*—P. Thornton. *Vice-President*—H. Forsyth. *Treasurer*—A. Chalmers. *Committee*—W. Thomson, R. Johnstone, D. Maxwell, R. Grant, J. Muir. *Hon. Secretary*—R. Giffen, Bank, Fauldhouse.

Prize Winners in 1894.—A. Chalmers, 32; R. Grant, 34; H. Forsyth, 37.

Record for Green, 28, by W. Macnab.

The course of six holes, extending to about a mile, is close to Fauldhouse Station, on the Caledonian Railway, and to Crofthead Station, on the North British Railway. Visitors are charged sixpence a day. There is a hotel one mile from the course.

FELIXSTOWE.

FELIXSTOWE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED OCTOBER, 1880.

Entrance Fee, 10*l.* 10*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 450. *Captain*, *Hon. Secretary and Treasurer*—J. Driver, 182, Cromwell-road, London. *Committee*—S. Mure Fergusson, J. R. Jefferies, W. H. Franks, W. K. Graham, Captain W. St. G. Ord, Hon. H. S. Finch Hatton, E. Flint, J. Kerr, C. G. Havell, F. E. Faithfull. *Greenkeeper*—J. Thomson.

Club Prizes. Felixstowe Gold Medal (handicap); Syndicate Monthly Challenge Cup (handicap), Bogey Competition, Edinburgh Gold Medal (scratch), Patron's Challenge Cup (handicap), Aggregate Prize (handicap), Aggregate Prize (scratch), all at Easter Meeting; Club Prize, London Gold Medal, and Aggregate Prize (handicap), at Whitsuntide Meeting; Throgmorton Vase and Consolation Prize, at first Summer Meeting; President's Challenge Cup; Wimbledon Gold Medal and Aggregate Prize (handicap), at second Summer Meeting; Captain's Prize and Club Prize (handicap) at Autumn Meeting; Club Prize (handicap) at Christmas Meeting.

Green Record (two rounds), 74, by S. Mure Fergusson, on July 21st, 1889.

Felixstowe Golf Links consist of nine holes, and are situated at East-end, Felixstowe, close by the sea and the mouth of the Deben. There is a large and convenient clubhouse facing the sea and close to the links, to which a billiard-room has recently been added. There is good bedroom accommodation for members.

FELIXSTOWE LADIES' GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MARCH, 1894.

Annual Subscription, Ten Shillings and Sixpence. *Captain*—Mrs. J. M. Henderson. *Hon. Secretary*—Mrs. C. G. Havell.

The ladies have a course and clubroom of their own.

FETTERCAIRN.

FETTERCAIRN GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED FEBRUARY 17TH, 1891.

Entrance Fee, Five Shillings; *Annual Subscription*, Five Shillings; *Number of Members*, 30. *Captain*—Rev. A.

Belcher. *Committee*—D. A. Duncan, J. Hughes, A. C. Lorimer. *Hon. Secretary*—R. Murray, Bank, Fettercairn.

Club Prizes.—Championship Medal (holes); Balfour Medal (handicap), on first Wednesday of each month.

The course of nine holes is situated at Balnakettle, about two miles from the village of Fettercairn. Laurencekirk Station (Cal. Ry.) is six miles from the course. There is a respectable hotel in Fettercairn.

FLEETWOOD.

FLEETWOOD GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED NOVEMBER, 1893.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 110. *President*—Capt. J. Robertson. *Captain*—Dr. Penman. *Treasurer*—J. Brown. *Committee*—R. F. Addie, J. C. Thompson, Dr. Robinson, W. C. Ingham, J. P. Wilson, Dr. Grimshaw. *Hon. Secretary*—S. Scott, St. Peter's-place, Fleetwood. *Greenkeeper*—S. Jones.

Prize Winners in 1894.—President's Cup: F. J. Thompson. Monthly Medal: M. Barlow.

The course is a nine hole one, conveniently situated within ten minutes' walk of the railway station, and within an iron shot of the sea. The turf, covering as it does a series of sand dunes, is good, and the round a sporting one. A splendid view is obtained over Morecambe Bay, the Cumberland hills forming a charming background. There is a clubhouse on the green.

FOCHABERS.

FOCHABERS GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED DECEMBER 22ND, 1892.

Entrance Fee, Two Shillings and Sixpence; *Annual Subscription*, Two Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, 35. *President*—J. Wedderspoon. *Captain*—W. Smith. *Vice-Captain*—W. Cuthbert. *Treasurer*—C Gray. *Committee*—C. R. Webster, Dr. Ironside, H. R. Levay, R. Innes, Rev. J. P. Watt. *Hon. Secretary*—A. Guild, Union Bank, Fochabers.

Club Prizes.—Club Medal (handicap), on first Saturday of each month; President's Cup (handicap), in April and September.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Monthly Medal: C. Webster, 88; A.

Guild, 85: W. Traill, 87: H. R. Levay, jun., 85: A. Mitchell, 100—12=88: A. Guild, 85: P. Nicol, 89: W. Traill, 81: A. Guild, 86. President's Cup: April, A. Guild, 81: September, A. Guild, 79.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 79, by A. Guild, as above.

Record for Green, 31, by J. Osborne, September, 1894.

The course of nine holes is within the grounds of Gordon Castle, the seat of the Duke of Richmond. The green is about a mile from the station, where conveyances meet nearly all trains. There are two hotels in Fochabers.

FOLKESTONE.

FOLKESTONE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1888.

Entrance Fee, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Number of Members*, 91. *Patron*—Earl of Radnor. *President*—Viscount Folkestone. *Vice-Presidents*—Sir E. Watkin, Bart., M.P., R. Leigh. *Captain*—Capt. W. H. Eccles. *Committee*—J. S. Calverley, Gen. Williams, Gen. Sir J. B. Edwards, C.B., Col. Jee, W. F. Richards, Rev. H. Wood. *Hon. Secretary*—E. T. Ward, 5, The Lees, Folkestone. *Greenkeeper*—C. Port.

Club Prizes.—Monthly Medal (handicap), on first Wednesday of each month; Captain's Gold Medal, played for by winners of Monthly Medal, in September; Filmer-Bennet Cup (handicap—limit 12), in July.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Filmer-Bennett Cup: H. D. Hirst. Captain's Medal: A. C. Edwards.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 81, by F. G. Tait.

Record for Green (two rounds), 75, by D. Rolland and J. Lloyd, in June, 1894.

The course of nine holes is over the meadows of Broadmead Farm, about five minutes' walk from Radnor Park Station (S.E.R.). It is kept in thorough order throughout the year. The hazards are numerous and varied.

FOLKESTONE LADIES' GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1892.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 58.

The club is managed by the committee of the Folkestone Golf Club. There are monthly competitions on the first Thursday of each month, and the winners compete for the Captain's Gold Medal in September. In 1894 it was won by Miss D. Jeffery.

The course is one of nine holes, most of them the same as played by the gentlemen, only with advanced tees. The round is about a mile in length, and the Bogey score is 86.

FOLKINGHAM.

AVELAND GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED DECEMBER 4TH, 1893.

The course of nine holes, about a mile and a quarter in length, is situated at Horbling, which is about a quarter of a mile from Billingboro' Station (G.N.R.). The Fortescue Arms Hotel is close to the station.

FORFAR.

FORFAR GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1871.

Entrance Fee, Fifteen Shillings; *Annual Subscription*, Seven Shillings and Sixpence, with Five Shillings for box; *Number of Members*, 239. *President*—A. B. Wyllie. *Hon. Secretary*—J. Brodie, Mansfield House, Forfar. *Green*—Coninghill. *Clubmaker and Professional*—Alex. Simpson.

Club Prizes.—Club Medals (scratch); Handicap Medal; Whyte Cross; Dunnichen Medal; Merchants' Cup; and President's Prizes.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Spring Medal: S. C. Thomson, 86. Handicap Medal: J. M. Tawse, 95—8=87. Autumn Medal: J. Cunningham, 85. Whyte Cross: J. Brodie. Dunnichen Medal: J. M. Ramsay. Merchants' Cup: W. Mayor. President's Prize: A. Turnbull.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 76, by J. Brodie, on January 5th, 1889.

Owing to the large increase of members the clubhouse has been considerably extended and enlarged, a water supply being brought from Forfar, which is about a mile and a half away. The course consists of eighteen holes, and there are plenty of hazards in the shape of bunkers, burns, ditches, fences, whins, and broom. The course has been lengthened, and is now about three miles long. New putting greens have been made, and the teeing grounds have been re-laid. It is one of the best inland greens in the country, and, though private, golfers are always made welcome, and permission to play can be got by applying at the clubhouse and signing the visitors' book. There is plenty of accommodation to be had in the County, Royal, and Jarman's Hotels, at moderate charges. Forfar is the nearest railway station, and all trains stop there.

Over one hundred ladies have joined the club as lady associates. They are part of the club, and have no separate executive. Their entrance money is 5*s*., and yearly subscription 5*s*. The clubhouse is being enlarged for their accommodation. They have separate rooms, a course is being made for their exclusive use, and they have the privilege of playing over the regular course, except on the afternoons of Thursday and Saturday.

FORMBY.

FORMBY GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED DECEMBER 11TH, 1884.

Entrance Fee, 10*l*. 10*s*.; *Annual Subscription*, 2*l*. 2*s*.; *Number of Members*, 450 (the limit). *President*—C. J. W. Blundell. *Captain*—J. Hornby. *Trustees*—J. S. Beauford, E. Hewer, R. H. Prestwich. *Committee*—J. Ainsworth, J. B. Arkle, G. R. Cox, jun., C. T. Dixon, J. B. Hinshaw, J. C. Lowe. *Secretary*—F. E. M. Dixon, Inverallen, Formby, Lancashire. *Green*—Freshfield. *Greenkeeper*—F. E. M. Dixon. *Professionals*—D. McEwan and Son.

Club Prizes.—(1) Scratch: Prestwich Gold Medal on first day and Fowler Silver Medal on second day of Spring Meeting; Cullen Medal, Autumn Meeting; (2) Handicap: Two Prizes on each day of Spring Meeting, and Aggregate Prize for best net score of both days' play; Two Prizes at Autumn Meeting and two at St. Andrews Meeting; and Welch Gold Cross (limited to 10 handicap); Monthly Optional Sweepstakes, on the middle Saturday of each month.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Prestwich Medal: H. H. Hilton, 80. Fowler Medal: H. H. Hilton, 85. Cullen Medal: H. H. Hilton, 82. Welch Gold Cross: M. Rollo, 92−2=90. Monthly Optionals: First series (special handicap), C. Hutchings, 83 (scratch); second series (special handicap), M. Rollo, 92−2=90. Spring Meeting: First day—(1) J. Hornby 84 (scratch); (2) A. Bright, 106−21=85; second day—(1) W. M. Pearce, 107−25=82; (2) P. Musgrave, 96−10=86; Aggregate Prize, J. Hornby, 84 and 87. Autumn Meeting: (1) W. H. Edwards, 106−22=84; 2) J. Hulton, 96−11=85. Tournament for Prize presented by the Captain: G. R. Cox, jun. St. Andrews Meeting: (1) J. W. McConnel, 101−20=81; (2) M. Rollo, 93−8=85.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 76, by H. H. Hilton, on August 18th, 1895.

Records of Green.—(1) Professional, 73, by David McEwan; (2), Amateur, 69, by H. H. Hilton. The par of the green is 72.

The course consists of eighteen holes. There is a commodious club-house on the green, containing bedrooms, billiard-room, &c., close to Freshfield Station, on the Lancashire and Yorkshire Railway, Southport branch. Good accommodation can also be obtained in the neighbourhood. The course covers an area of about 220 acres, and contains some fine golfing ground.

FORRES.

FORRES GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED APRIL 26TH, 1889.

Annual Subscription, Twelve Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, 110. *President*—R. B. Finlay, Q.C.

Vice-Presidents—Major McLeod, J. Burn. *Captain*—D. K. Stewart. *Vice-Captain*—W. Archibald. *Committee*—Dr. Milligan, L. J. Hamilton, J. Stewart, J. Sutherland, R. B. Stephen, C. G. Mackenzie. *Hon. Secretary*—H. Mackintosh, National Bank, Forres. *Green*—Kinloss. *Greenkeeper*—J. Ross.

Club Prizes—Mackenzie Silver Cup, in autumn; Dalvey Silver Cup, in spring and autumn; President's Silver Cup, monthly; Sir W. Gordon Cumming's foursome prizes, and other prizes—all handicap.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Mackenzie Cup: E. W. Douglas. Dalvey Cup: A. B. Stephen, R. Kynoch.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 89, by J. Sutherland, on August 22nd, 1890.

The course consists of eighteen holes, and there is a comfortable clubhouse. A full description of the course and other information appeared in the special article, "Forres and its Golf Course," in last year's *Annual*. The Cluny Hill Hydropathic and the Royal Station Hotel afford ample accommodation for visitors.

FORT AUGUSTUS.

FORT AUGUSTUS GOLF CLUB.

The course consists of nine holes.

FORT CUMBERLAND.

The Officers of the Royal Marine Artillery have a nine-hole course round Fort Cumberland, the various parts of the work being utilised as hazards. It is difficult to keep in order, as the ground is much used for exercising horses, &c.

FORTROSE.

FORTROSE AND ROSEMARKIE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED SEPTEMBER 29TH, 1888.

Annual Subscription, Seven Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, 54. *President*—General Macintyre. *Vice-President* — Provost Grant. *Captain* — Colonel Stephen, C.B. *Committee*—J. F. Mackenzie, A. Mackenzie, General D. Macintyre, V.C., General Hodgson, T. Henderson, K. T. Mackenzie, Sergeant-Major Kemp. *Treasurer*—J. Henderson. *Hon. Secretary*—W. S. Geddie, Fortrose. *Green*—Chanonry Point. *Hon. Greenkeeper*—Sergeant-Major Kemp.

Club Prizes. President's Challenge Cup (scratch); Rosebaugh Gold Medal (handicap), monthly.

Prize Winners in 1894.—President's Cup: Sergeant-Major Kemp, 80. Rosebaugh Medal (final): Dr. McLean.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 71, by K. T. Mackenzie, on 26th October, 1893.

Green Record, 32, by K. T. Mackenzie on above date.

The course is by the sea-side and consists of nine holes. Ruts and the sea beach form the most difficult hazards. Fortrose Railway Station is half a mile distant, and accommodation may be had at hotels and private houses in Fortrose and Rosemarkie.

FORT WILLIAM.

LOCHABER GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1890.

Annual Subscription, Ten Shillings; Juniors, Three Shillings and Sixpence. *Number of Members*, 40. *President*—D. Macleish. *Vice-Presidents*—N. B. Mackenzie and A. W. Macdonald. *Captain*—C. Livingston. *Committee*—Rev. D. Macmichael, A. Macdougall, W. Macdonald. *Hon. Secretary*—W. D. Barclay, Bank of Scotland, Fort William.

Club Prizes.—President's Silver Medal (handicap) and Captain's Silver Medal (scratch).

Prize Winner in 1894, Captain's Bronze Medal: W. D. Barclay.

Green Record, 44, by W. D. Barclay.

The course of nine holes is situated about 600yds. above Fort William, and extends to about a mile and a half. The hazards are fences, ditches, and whins. There is good hotel accommodation.

FOXROCK.

FOXROCK GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MARCH, 1893.

Entrance Fee, Gentlemen, 2*l.* 2*s.*; Ladies, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, Gentlemen, 1*l.* 1*s.*; Ladies, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 160. *President*—Sir C. Barrington, Bart. *Vice-President*—Major Dunville. *Captain*—R. C. Orpen. *Deputy-Captain*—C. Wallace. *Committee*—G. C. May, T. P. Hogg, W. Fitzgerald, J. E. Fottrell, E. Manders, C. Barrington, C. Todd, E. S. Darley. *Hon. Secretary*—A. M. Moore, Foxrock, Co. Dublin. *Greenkeeper*—Mungo Park.

Club Prizes.—Club Tankard (handicap), on last Saturday in each month; and Yearly Cup for monthly winners. Ladies' Handicap on first Monday of each month.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Monthly Tankard: January, C. Townsend; February, J. P. Barrington; March, H. T. Carson; April, A. Rutherfoord; May, R. C. Orpen; June, C. R. Todd; July, H. E. Rutherfoord; August, H. E. Rutherfoord; September, H. E. Rutherfoord; October, F. H. Orr; November, J. M. Staples; December, H. E. Carson.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 89, by F. H. Orr, in March, 1894.

The course of nine holes is about a quarter of a mile from Foxrock Station (Dublin, Wicklow, and Wexford Ry.). There is a clubhouse and a ladies' pavilion.

FRASERBURGH.

FRASERBURGH GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MAY, 1882.

Entrance Fee, Five Shillings; *Annual Subscription*, Five Shillings. *Hon. Captain*—Lord Saltoun. *Captain*—J. Milne. *Vice-Captain*—J. Cranna. *Committee*—G. M. Joss, J. Reiach, G. Stephen, Rev. J. L. King, Rev. G. W. Stewart. *Treasurer*—M. Ritchie. *Joint Hon. Secretaries*—Rev. P. Milne, W. W. Cruickshank. *Green*—Philorth Links. *Greenkeeper*—J. Penny.

The course of eighteen holes is one of the best in the North of Scotland. The first tee is about a quarter of a mile from Fraserburgh Station. The hazards are bunkers and bents, and natural declivities. The view is a fine one, especially from the sixth and thirteenth holes. Strangers may play on application to the secretaries. There are several good hotels in Fraserburgh.

GAINSBOROUGH.

THOROCK GOLF CLUB.

Hon. Secretary—P. A. Gamble, Gainsborough.

GALASHIELS.

GALASHIELS GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1886.

Entrance Fee, Five Shillings; *Annual Subscription*, Five Shillings; *Number of Members*, 146. *President*—J. S. Brunton. *Vice-President*—Ex-Provost Brown. *Captain*—A. T. Dalgleish. *Treasurer*—R. Watson. *Committee*—J. M. Barclay, Dr. Doig, W. Dunlop, W. Shaw, R. Thripland. *Hon. Secretary*—A. D. Robson, Solicitor, Galashiels. *Green*—Ladhope. *Greenkeeper*—A. Baxter.

Club Prizes.—Barclay Medal; Monthly Medal; and Captain's Prizes, in spring.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Captain's Prizes: (1) G. Mercer, 98—25=73; (2) A. T. Dalgleish, 86—8=78. Barclay Medal: W. Shaw, 99—18=81; J. A. Edlington, 96—21=75; J. Watson, 94—9=85. Monthly Medal: R. D. Somerville, 103—20=83; W. Shaw (twice), 100—21=79, 92—17=75; R. S. Hayward, 101—25=76; Rev. J. B. Wood (thrice), 92—6=86, 86—6=80, 81—4=77.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 77, by Rev. W. H. Gray, on November 7th, 1891.

Record for Green, 36, by Rev. W. H. Gray, on November 7th, 1891, and by A. D. Robson, on November 25th, 1893.

The course, which is a nine hole one, and unplayable during summer, is situated about ten minutes' walk from Galashiels Station. An effort is being made to secure a better course, and Willie Park has provisionally laid one out over Ladhope Muir.

GARELOCHHEAD.

GARELOCHHEAD GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1895.

Captain—A. Vallance. *Hon. Secretary*—D. Cameron, The Hotel, Garlochhead.

The course of nine holes, varying in length from 200 to 500 yards, is situated to the north-east of Garelochhead, and overlooks Gareloch, Loch Goil, and Loch Long. Hazards are plentiful, and the turf is old and good. The first tee is close to Garelochhead Station (West Highland Railway) and the pier and hotel.

GEELONG.

GEELONG GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED AUGUST 4TH, 1892.

Annual Subscription, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 50.

Captain—C. Shannon. *Hon. Treasurer*—Dr. T. C. Hope. *Committee*—Dr. J. Small, J. S. B. Orr, D. Strachan, J. S. McGill, N. Campbell. *Hon. Secretary*—L. A. Whyte, The Heights, Geelong, Victoria. *Greenkeeper*—J. Loh.

Club Prizes.—Geelong Championship Challenge Cup (scratch), and Club Prizes for Gentlemen's Singles (handicap) and Mixed Doubles (handicap), at August Meeting; Shannon and Whyte Trophies (handicap).

Prize Winners in 1894.—Mixed Doubles: Miss Martin and M. L. Anderson. Gentlemen's Singles: W. McIntyre, eight up. Championship of Geelong (open): W. McIntyre, six up. Shannon and Whyte Trophies: J. S. Orr, 110—10=100 and 108—9=99.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 94, by L. A. Whyte.

Record for Green, 88, by W. McIntyre.

The course of eighteen holes is three miles in length, and long driving is essential. North Geelong Railway Station is half a mile from the hotel in which the club have rooms, and twenty minutes from Geelong by cab or 'bus. There is good accommodation for visitors in the hotel, from which the first tee is only some fifty yards. Geelong is an hour and a half's railway journey from Melbourne.

GIBRALTAR.

GIBRALTAR GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 19TH FEBRUARY, 1891.

The course at North Front is a very stony one of nine holes, about a mile and a half in length. The lies through the green are bad. The season commences in November and ends in May.

GIRVAN.

GIRVAN GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1872.

Entrance Fee, Five Shillings; *Annual Subscription*, Ten Shillings; *Number of Members*, 100. *President*—T. F. Kennedy. *Captain*—R. Marshall. *Committee*—Rev. C. A. Thomson, J. Eaglesome, J. Shankland, J. Macbeth, R. McConnell. *Hon. Secretary*—A. Dunlop, Royal Bank, Girvan. *Greenkeeper*—F. Gilliland.

The course consists of nine holes, and the hazards are chiefly sand bunkers and whins, while the near proximity of the sea-shore makes another dangerous hazard. Girvan railway station is within 500 yards of the green, and there is good accommodation for visitors.

GLADWYNS.

GLADWYNS GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED APRIL, 1885.

Annual Subscription, One Shilling; *Number of Members*, 80. *President*—H. Broke. *Treasurer*—Miss Broke. *Captain*—Miss Heathcote. *Committee*—Mrs. Drummond, Miss I. L. Heathcote, Miss Marsh, Capt. Broke, P. M. Johnson, J. N. Heathcote. *Hon. Secretary*—P. V. Broke, Gladwyns, Harlow, Essex. *Greenkeeper*—J. Wardour.

Club Prizes.—Competitions are held at Easter and in Autumn, when the following prizes are played for: Oxford Clock, Silver Iron, Selwin-Ibbetson Cup, Purves Cup, Quarterly Cup (handicap), and Scratch Prizes.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Oxford Cleek: Easter, Mrs. F. Gurdon, 184—47=137: Autumn, Mrs. L. C. Drummond, 154—25=129. Silver Iron: Easter, A. H. Frere, 348—72=276: Autumn, P. V. Broke, 286 (scratch). Selwin-Ibbetson Cup: Easter, Miss I. L. Heathcote, 70—2=68; Autumn, Miss Broke, 76—10=66. Purves Cup: Easter, Rev. S. F. Cartwright, 83—15=68; Autumn, Rev. F. Gurdon, 78—18=60. Quarterly Cup: Easter, Miss M. G. Broke, 76—8=68: Autumn, P. M. Johnson, 74—12=62. Bogey: Easter, Mrs. L. C. Drummond (17), five up; Autumn, M. B. Castle (4), six up. Scratch: Easter, Miss I. L. Heathcote, 74; P. V. Broke, 69; Autumn, Miss Heathcote, 73; P. V. Broke, 68.

Lowest Scratch Scores in Club Competitions, 64, by J. N. Heathcote, in September, 1893, and 69, by Miss I. L. Heathcote, in October, 1893.

Green Records, 62, by P. V. Broke, in August, 1890, and 69, by Miss I. L. Heathcote, as above.

The green, which has separate eighteen hole courses for ladies and gentlemen, is strictly private, and except at Easter and in Autumn there is little play.

GLASGOW.

GLASGOW GOLF CLUB, RECONSTITUTED 1870.

Entrance Fee, 4*l.* 4*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 670. *Captain*—J. R. Motion. *Hon. Secretary and Treasurer*—A. Neilie, 175, St. Vincent-street, Glasgow. *Greens*—Alexandra Park and Gailes, Irvine.

Club Prizes.—(1) Alexandra Park. Three Monthly Medals on first Saturday of each month, viz., Club Medal up to 6 handicap, Wilson Medal from 6 to 12 handicap, and Scott Medal from 13 to 18 handicap; Garroway Cup (handicap) by holes; Club Medal (scratch), Robertson Putter (scratch), and Wilson Medal (handicap) in March; Herriot prize, Stewart Cup (handicap), in April; Rae-Arthur Medal (scratch), Salmon Medal (handicap), and Captain's Prize in October. (2) Gailes. Three Monthly Medals on first Saturday of each month, on the same handicap terms as at Alexandra Park, viz., Risk Medal, Wilson Medal and Scott Medal, Tennant Cup (scratch) open to all amateurs, in May; Scratch and Club prizes at Spring and Autumn Meetings.

Prize Winners in 1894.—At Gailes—Tennant Cup: W. Doleman. Rae-Arthur Medal: D. Bone. Salmon Medal: A. Vallance. Gold Medal: R. Brownlee, jun. At Alexandra Park—Wilson Medal: J. G. Macfarlane. Stewart Cup: J. A. Mackenzie. Gold Medal: W. Doleman.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition.—(1) Alexandra Park,

70, by W. Milne in 1890, and by J. A. Shaw, in 1893: (2) Gailes, 75, by R. Adam, in 1893.

The green record at Alexandra Park is 69, by D. Bone, W. Milne, and G. Gillespie, in 1891; and at Gailes, 73, by B. Sayer, on 27th April last.

The Glasgow Golf Club was reconstituted in 1870. When the original club was founded is not known, but the members latterly played on Glasgow Green. The minutes down to 1832, and silver club with some twenty-four silver balls attached, bearing the names of the captains from 1787 to 1828, which had been searched for in vain, were seen in the Bishop's Palace, Glasgow Exhibition, where they had been sent on loan by Mr. McInroy of Lude. The club approached Mr. McInroy as to the minutes and silver club, but without success. The club, as at present constituted, began in 1870 to play on the South Side Park, but soon had to leave it for much poorer quarters at the Alexandra Park in the East End, where it still is located. The course a few years ago was one of nine holes, but the large accession of playing members compelled an extension, first to fifteen and then to eighteen holes. The hazards are boundary railings, the turf is in fairly good order, and the putting greens well kept. A large room has recently been added to the clubhouse, and the accommodation for members nearly doubled. Alexandra Park Station is about five minutes' walk from the clubhouse.

A new city course was opened by the club this spring. It is situated to the north-east of the Alexandra Park, and consists of eighteen holes.

A green of eighteen holes was opened near Gailes, Irvine, in 1892. As at present marked out, the course is rather less than three miles in length, but it can be extended indefinitely. The greens are now in first-class playing condition. Another feature is the number of bunkers and the judicious manner in which they are placed. The whole course is carpeted with splendid turf. The first tee is close to Gailes Station (Glasgow and S.W. Railway), in close proximity to which a clubhouse has been erected.

ALEXANDRA GOLF CLUB.

No particulars forthcoming.

BEARSDEN GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MARCH 3RD, 1891.

Captain—G. Rome. *Hon. Secretary*—W. Gibson, Camphill, Bearsden.

Bearsden is a suburb of Glasgow, about five miles north-west from the city, and residence in the neighbourhood qualifies for membership.

The course is situated at the head of Thorne-road, about ten minutes' walk from the railway station, and, standing pretty high, commands a wide prospect. It is a nine hole one, and the hazards are hedges, a pond, and a huge pile of blaes, which is, however, easily driven with a lofting iron.

CAMBUSLANG GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1892.

Cambuslang is a suburb of Glasgow, and easily accessible by train from the Central Station (Cal. Ry.). The course consists of nine holes, the principal hazard being a burn.

CATHKIN BRAES GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED SEPTEMBER, 1888.

Entrance Fee, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.*

A Gold Medal (handicap) is played for monthly, the winners playing off at the end of the season.

The course is situated about half a mile from Carmunnock, on the Cathkin Braes (666 feet above the sea level), and is reached by train to Busby or Rutherglen, thence by 'bus. It consists of nine holes, and follows nearly the lines of an oblong, so avoiding the risk of collision between outgoing and incoming players. There are numerous sporting hazards in the shape of lochs, whins, marshes, and watercourses.

EASTWOOD GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MAY, 1894.

Entrance Fee, Ten Shillings; *Annual Subscription*, Ten Shillings; *Number of Members*, 190. *Captain*—R. Anderson. *Treasurer*—J. Airlie. *Hon. Secretary*—D. Elder, 7, Granville-street, Glasgow.

The Captain's Gold Medal is competed for on the third Saturday of each month.

The course of nine holes is situated at Eastwood, on what is locally known as the Muir, and measures 1925 yards. The par of the round is 31. The hazards are whins, trees, rocks, hedges, ditches, a burn, and a quarry. A former powder magazine has been fitted up as a clubhouse.

Membership is confined to members of the Glasgow Y.M.C.A.

GLASGOW HIGH SCHOOL GOLF CLUB.

Membership is confined to masters and pupils of the school.

GLASGOW UNIVERSITY GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MARCH, 1889.

Annual Subscription, Six Shillings. *Hon. Secretary and Treasurer*—A. D Crawford, Writer, 183, West George-street, Glasgow.

Club Prizes.—Fraser Medal (scratch) and Club Gold Medal (handicap), at Spring and Autumn Meetings on various greens.

KELVINSIDE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED NOVEMBER 11TH, 1893.

Entrance Fee, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Number of Members*, limited to 250. *Captain*—R. McLelland. *Hon. Secretary*—W. Brodie, Solicitor, 77, St. Vincent-street, Glasgow.

The course of nine holes is situated at Crossloan-road, Kelvinside, Glasgow.

1ST LANARK R.V. GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED SEPTEMBER 29TH, 1891.

Membership is only open to members and honorary members of the 1st Lanark Rifle Volunteers.

The course, at Yorkhill, Glasgow, consists of six holes.

MERRYLEA GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1894.

The course of nine holes is laid out in two fields on the farm of Merrylea, close to Langside Station, Glasgow. The hazards are hedges somewhat difficult of negotiation, and the turf is good. A small clubhouse has been erected at the farm steading.

POLLOK GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED DECEMBER 1ST, 1892.

Entrance Fee, 3*l.* 3*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 400. *President*—Sir John Stirling-Maxwell, Bart. *Captain*—J. G. Sewell. *Vice-Captain*—W. Hepburn. *Hon. Secretary*—J. W. Stuart, Solicitor, 88, St. Vincent-street, Glasgow. *Match Secretary*—D. Dishington, 21, St. Vincent-place, Glasgow. *Greenkeeper*—J. Douglas.

The course, which is within seven minutes' walk of Pollokshaws Station, is situated within the Pollok policies, the property of the president. It consists of eighteen holes, the longest being over 400 yards in length, while ten are over 300 yards. The turf is nearly two centuries old, and the lies are in consequence excellent. There is a clubhouse on the green.

ST. MUNGO GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JULY 28TH, 1893.

Annual Subscription, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 70. *Captain*—J. H. Roger. *Treasurer*—F. Y. Henderson. *Committee*—A. Brown, J. Greenlees, T. A. B. Sherriff, A. Turner, J. Wilson. *Hon. Secretary*—J. S. Clark, 61 North Hanover-street, Glasgow.

Membership is confined to the Licensed Trade, *i.e.*, Brewers, Distillers, and Wine Merchants, in Glasgow and West of Scotland, and those directly connected therewith. Members not possessing the foregoing qualifications may be admitted at the same annual subscription, and be entitled to the full privileges of the club, but shall not have a voice in the management.

Monthly Handicap Competitions are held for the St. Mungo Silver Teaspoon of a special pattern.

By agreement with the Irvine Golf Club, members have the use of the Irvine links at Bogside every Tuesday and Thursday.

SCOTSTOUNHILL GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1894.

The course of nine holes is laid out on the farm of Bankhead, Scotstounhill, on the Elderslie Estate. The par of the round is 33. The hazards are hedges, a road, and a burn.

THISTLE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1893.

No particulars forthcoming.

TORYGLEN GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED NOVEMBER 15TH, 1893.

Entrance Fee, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 250. *Hon. President*—T. R. J. Logan. *Hon. Vice-Presidents*—A. Stewart, Neil Robson. *Hon. Secretary*—T. McClelland, jun., 10, Wendover-crescent, Glasgow.

Green Record, 38, by Willie Fernie, in November, 1893.

The course of nine holes is ten minutes' walk from Crosshill Station (south side of Glasgow), and lies alongside the Caledonian Railway. It is covered with splendid turf. The round is nearly a mile and a half in length, the shortest hole being 160 yards, and the longest 480 yards. A burn is crossed three times, and the other hazards are hedges, fences, and trees. Visitors may be introduced by members once a month; if oftener, only by special permission in writing from a member of committee.

GLENCORSE.

GLENCORSE (formerly Rosslynlee) GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MAY 15TH, 1891.

Number of Members, over 200—including ladies.

Club Prizes.—Inglis Trophy (handicap), in May; Scratch and Handicap Medals, in May and October.

Until recently the Club played over a nine hole course in the picturesque neighbourhood of Hawthornden, but towards the end of

last year they acquired from Mr. Inglis, of Logan Bank, a stretch of ground near Glencorse, upon which an eighteen-hole course has been laid out by Willie Park. Three of the holes up the glen from the village of Auchendinny are as sporting as could be wished, and the Glencorse burn is an ever present hazard. A clubhouse, with accommodation for ladies and gentlemen, is in course of erection.

GLENLUCE.

WIGTOWNSHIRE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MARCH, 1894.

Annual Subscription, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 75. *Captain*—Earl of Stair, K.T. *Treasurer*—T. Symington. *Committee*—Viscount Dalrymple, J. McDouall. G. Cowan, A. Storrar, W. Fox, B. S. Cunliffe, Rev. J. Smith, Rev. J. Robertson. *Hon. Secretary*—B. S. Cunliffe, Newton Stewart. *Greenkeeper*—A. Weir.

Club Prizes.—Scratch and Handicap Prizes on last Wednesday of every month.

Green Record, 41, by A. F. Macfie, in July, 1894.

The course of nine holes, which was formally opened in March, is laid out on the farm of Mains of Park, about a mile and a quarter from Glenluce Railway Station, where conveyances may be had at threepence a head. Visitors introduced by members may have use of the green for three days free of charge; if not introduced, the charges are: 1*s.* per day, 2*s.* 6*d.* per week, and 5*s.* per month. There is excellent accommodation to be had in Glenluce.

GODLEY.

HYDE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1891.

Annual Subscription, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 40. *President*—E. Hibbert. *Captain*—Rev. H. J. Just. *Committee*—G. P. Buxton Dr. Bennett. *Hon. Secretary*—F. H. Pym, Arrowscroft House, Hollingworth, near Manchester.

The course, which is situated about a quarter of a mile from Godley Station, at present consists of six holes, but is shortly to be enlarged to nine. The ground is undulating, and the hazards are principally deep gullies. Three holes are about 330 yards long, two about 180 yards, and one about 200 yards.

GOLSPIE.

GOLSPIE GOLF CLUB, ORIGINALLY FORMED IN 1877, RECONSTITUTED IN 1892.

Annual Subscription, Two Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, 34. *Patrons*—Duke and Duchess of Sutherland. *President*—G. R. Lawson. *Vice-Presidents*—A. W. Macaulay, Dr. Simpson. *Captain*—A. Argo. *Committee*—J. W. Cameron, D. Crowe, J. H. Loudon, J. Macdonald, D. W. Munro, C. R. Stage, G. Stewart. *Hon. Secretary*—T. Watson, Golspie. *Greenkeeper*—Sergt. Sutherland.

Club Prizes.—Duke of Sutherland's Silver Cup (handicap) and Club Gold Medal, in October.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Duke of Sutherland's Silver Cup and Club Gold Medal: H. Gunn, 86 (scratch). Duchess of Sutherland's Silver Medal: D. W. Munro, 98 – 10 = 88. Gunn Medal, for three best scratch or handicap scores during season: H. Gunn, who resigned in favour of J. Macdonald.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 86, by H. Gunn, on October 6th, 1894.

Record for Green, 40, by H. Gunn, on May 8th, 1894.

The green is within two minutes' walk of Golspie Station. There are two hotels in the village, besides other accommodation. The course of nine holes stretches along the seashore, and lovely views are obtained from it. As the turf is somewhat mossy, it is more difficult than the majority of seaside courses, but it will improve with play.

GOTHENBURG.

GOTHENBURG GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MARCH, 1891.

The green is a quarter of an hour by steamer from the town to Sandviken. Members of any recognised golf club are allowed to play free of charge, and to compete for any event at the same handicap which they receive in England.

GRANGE-OVER-SANDS.

GRANGE-OVER-SANDS GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED FEBRUARY 3RD, 1894.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 90. *President*—Earl of Derby,

G.C.B. *Vice-Presidents*—Sir J. Hibbert, K.C.B., V. Cavendish, M.P. *Captain*—Major Michaelson. *Treasurer*—C. B. Daniell. *Hon. Secretary*—Rev. G. Vickars-Gaskell, Grange-over-Sands.

Club Prizes and Winners in 1894.—Higgin Cup: L. Lambert. Beardsley Cup: J. Thoms.

The course of nine holes, about 2050 yards in circuit, lies about a mile and a half from the village. The turf is short and springy, and the hazards are limestone cliffs, hedges, ravines, walls, loose stones, bunkers, &c. The par of the round is 35. There are two good hotels and a number of first-class lodging-houses in the town. Weekly members are admitted on payment of 5*s.*, and yearly subscribers at 1*l.* 1*s.*

GRANTHAM.

BELTON PARK GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED NOVEMBER, 1890.

Annual Subscription, Gentlemen, 1*l.*; *Ladies,* Ten Shillings; *Number of Members,* 116. *President*—Earl Brownlow. *Vice-President*—Sir J. H. Thorold, Bart. *Captain*—Rev. E. M. Clements. *Committee*—H. G. L. Allford, H. J. Conant, T. S. Gregory, F. W. Thompson, C. G. E. Welbey, Capt. C. A. Young. *Hon. Secretary*—Rev. W. A. P. Cust, Belton Rectory, Grantham.

Club Prizes.—Gregory Cup (handicap) for gentlemen, and Welby Brooch (handicap) for ladies, in April and October.

The course of nine holes is situated at Belton Park, about a mile and a half from Grantham Station.

GRANTOWN.

GRANTOWN GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED APRIL 8TH, 1890.

Annual Subscription, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members,* 200. *Patroness*—Countess of Seafield. *Presidents*—Sir D. Smith, R. Grant. *Vice-Presidents*—J. Smith, D. Grant. *Committee*—J. R. Burgess, J. McGregor, A. F. Grant, A. C. Grant, J. Grant, R. Winchester, G. Imray, A. W. Fraser, Captain Grant, L. Macdonald, G. Harvey, H. Roles. *Hon. Secretary*—T. Mackintosh, Caledonian Bank, Grantown.

Green Record, 35, by G. W. S. Paterson, on August 25th, 1894.

The course of nine holes has recently been considerably lengthened. It is close to the town, which is a favourite summer resort. The Grant Arms Hotel is now under excellent management, and can be recommended. A clubhouse for ladies and gentlemen was erected last year.

GRANTOWN LADIES' GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JUNE, 1890.

Annual Subscription, Three Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, 110. *Committee*—Mrs. (Dr.) Grant, Mrs. J. Grant, Miss Sim, Miss Thomson, Mrs. MacGregor. *Hon. Secretary*—Mrs. Barclay, The Square, Grantown.

The ladies have an excellent nine hole green, which is looked after by the keeper of the gentlemen's course. Their principal trophy is a gold medal, played for under handicap.

GREENOCK.

GREENOCK GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED SEPTEMBER 8TH, 1890.

Entrance Fee, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 250; 14 Juniors. *Captain*—R. F. Watson. *Committee*—A. Carmichael, A. N. Lindsay, J. Miller, J. Watson, W. McClure, jun., R. P. Lyle. *Hon. Secretary*—G. Jenkins, Union Bank, Greenock. *Greenkeeper*—F. Macdonald.

Club Prizes.—Challenge Cup (handicap), in Spring; Lyle Medal (handicap), in Autumn; Monthly Competitions on third Saturday of each month.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Challenge Cup: J. M. Arthur. Lyle Medal: J. L. Adams.

Record for Green, 75, by J. Miller, in May, 1894.

The course of eighteen holes is beautifully situated, about half a mile from Prince's Pier, and commands extensive views of the Clyde and surrounding country. It is not open to visitors unless specially introduced by members. Greenock West Station is within five minutes' walk.

GREENOCK LADIES' GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1893.

Annual Subscription, Ten Shillings; *Number of Members*, 55. *Hon. Secretary*—Miss B. Grieve, Glenholm.

The Greenock course is played over.

GREYSTONES.

GREYSTONES GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1895.

The course is nearly completed, and will be open for play this summer. The railway station is close at hand. Greystones is a small watering place near Dublin.

GRIMSBY.

GRIMSBY AND CLEETHORPES GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1894.

Entrance Fee, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Annual Subscription*. Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, 90. *President*—Earl of Yarborough. *Committee*—A. Abbott, W. Bolland, C. F. Carter, R. C. Long, A. Mountain, W. H. Turner, J. F. Wintringham. *Hon. Treasurer*—T. M. Howkins. *Hon. Secretary*—J. Barber, jun., Great Grimsby. *Greenkeeper*—E. Cookson.

The course consists of nine holes, which vary in length from 145 to 430 yards, and the circuit is over a mile and a half. The hazards are principally sand bunkers, and the greens are kept in good order. There is a temporary pavilion 100 yards from the first tee, where refreshments may be obtained. There are many good hotels and boarding houses in Cleethorpes, and first class accommodation can easily be obtained. The links are only a mile from Cleethorpes Railway Station, and two miles from Grimsby Railway Station. There is a constant service of trains between Grimsby and Cleethorpes. Visitors may be introduced by members for one day in the year free of charge, and after that at the rate of 3*s*. 6*d*. per week. They are very welcome. The club is greatly indebted to the Hon. Secretary for discovering and obtaining such an admirable course.

The Record of the Green is 37, by the professional, E. Cookson.

GUERNSEY.

ROYAL GUERNSEY GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED NOVEMBER 1ST, 1890.

Entrance Fee, 3*l*.; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l*. 10*s*. *Number of Members*, 134. *President*—Sir E. G. Bulwer, K.C.B. *Treasurer*—Col. A. H. Collings. *Captain*—Lieut-General Stevenson. *Committee*—F. D. Macleane, R. T. Bainbrigge, F. A. Fraser, J. Swinburne. *Hon. Secretary*—T. S. Dobree, Royal Guernsey Golf Club, L'Ancresse Vale. *Greenkeeper*—J. Sebire.

Club Prizes.—Melrose Cup (handicap) and Gold and Silver Medals (scratch), in October: Gold Badge (handicap) monthly, winners play off in December: Bulwer Cup (handicap) and L'Ancresse Cup (handicap), Spring: Captain's Prize (handicap); Club Prize (handicap) and Swinburne Cup (handicap), Spring and Autumn.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Gold Medal: S. Robin, 92. Silver Medal: T. S. Dobree, 94. Melrose Cup: T. Slayter, 102−20=82. Bulwer Cup: H. B. Tupper, 106−15=91. L'Ancresse Cup: C. F. Crewe, 103−15=88. Club Prize: Col. Field, N. Field. Captain's Prize: Col. St. Clair, 112−15=87. Swinburne Cup: Col. S. Field, Gen. N. Stevenson. President's Cup: H. B. Tupper. Cotils Cup: Col. S. Field. St. Clair Cup: Col. S. Field. Slayter Cup: Col. le Mottée.

Record for Green, Col. S. Field, 84.

The links are situated on L'Ancresse Common, about three miles from St. Peter's Port, in which town there are good hotels. Electric trams and omnibuses run every quarter of an hour to St. Sampson's, from which place the links are about one and a half miles distant. Trams and conveyances also run to the clubhouse every hour, and return conveyances leave at twenty minutes to each hour. The links consist of eighteen holes, and are about three miles and a half round. There are, as hazards, quarries, with a long stretch of sea beach, and fine sandy bunkers, rutty roads, and whins also abound; the lies through the green are good, but the putting greens are still rough, though fast improving. The round has recently been inspected by Tom Morris, and various changes made at his suggestion. Accommodation may be had at cottages on the common, but early application is necessary, as these are let long in advance each year. Visitors may play free for one day; thereafter on payment of 7*s.* 6*d.* a week, and 3*s.* per day for odd days over the week.

GUILDFORD.

GUILDFORD GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1886.

Entrance Fee, 5*l.* 5*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Number of Members*, 300. *President*—Earl of Onslow. *Captain*—H. L. Forbes. *Hon. Secretary*—J. Kenrick, Reigate. *Committee*—Col. W. Bannatyne, Major W. Pontifex, Col. G. Lamb, W. P. Trench, J. A. Ross, A. W. McDonell, J. H. Bovill, W. Carr, W. M. Corrie. *Secretary and Treasurer*—H. H. Sturges, County Club, Guildford. *Green*—Merrow Downs. *Greenkeeper*—D. Y. Pinkerton, Golf Club, Warren-road, Guildford.

Club Prizes.—Mathison Cup (scratch) and Club Silver Medal (handicap), in Spring; Duncan Silver Medal (scratch), in Spring and Autumn; Pontifex Challenge Shield (handicap), at Easter; Club Gold Medal (scratch); Bannatyne Challenge Cup (handicap); Captain's Prize (handicap), in Autumn; Monthly Handicap, and various prizes connected therewith.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Spring:—Pontifex Shields (match tournament): J. Kenrick. Mathison Cup: H. L. Forbes, 88. Duncan Medal: J. Kenrick, 85. Aggregate Prize: J. Kenrick, 169. Silver Medal: Col. Pott, 92−9=83. Handicap Prize: W. D. Marshall, 89−7=82. Surbiton Foursomes: H. L. Forbes, W. M. Corrie. Autumn:—Duncan Medal: C. Farmer, 91. Gold Medal: B. Howell, 83. Bannatyne Cup: C. H. Sapte, 94−8=86. Captain's Prize: L. Howell, 88−9=79.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 82, by S. Mure Fergusson and A. A. Cammell, in 1892.

Records for Green.—(1) Professional, 76, by D. Y. Pinkerton, on Nov. 17th, 1893; (2) Amateur, 77, by S. Mure Fergusson, on 18th June, 1892.

The par of green is 74. Handicaps are based on a scratch score of 81. Bogey's score is also 81.

The Prize Meetings are held on the first Saturdays in May and October, and the previous Thursday.

The course, which consists of eighteen holes, is an excellent inland green, and was fully described in a special article in the ANNUAL for 1889-90. Since then a number of the holes have been lengthened and various improvements made on the green.

GULLANE.

GULLANE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JUNE, 1882.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, 400. *Captain*—B. Hall Blyth. *Committee*—H. Parker, J. A. Molleson, T. D. Thomson, T. Binnie, G. M'Intosh, jun., I. Williamson, J. A. Robertson, T. Lugton, D. Turnbull. *Hon. Secretary*—J. S. Wilson, Schoolhouse, Gullane. *Greenkeeper*—A. Litster. *Green Officer*—J. Dobson.

Club Prizes.—Spring Hole Competition (handicap), on April 26th; Club Prizes (handicap), on June 15th; Club Gold Medal (scratch) and other Prizes (handicap), on July 20th; Captain's and other Prizes (handicap), on September 14th.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Spring Competition: H. M. Turnbull. Club Prize (June): L. S. Anderson, 76+1=77. Gold Medal: T. Lugton, jun., 76. Captain's Prize: J. C. Baldwin, 83−6=77, after a tie with J. M. Bow.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 70, by A. M. Ross, on July 23rd, 1892, which is the amateur record for the green.

There is a small clubhouse with box accommodation close to the home hole.

DIRLETON CASTLE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED FEBRUARY 27TH, 1854.

Entrance Fee, Two Shillings and Sixpence; *Annual Subscription*, Two Shillings and Sixpence. *Captain*—A. B. Thomson. *Hon. Secretary*—T. Lugton, jun., Gullane.

Club Prizes.—Scratch Prize in May, and Handicap Prizes in June, August, and September.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 74, by A. Litster, on August 5th.

EAST LOTHIAN GOLF CLUB, RE-CONSTITUTED 1859.

Entrance Fee, 1*l*; *Annual Subscription*, Ten Shillings; *Number of Members*, 30. *President*—H. Parker. *Vice-President*—T. Usher. *Committee*—R. Muir, T. D. Thomson, T. Binnie, A. Drybrough. *Hon. Secretary*—St. Clair Cunningham, Adniston, Macmerry, East Lothian. *Greens*—Gullane and Archerfield.

Club Prizes.—Cunningham Cup (handicap) and Club Prize, on April 6th; Club Medals (scratch) and President's Prize (handicap), on May 25th; Town v. County Match at Archerfield early in July; and Club Prize on October 5th.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Club Medals: I. Williamson, 85. Chambers Cup was won for the third time, and became the property of T. Binnie, on October 6th, score, 83 + 1 = 84. Town v. County Match at Archerfield, on July 7th, resulted in a tie. Club Prize: Rev. J. Kerr, 86 − 1 = 85.

The golf course, on Gullane Links, consisted for many years of only thirteen holes, kept in order by subscriptions and by the East Lothian or "Farmers'" Club, as it is sometimes called. Several years ago, however, through the energy of the late Mr. Whytock, the village players turned out, greatly improved the course, and lengthened it to fifteen holes. Since the formation of the Gullane Club the course has been lengthened to eighteen holes, and the naturally fine green greatly improved.

The Green Records are—(1) professional, 69, by A. Kirkcaldy, on May 29th, 1894, made up thus:—

Out: 5 4 3 5 4 4 4 4 3 = 36 } 69
In: 4 2 5 3 3 3 4 4 5 = 33 }

(2) amateur, 70 by A. M. Ross, on July 23rd, 1892, made up thus:—

Out: 6 4 2 5 4 4 4 5 3 = 37 } 70
In: 4 3 4 3 3 4 4 3 5 = 33 }

The par of the green is 69.

The Gullane Club and feuars in the village have now the sole right to play on the Common, under a special agreement with the proprietrix.

Mrs. Hamilton-Ogilvy, of Biel, and the green is kept up entirely at the club's expense. Strangers may, however, play on payment of a small charge.

The most convenient railway station is Drem, four miles from the course. Coaches also run daily from Longniddry Station, six miles distant. At the New Hotel and Golf Hotel the creature comforts of players are attended to.

Last summer an excellent ladies' course was laid out, and several visitors' competitions were held.

HAARLEM.

HAARLEM GOLF CLUB.

The course is at Velsen, near Haarlem, and the hazards are for the most part sand bunkers.

HADDINGTON.

HADDINGTON GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED AUGUST 28TH, 1865.

Annual Subscription, Seven Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, 50. *Captain*—F. Kinloch. *Vice-Captain*—Rev. W. Proudfoot. *Committee*—J. Stirling, J. G. Croal, T. Black, M. McNeill. *Hon. Secretary*—W. T. Ferme, British Linen Company Bank, Haddington. *Greens*—Garleton; and in summer competitions are played over Luffness by special permission.

Club Prizes.—At Luffness: Hogarth Medal (scratch), on May 19th; Wilkinson Trophy (handicap), on July 7th; Somerville Medal (scratch), on September 1st. At Garleton: Ross Medal, on February 16th; Aitchison Medal (by holes) and Captain's Prize (handicap), on October 6th; Club Medal (scratch), on October 27th; Macniven Medal (handicap), on November 17th.

Prize Winners in 1894.—G. McNeill, F. Kinloch, D. Kinloch, W. Merrilees, and J. G. Croal.

Record for Garleton Green, 29, by Rev. W. Proudfoot.

The Garleton course of nine holes is a fair average inland course, with good turf and plenty of hazards. Haddington Station is about a mile and a half distant. Visitors must play with members.

HADDINGTON LADIES' GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1893.

Entrance Fee, Five Shillings; *Annual Subscription*, Seven Shillings and Sixpence. *Number of Members*, 40. *Captain*—Mrs. Ferme. *Joint Hon. Secretaries*—W. T. Ferme and J. G. Croal, Haddington.

The Captain's Gold Brooch is played for monthly.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Mrs. Croal, Mrs. Ferme, Miss H. Cook, Miss M. Vetch, Miss J. J. Howden, and Miss G. Main.

The Green Record is 27, by Mrs. Ferme.

The course of nine holes is situated in the Clerkington Policies.

HAGLEY.

HAGLEY GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED DECEMBER 18TH, 1891.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; Ladies, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Annual Subscription*, 2*l.* 2*s.*; Ladies, Fifteen Shillings; *Number of Members* about 130. *President*—Viscount Cobham. *Captain*—Rev. J. H. Bourne. *Committee*—E. F. Chance, J. P. Grazebrook, F. Grazebrook, W. E. Downing, W. L. Roberts, W. H. King, H. J. Stobart, T. S. Lea, H. T. Williams, G. Macpherson, G. E. Wilson. *Hon. Secretary*—W. H. Grazebrook, The Court, Hagley, near Stourbridge. *Greenkeeper and Professional*—E. Veness, Eastbourne.

Club Prizes.—Scratch Prize at Autumn Meeting; Monthly Medal (final in September); G. F. Chance, Prize (handicap), and Club Prizes at Easter and Autumn Meetings.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Scratch Prize: A. M. Chance, 161 (thirty-six holes). Final Medal: Rev. H. Bourne, 84—5=79. Match Tournament: C. R. Harrison. Iron Club: Autumn Meeting, F. King. Bogey: W. H. Grazebrook.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 76, by W. H. Grazebrook, on October 22nd, 1894.

Record for Green, 34, by E. Veness.

The course of nine holes is situated on somewhat hilly ground called the Monument Hill, belonging to Viscount Cobham. The hazards are trees, ravines, gorse, and a pond, and the turf is always in good order. There is an excellent clubhouse about 200 yards from the green.

HAGUE (THE).

THE HAGUE GOLF CLUB.

The course of nine holes is laid out on the racecourse, about twenty minutes' drive from The Hague. A 'bus runs on club days to the clubhouse. The hazards are bunkers, ditches, palings, trees, &c. The par of the round is 34, but 40 is a good scratch score.

HAMILTON.

HAMILTON GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED AUGUST 26TH, 1892.

The course of twelve holes is beautifully situated in the Hamilton Palace Grounds, and is open only to members and their friends. The Caledonian and North British Railway Stations are about half a mile from the course.

HAMILTON (CANADA).

HAMILTON GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED OCTOBER, 1894.

Entrance Fee, $3.00; *Number of Members*, 25. *President*—Hon. D. MacInnes. *Vice-President*—A. G. Ramsay. *Committee*—A. D. Stewart, A. D. Braithwaite, P. Bankier, F. G. L. Pattison. *Hon. Secretary*—G. Hope, 43, Duke-street, Hamilton, Canada.

The green, which is in the Ontario Jockey Club grounds, is about two miles from the city. The Electric Street Railway runs to the grounds.

HAMPSHIRE.

HANTS AND ISLE OF WIGHT COUNTY GOLF ASSOCIATION, INSTITUTED NOVEMBER 2ND, 1893.

Annual Subscription for each Club, not less than 1*l.* 1*s.* *Hon. Treasurer*—E. H. Buckland, Winchester. *Hon. Secretary*—P. F. Morton, Hook House, Winchfield.

The Amateur Championship of the county is held annually in April. In 1894, F. G. Tait won at Winchester with a score of 162 for 36 holes.

HAMPTON-IN-ARDEN.

NORTH WARWICKSHIRE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MARCH 6TH, 1895.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; Ladies, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; Ladies, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, 50. *President*—The Earl of Aylesford. *Treasurer*—A. E. Heckford. *Hon. Secretary*—C. V. Howett, Hampton-in-Arden. *Committee*—G. J. Eveson, F. Cuthbert, F. L. Lindner, G. Burr, R. Chinn, J. R. Beavon, E. Nicholls.

The course of nine holes is situated on the site of the old Packington Racecourse, about a mile from Hampton-in-Arden Station (L. and N. W. Ry.), and is over a mile and a half round. The ground is black peat, covered with a short wiry moss, which is unaffected by the wettest season, and always keeps short in the summer.

HANDFORTH (CHESHIRE).

HANDFORTH GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED APRIL, 1894.

President—C. Disraeli, M.P. *Captain*—C. J. Edmondson. *Hon. Secretary*—T. C. Eastwood.

The course of nine holes is close to the Handforth Station of the London and North-Western Railway. The longest hole is 500 yards, and the shortest 180 yards, and the par of the round is 34. There is a small club pavilion on the green.

HARBORNE.

HARBORNE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED NOVEMBER, 1893.

Entrance Fee, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 11*s* 6*d.*; *Number of Members*, Gentlemen, 110; Ladies, 40. *President*—Sir H. Wiggin, Bart. *Vice-Presidents*—H. Heaton, F. Ryland, J. Chance. *Captain*—E. P. Wright. *Committee*—A. Godlee, E. B. Holroyd, Dr. Ballaine, C. Jagger, R. Heaton, W. N. Whitehead, E. Bliss. *Treasurer*—F. Carver. *Hon. Secretary*—Dr. G. H. Hart, Heathdale, Harborne, Birmingham. *Green*—Church Farm, Harborne. *Greenkeeper*—F. Wingate.

The club have just entered upon a new ground of thirty acres, with a large clubhouse, and buildings for professional. The new course promises to be an excellent one, and there are plenty of hazards. It is situated about three miles from the centre of Birmingham, and can be approached either by train or 'bus, the station being ten minutes walk from the green, while the 'buses run within 400yds. of it.

HARLECH.

ST. DAVID'S GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MAY, 1894.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 50. *President*—Hon. H. Finch Hatton. *Vice-Presidents*—E. de C. Oakeley, Capt. A.

Corder. *Captain*—W. Lowson. *Hon. Treasurer*—G. B. Bryan. *Committee*—R. P. Allaway, Rev. D. H. Williams, J. Dodd, H. J. Wright, Dr. R. T. Jones. *Hon. Secretary*—W. H. More, Noddfa, Harlech. *Greenkeeper*—J. Edwards.

A Handicap Competition is held on the first Saturday of every month, and other competitions will shortly be fixed.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Silver Bowl (open): John Ball, jun., 75+77=152. President's Cup (open): J. Ball, jun., 75+72=147. Gold Medal: Rev. D. H. Williams, 110−32=78.

Record for Green, 72, by John Ball, jun., on November 2nd, 1894.

The course of eighteen holes is an excellent one, and the hazards are judiciously placed. The greens are good, albeit rather small, a defect which will be seen to in due course. Harlech (Cambrian Railway) is a few hundred yards from the first tee. There are two good hotels—*Castle* and *Lion*—in the town, and excellent private accommodation for visitors; terms reasonable.

HARRINGWORTH.

HARRINGWORTH GOLF CLUB.

No particulars forthcoming.

HARROGATE.

HARROGATE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED APRIL, 1892.

Entrance Fee, 3*l.* 3*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 129. *President*—The Earl of Harewood *Vice-Presidents*—Dr. Myrtle, Dr. Hunt, R. Carter. *Captain*—J. C. Haigh. *Committee*—S. Ambrose, C. Kitchin, Dr. Liddell, W. H. Milner, D. Stuart, G. Morrell, H. Wood, C. E. Prouger, E. B. Cook. *Hon. Treasurer*—B. Nussey. *Hon. Secretaries*—J. E. Thomas, St. Hilda's, and J. T. Booth, 24, West Park, Harrogate. *Greenkeeper*—W. Strachan (of Montrose).

Club Prizes.—Captain's Prizes, in Spring; Club Medal, monthly; and Benn Cup (Bogey) (all handicap).

Prize Winners in 1894.—Club Medal: C. E. Prouger, 105−15=90.

Green Records—(1) Professional, 36, by J. A. Gardner; and (2) Amateur, 47, by H. R. Smith.

The course is situated about a quarter of an hour's walk from the Pump-room, and is thus conveniently placed for those who are taking the waters. As regards picturesqueness of surroundings, it is second

to none in the kingdom. It consists of nine holes, several of which have recently been considerably improved, and the hazards are a plantation, hedges, walls, and ditches. Visitors are allowed to play, upon terms to be ascertained at the pavilion. Upwards of 600 availed themselves of this privilege during the past year.

HARROW.

HARROW GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MAY 31ST, 1892.

Entrance Fee, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Number of Members*, 67. *President*—Rev. J. E. C. Welldon. *Captain*—Dr. Stiven. *Hon. Treasurer*—L. S. Pawle. *Committee*—A. K. Carlyon, Dr. Bridgwater, C. A. Close, Rev. W. D. Bushell, R. T. Hargreaves, Dr. Risk, A. S. Hargreaves. *Hon. Secretary*—H. J. Strickland, Belle Vue, Harrow-on-the-Hill. *Greenkeeper*—J. Jordan.

Club Prizes.—Summer Cup (handicap), match play in June; Autumn Cup (Bogey handicap), in October; Monthly Medal, on the third Saturday in each month, except in August and September, when the dates are the first and last Saturdays respectively; also an Aggregate Prize for the best four scores in the Medal rounds.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Summer Cup: H. E. Farrell. Autumn Cup: A. R. F. Hyslop. Aggregate Prize: L. S. Pawle.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 86, by L. S. Pawle, in June, 1894.

Record for Green, 34, by E. W. F. Stiven.

The green is a nine-hole one, and adjoins the Greenford-road, about a mile and a half from Harrow-on-the-Hill Metropolitan Station, and two and a half miles from Sudbury and Harrow Stations (L. and N.W. Railway). Conveyances may be had at all three stations. 'Buses also run from Harrow to Harrow Station three times daily. The journey from Baker-street Station occupies twenty minutes. The course is a fair one considering the difficulties of a clay soil, and the hazards are a deep valley, which is crossed three times, and broken ground. There is a pavilion for the use of members.

HASTINGS.

HASTINGS AND ST. LEONARDS GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED APRIL, 1893.

The course of nine holes is situated on the East Hill overlooking Old Hastings, and is an excellent one, with many natural hazards. It is about a mile from Hastings Railway Station. Visitors are admitted on payment of five shillings a week.

HATFIELD.

MID HERTS GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1893.

The course is about a mile from Wheathampstead Station (G.N.R.).

HAWICK.

HAWICK GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1877.

Annual Subscription, Ten Shillings; *Number of Members*, 173. *Captain*—J. Scott. *Treasurer*—J. J. Oliver. *Green Manager*—P. Cruickshank. *Committee*—W. Hume, G. P. Ross, W. W. Forsyth, Dr. Mair, J. S. Turner. *Hon. Secretary*—J. Barrie, Solicitor, Hawick. *Greenkeeper*—*J. Elliot.*

Club Prizes.—Silver Medal (scratch), in April; Bombay Medal (handicap), monthly; Monthly and Weekly Handicap Medals; Watson Cup (handicap), in October.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Silver Medal: J. Barrie, 85. Watson Cup: Dr. Mair. Monthly Medal: W. P. Scott. Bombay Medal: R. Stirling. Weekly Medal: J. Purves.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 79, by J. Barrie, on September 1st, 1894, which is the Green Record.

The club green is beautifully situated at Vertish Hill, in the immediate vicinity of the town. It was recently extended to eighteen holes, and it is now one of the best inland greens in Scotland. The view from the course is one of the most extensive in the south of Scotland. A clubhouse is now being erected. 'Bus to the course, 6*d*.

HAWICK LADIES' GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1892.

The ladies have a separate course, and the club bids fair to be a great success.

HAWICK AND WILTON GOLF CLUB.

Captain—A. A. Patterson. *Vice-Captain*—W. L. Watson. *Hon. Secretary*—T. D. Conacher.

BORDER GOLFERS' ASSOCIATION, INSTITUTED 1892.

President—J. Dickson (Melrose). *Hon. Secretary*—J. Barrie, Hawick.

Competitions for scratch and handicap prizes are held twice a year, and are confined to resident members of clubs in the counties of Roxburgh, Selkirk, and Peebles.

HAYDOCK PARK.

HAYDOCK PARK GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1877.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, about 40. *Captain*—Dr. Street. *Committee*—Dr. Worsley, Dr. Handyside, S. S. Brown, G. Clark, R. Barton, E. A. Addy. *Hon. Secretary*—A. Smith, Golborne, Lancashire.

Club Prizes.—Club and Williamson Medals, at Spring and Autumn Meetings; also Clubs and Balls.

A new nine hole course has recently been secured at Dean Moor Field, about a mile from Newton-le-Willows Station.

HAYLING.

HAYLING GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1883.

The course is an eighteen hole one, and abounds with hazards in the shape of whins, shingle, sand hills, and last, but not least, "Jacob's Ladder," a cutting containing water, which has to be crossed twice. The nearest railway station is South Hayling, on the L. B. & S. C. Railway, and the journey from Victoria or London Bridge (change at Havant) only takes about two hours. The Company issue cheap tickets to members of the club in exchange for vouchers which can be had by applying to the Secretary. The return ticket is available for eight days, and the price is 15*s.* first class, and 10*s.* 6*d.* second class. The station is about a quarter of a mile from the links, and an omnibus from the Royal Hotel meets every train. The Royal Hotel, facing the links, is most comfortable, and golfers are boarded for 10*s.* 6*d.* a day inclusive.

HAYLING LADIES' GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JULY 30TH, 1884.

The course consists of nine holes, close to the gentlemen's green.

HEATON CHAPEL.

HEATON MOOR GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MARCH, 1893.

Entrance Fee, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 111. *President*—P. J. Ramsay. *Vice-Presidents*—J. Laidlaw, R. A. Edgar, Dr. Jordan. *Captain and Hon. Treasurer*—A. H. M. Gow. *Committee*—J. F. Walker, S. Marsden, T. B. Glover, W. Wagstaffe,

W. J. Hunt, Rev. W. H. Sinnett, E. Watkin. *Hon. Secretary*—R. Scholes, 49, Princess-street, Manchester. *Greenkeeper*—R. Meiklejohn.

Club Prizes.—Two Monthly Gold Medals, one for players with a handicap under 15, and the other for players with 15 and over.

Prize Winner in 1894.—President's Gold Medal: H. Hyslop, 84.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition (over present course), 84, by A. H. M. Gow.

Records for Green.—(1) Professional, 35, by R. Meiklejohn, 1894; (2) Amateur, 40, by A. H. M. Gow.

The course of nine holes is situated about twelve minutes from Heaton Chapel Station.

HELENSBURGH.

HELENSBURGH GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED SEPTEMBER 15TH, 1893.

The course of nine holes, in circuit about a mile and a half, is situated on the face of the hill overlooking the Firth of Clyde, about a mile and a half from Helensburgh, where there are two excellent hotels.

HELMSDALE.

HELMSDALE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JULY, 1894.

Entrance Fee, Two Shillings and Sixpence; *Annual Subscription*, Two Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, 20. *President*—Rev. A. B. Scott. *Captain*—J. J. Munro. *Committee*—J. Thomson, J. Stevens, C. McKenzie. *Hon. Secretary*—J. Macmillan, Dunrobin-street, Helmsdale. *Greenkeeper*—D. McAskill.

Record for Green, 43, by M. McDonald, Dornoch, on August 30th, 1894.

The course of nine holes is situated about one and a half miles from Helmsdale Railway Station. There are a fair number of hazards. There is hotel accommodation for visitors.

HENBURY.

HENBURY GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1891.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, Gentlemen, 1*l.* 1*s.*; Ladies, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, 112, limited to 60 in addition to those residing in the parish of Henbury. *President*—A. Baker. *Vice-President*,—A. Robinson. *Committee*—Major Archdale, H. C. Baker,

E. Baker, W. H. Yetteris, H. V. Pedden, Miss M. Miles, Miss A. Harford, Miss A. Way, Miss E. Baker, Miss G. M. Baker. *Hon. Treasurer*—Mrs. Way. *Secretary*—B. Matthews, Henbury, Bristol. *Ladies' Hon. Secretary*—Miss M. Miles. *Greenkeeper*—J. Pople.

An Open Meeting will be held on Easter Monday and Tuesday, and a Monthly Handicap on third Saturday in each month.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 86, in December, 1894, by Major Archdale.

The course, which has this year been lengthened and improved, consists of nine holes, and is situated on Combe Hill, near Bristol, about two and a half miles from Clifton Down Station. Visitors may be introduced by members for three days free of charge, after which there is a charge of 1*s.* a day, 2*s.* 6*d.* a week, or 5*s.* a month.

HENLEY.

PEPPARD GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MARCH, 1894.

Annual Subscription, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 60. *Committee*—G. E. Brakspear, Colonel H. Davis, R. H. C. Harrison, H. Taylor, Rev. M. P. Williams. *Hon. Secretary*—R. W. Maude, 11, Rosary-gardens, London, S.W.

Club Prizes.—Silver Medal (scratch) and Taylor Cup (handicap), on Easter Monday, and in September.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Silver Medal: V. F. Maude, 97. Taylor Cup: A. C. Havers, 98 − 14 = 84.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 93, by W. W. Barlow.

Record for Green, 40, by W. W. Barlow, on September 17th, 1894.

The course of nine holes is situated on Peppard Common (3½ miles from Henley), on the Chiltern Hills, about 380 feet above sea level. The round is short, but the hazards, which comprise a deep chalk pit, furze, &c., make it one of the most sporting to be found anywhere. There is a club-room and accommodation for golfers at the Red Lion Inn, on the common, close to the first tee and last hole. Tea and luncheon can be had there. A pavilion will shortly be erected. The charge for caddies is 4*d.* a round.

HEXHAM.

HEXHAM GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1892.

The course of nine holes is situated about a quarter of a mile from Hexham station.

HITCHIN.

HITCHIN AND NORTH HERTS GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1892.

Annual Subscription, 1*l.*; *Number of Members*, limited to 16, all of whose friends and families can play. *President*—F. A. D. Radcliffe. *Captain*—W. J. Hughes. *Committee*—W. Hill, W. O. Times, E. B. Lindsell. *Hon. Secretary* W. Lucas, Firs, Hitchin.

Club Prizes.—Monthly Medal and Ladies Brooch (handicap), on middle Thursday in every month.

Prize Winners in 1894.—W. A. Pope, 121; B. V. S. Domvile, 117; J. Stilwell, 118; R. A. Walls, 100; W. J. Hughes, 79; A. E. C. Trotter, 104; R. A. Walls, 124; Fry, 108.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 79, on September 13th, 1894, by W. J. Hughes.

Record for Green, 39, by W. J. Hughes.

The course of nine holes is situated within ten minutes' walk of Hitchin Station. The distances between the holes vary from 170 yards to 330 yards, and the hazards consist of a road and iron fence, crossed three times, a hedge and ditch twice, a dry ditch twice, besides a pond and several ditches to catch crooked strokes. The majority of the holes being on Hitchin Common, and the rest on fields adjoining. Great credit is due to the Hon. Secretary, who originally laid out the course, and on whom all the work of improving and keeping the greens in order has practically fallen.

HOLMES CHAPEL.

HOLMES CHAPEL GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED APRIL 22ND, 1893.

The course of nine holes is about half a mile from the station (L. & N.W.R.). The hazards are ponds, ditches, hedges, fences, a bank, and rabbit holes, and the putting greens are natural. The turf is firm and the grass short. The par of the round is 34, but 38 is a really good scratch score. Holmes Chapel is reached from Manchester in fifty-five minutes, and from Crewe in twenty minutes.

HOLYHEAD.

TRE-ARDDUR GOLF CLUB.

Annual Subscription, 1*l.*; Ladies, Five Shillings; Temporary Members are admitted at Two Shillings and Sixpence per week.

Enquiries should be addressed to the Hon. Secretary, Tre-Arddur Bay Hotel, Holyhead, or to the proprietor of the Hotel, which is on the links. The links are occasionally allowed to get a bit out of order when visitors are few, but they provide fair golf. They are situated on the western side of Holy Island, about two miles from Holyhead Station.

HONG KONG.

HONG KONG GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1889.

Entrance Fee, Five Dollars; *Annual Subscription*, Six Dollars; *Number of Members*, 100. *Captain*—Commodore Boyes, R.N. *Committee*—H. L. Dalrymple, Capt. Rumsey, G. W. Playfair, E. A. Ram. *Hon. Secretary*—Lieut. W. M. Thompson, Royal Engineers, Hong Kong.

Green Record, 34, by Captain Dumbleton, R.E.

The Wong Hei Chong or Happy Valley course consists of nine holes. The length is about 2500 yards, the hazards being small water ditches bounding the racecourse, and a large drain called the Burn, which, during the summer rains, becomes a raging torrent. There is a small gang of Chinese caddies, who are not only excellent in their own department, but show promise of becoming good players, their style with improvised clubs of their own making being almost perfect.

A second green at Deep Water Bay was laid out in October, 1893. It consists of eight very sporting but rather short holes.

HUDDERSFIELD.

HUDDERSFIELD GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED NOVEMBER, 1891.

Entrance Fee, 6*l.* 6*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 2*l.* 2*s.*; other rates for ladies and those living outside of a radius of ten miles. *Number of Members*, 440. *President*—Earl of Dartmouth. *Captain*—Dr. F. L. Mackenzie. *Treasurer*—J. Wilkinson. *Committee*—G. H. Edgecumbe, A. F. Firth, H. Huth, A. E. Learoyd, L. Middlemost, N. Nugent, F. H. Shaw, Rev. J. T. Taylor. *Hon. Secretary*—A. L. Woodhead, Longdenholme, Huddersfield. *Greenkeeper*—A. Herd.

Club Prizes.—Scratch: Backhouse Cup, in March; Huth Cup in April; Dartmouth Bowl in September and October. Handicap:

Foursomes, in February and March; Holliday Bowl, in May: Club Challenge Bowl, in September.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Huth Cup: H. Crosland. Holliday Cup: G. H. Edgecumbe, 98+99=197−30=167. Club Challenge Bowl: A. W. Reith, 100+102=202−42=160. Dartmouth Bowl: F. E. Woodhead.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 81, by A. L. Woodhead, on September 15th, 1894.

Records for Green.—(1) Professional, 69, by A. Herd, on October 7th, 1893; (2) Amateur, 75, by A. E. Learoyd, in June, 1894.

The course consists of eighteen holes, covering about three miles of ground. The hazards are plantations, dykes, ponds, and a quarry. Huddersfield Station is two miles away, but trams run half-way. Cabs and hansoms are to be hired at ordinary rates. The clubhouse is an old hall, of which the club use the large entrance hall, and excellent smoke-room, luncheon-room, dressing-room, billiard-room, and lavatories. There are rooms also for the ladies, and a workroom for the professional. This makes a splendid clubhouse, and there are few better inland courses, and members come from many adjoining towns.

The first meeting of the newly formed Yorkshire Union was held on the course, and was a complete success, every visitor expressing the highest approval of the green and clubhouse.

HUNSTANTON.

HUNSTANTON GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MARCH 11TH, 1891.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 91. *President*—H. le Strange. *Captain*—J. C. Morgan-Brown. *Hon. Treasurer*—Dr. C. R. Whitty. *Committee*—W. F. Hunt, C. H. Wade, R. le Strange, Rev. H. D. Barrett, G. Carrick, G. H. Fryer, J. Thompson. *Secretary*—C. J. Watson, The Bank, Hunstanton. *Greenkeeper*—J. Hughes.

Club Prizes.—Residents' Cup (open), Club Cup for members only (both handicap), and other prizes.

The course of nine holes has of late been much improved. A handsome clubhouse has been erected, and the club now hold the ground direct from the landlord, which will enable them to keep the rabbits within reasonable bounds. The hazards are cart tracks, sand bunkers, marshy ground, and rushes. The par of the round is 35. There is good accommodation to be had close to the links, and visitors are welcome. The charge for play is 5*s.* per week, or 10*s.* a month. The course is a mile and a half from the railway station

HUNTINGDON.

HUNTINGDON COUNTY GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1889.

Entrance Fee, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.*; *Number of Members*, about 70. *President*—Earl of Sandwich. *Committee*—F. Veasey, A. S. W. Weeling, J. A. Fielden, R. Lindsell, J. P. Mante, and Gen. Bevan. *Hon. Secretary*—Captain H. Kinloch, Huntingdon. *Greenkeeper*—W. Seaman.

No prizes are offered for competition, as the Committee very wisely have decided to discourage "modern golf."

Green Record, 40, by T. Fitzherbert.

The course is a nine hole one, about half a mile from Huntingdon Station (G.N.R.). Play only lasts from September to April or May.

The accommodation for visitors is very good, and they can play free of charge for a week.

HUNTLY.

HUNTLY GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED NOVEMBER 28TH, 1892.

The course of nine holes is laid out along the slopes on the right bank of the River Bogie, close to Gordon Castle, permission having been granted by the Duke of Richmond.

HYÈRES.

HYÈRES GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MARCH 9TH, 1894.

Entrance Fee, Twelve Francs Fifty Cents; *Annual Subscription*, Sixty Francs. *President*—Colonel St. J. Barne. *Hon. Vice-Presidents*—Earl of Erne, Rt. Hon. A. J. Balfour, M.P., Sir. T. Sutherland, K.C.M.G., M.P., Count de Beauregard, Count de Lèautaud, Prince de Rohan. *Captain*—Captain Slazenger. *Committee*—Colonel Leyland-Needham, F. J. Patton, Wm. Peel, F. C. Rowe, R. Fogg, J. R. Corbett, J. B. W. Maunder, J. Roberts, R. H. Caird. *Hon. Secretary*—G. R. Corbett, British Vice-Consul, Hyères, France. *Greenkeeper and Professional*—W. Hamlet.

Club Prizes.—Prince de Rohan Prize (Tournament), on February 8th and 9th; Corporation Silver Cup (handicap), open to annual and

season members only, on February 18th; Ladies Prizes, presented by Hon. Secretary, on February 20th; Captain's Silver Cup, on February 23rd.

Records for Green.—(1) Professional, 38, by W. Hamlet, in January last; (2) Amateur, 35, by F. J. Patton, in December, 1894.

The course of nine holes is situated on the banks of the river, ten minutes' drive from the town, and is covered with beautiful turf. The length of the holes varies from 110 to 350 yards. A break leaves Costebelle daily for the green, passing through the town, and omnibuses will run frequently. Hyères is the most southerly and the nearest winter station on the Rivièra, being only twenty-eight hours from London.

HYTHE.

HYTHE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED OCTOBER, 1894.

Number of Members, about 200.

A Medal is played for on the first Saturday of each month.

Green Record, 35, by D. Rolland.

The course of nine holes is situated on the high ground close to Hythe Railway Station. It is very hilly, the lies through the green good, and the greens large, well cared for, and wavy. The course can be considerably lengthened by putting back the tees if necessary, and a few more hazards will be hereafter constructed. The length of the holes is as follows: 260, 275, 270, 272, 170, 320, 280, 342, and 121 yards. Par score, 34.

ILFRACOMBE.

ILFRACOMBE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED NOVEMBER, 1892.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.*; *Annual Subscription*, Seven Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, 21 Ladies, 28 Gentlemen. *President*—W. Bertram. *Vice-President*—Right Hon. A. J. Balfour, M.P. *Committee*—C. Darbyshire, H. Leatham, D. Guilding. *Hon. Secretary*—F. R. Boatfield, Bank, Ilfracombe.

Record for Green, 47.

The course of nine holes is situated at Mullacott, about a mile and a half from Ilfracombe Station, and being on a high table land commands splendid views of Wales, the Bristol Channel, and the Devonshire Torrs. The greens are in wonderful condition considering there is no greenkeeper. Ample accommodation for visitors is to be had in Ilfracombe.

ILKLEY.

ILKLEY GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JULY 1ST, 1890.

Entrance Fee, 3*l.* 3*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 2*l.* 2*s.*; and for members residing outside twenty mile radius, and

being members of a recognised Golf Club, 1*l.* 1*s.*, without entrance fee; members of H.M. Regular Forces, 1*l.* 1*s.*, without entrance fee; *Number of Members*, 200. *President*—R. H. Braithwaite. *Captain*—Rev. I. Smith. *Hon. Treasurer*—B. Hirst. *Committee*—T. A. Carpenter, W. F. Douglas, E. Fletcher, L. Glyde, P. N. Lee, A. Potter, R. G. Scott, W. H. Scott, S. M. Yoxall. *Hon. Secretaries*—B. Hirst and A. W. Godby, Ghyll Royd, Ilkley (to whom all communications should be addressed). *Greenkeeper*—T. Vardon.

Club Prizes.—Gold Record Medal (scratch); Menston Challenge Shield; Booth Cup; Steinthal Cup; Christmas Cup; Silver Putter; and Monthly Medal (all handicap).

Prize Winners in 1894.—Buckley Cup (final): E. G. Kitson. Christmas Cup: P. N. Lee and A. Potter. Steinthal Cup: P. N. Lee. Silver Putter: J. C. Shaw. 1893 Monthly Medal (final): Dr. H. Turner.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 79, by R. S. Backhouse, in October, 1894.

Record for two rounds of Green, 72, by T. Vardon.

The course of nine holes is laid out on Ilkley Moor. The greens are very good. The clubhouse is a mile from Ilkley Station, to which there are frequent trains from Leeds, Bradford, and Skipton. Friends of members may be introduced by members to the privileges of the green and clubhouse (except club competitions for prizes) without payment, on not exceeding three days in each year, on their names being inserted in the visitors' book. Members shall not be entitled to exercise this privilege during the Christmas, Easter, and Whitsuntide holidays, and only on Saturdays by payment of 2*s.* 6*d.* for each friend. The Committee may admit visitors to the privileges of the green and clubhouse for a period not exceeding four weeks during the year, on payment to the treasurer by the introducing member (who shall be responsible for such payment) of the following payments: During the Christmas, Easter, and Whitsuntide holidays, and the months of July, August, and September, the sum of 10*s.* for each week or part of a week. During the remainder of the year, visitors not being members of a recognised Golf Club, 10*s.* for each week or part of a week; and visitors who are members of a recognised Golf Club, 5*s.* for each week or part of a week. Visitors are not allowed to play on Saturdays. There were over 600 visitors last year.

INNELLAN.

INNELLAN GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED OCTOBER, 1891.

Innellan is situated on the Firth of Clyde, between Duncon and Toward Lighthouse, and immediately opposite to Wemyss Bay. With

the exception of a few residents it is almost deserted in the winter months, but during summer the houses (of which there are about 300) are very well let, owing to Innellan being so conveniently situated for daily travellers from Glasgow and Greenock, as it is within an hour and a quarter's distance from Glasgow by rail and steamer. The links are situated immediately behind the Royal Hotel, and the ground adapts itself very well for the purposes of golf. The course consists of nine holes, and the view from it is very fine, embracing the whole of the estuary of the Clyde, from Goat Fell to Loch Long.

INNERLEITHEN.

INNERLEITHEN GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED SEPTEMBER 22ND, 1886.

Annual Subscription, Five Shillings (minimum); *Number of Members*, 60. *Hon. President*—Sir C. Tennant, Bart. *Captain*—G. H. Gibson-Carmichael. *Vice-Captain*—Dr. Cameron. *Treasurer*—A. Robertson. *Committee*—Dr. Orr, M. G. Thorburn, J. S. Smail, R. T. Robertson, W. Hall, J. M. Gunn, F. J. Dalziel. *Hon. Secretary*—W. Stobie, Solicitor, Innerleithen. *Greenkeeper*—W. Forrest.

Club Prizes.—Silver Driver and Championship of Club (scratch), in May; Captain's Silver Vase (handicap), on fourth Saturday of each month; Robertson Inkstand (handicap), on fourth Saturday of January, March, May, October.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Silver Jug (Bogey): R. C. Smail. Monthly Medal: W. Hall. Gold Medal: T. Weir. Gold Medal: A. Robertson. Championship and Silver Driver: A. Robertson.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 75, by A. Robertson, on August 25th, 1894.

Record for Green, 32, by A. Robertson, in October, 1894.

The course is a nine hole one, and there are hazards in the shape of walls, ditches, and a river. The putting greens are kept in excellent order. The green is twenty minutes' walk from the station; cab hires and good accommodation can be obtained at The Traquair Arms and St. Ronan's Hotels.

INVERALLOCHY.

INVERALLOCHY GOLF CLUB.

Captain—Lieut.-Col. F. Mackenzie Fraser, of Inverallochy, Aberdeenshire.

As this club is entirely one of fishermen, and there is no regular play, it is difficult to obtain any accurate information.

INVERARAY.

INVERARAY GOLF CLUB.

No particulars forthcoming.

INVERGORDON.

INVERGORDON GOLF GLUB.

No particulars forthcoming.

INVERNESS.

INVERNESS GOLF CLUB. INSTITUTED 1883.

Annual Subscription. Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, 150. *President*—R. B. Finlay, Q.C. *Captain*—A. McHardy. *Hon. Secretary*—A. F. Steele, Bank of Scotland, Inverness. *Green*—The Longman. *Greenkeeper*—F. McIver.

Club Prizes.—Ivory and Thoms Medals (scratch); Ness Castle Club, Spring. Blair Medals (handicap).

Prize Winners in 1894.—Ivory Medal: J. Allan. Thoms Medal: W. A. Inglis. Spring Medal: G. A. Allan. Ness Castle Medal: J. Birnie. Blair Medal: W. A. Inglis.

The course lies quite close to the town on the shore of the Firth. It consists of nine holes, and has as hazards bunkers, dykes, and whins. The putting greens are excellent. A clubhouse is in course of erection.

IPSWICH.

IPSWICH GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1894.

A course of eighteen holes is being laid out on Rushmere Heath, and it is hoped nine holes will soon be ready for play.

IRELAND.

GOLFING UNION OF IRELAND, INSTITUTED NOVEMBER 13TH, 1891.

Hon. Treasurer—H. C. Kelly, Mountpottinger-road, Belfast. *Hon. Secretary*—G. Combe, 3, High-street, Belfast.

The following clubs are affiliated: Royal County, Dungannon, Co. Down, Royal Belfast, Killymoon, Aughnacloy, Ballycastle,

Portsalon, North West, Royal Dublin, Lisburn, Otway, Shanes Park, Lurgan, Armagh, Rostrevor, Warrenpoint, Ormeau, Foxrock, Belmont, Sligo, Bush Foot, Co. Louth, Lahinch.

An Open Amateur Championship and an Irish-born Amateur Championship are held annually, under the auspices of the Union.

The Hon. Secretary will be glad to supply golfers visiting Ireland with any information in his power.

IRVINE.

IRVINE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MARCH 19TH, 1887.

Entrance Fee, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, Fifteen Shillings; *Number of Members*, 150. *Patron*—Earl of Eglinton and Winton. *Captain*—J. Stewart. *Committee*—T. R. Smart, J. J. McNaughton, R. J. Hamilton, W. C. Wilson, R. Boyd, J. Black, W. Mitchell. *Hon. Secretary*—J. N. Murray, Solicitor, 1, Park-terrace, Irvine. *Greenkeeper*—T. McLean.

Club Prizes.—Gold Badge (monthly medal winners) in March: Heathfield Medal (handicap), monthly; Stewart Cup (handicap) in May; Blythswood Cup (handicap), in July.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Monthly Medal (best four scores): D. Baird. Special Club Prizes: D. Baird, J. N. Murray. McGilliveay Medal: A. Baird, 82—3=79. Blythswood Cup: P. B. Highet, 87—12=75: Foursome Tournament: J. Black and D. A. Gilmore. Singles Tournament: W. G. McAndrew.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 76, by D. Baird on September 15, 1894.

Green Records.—(1) Professional, 73, by A. Kirkcaldy, on June 29, 1894. (2) Amateur, 71, by R. Adam.

The links at Bogside have an admirable situation, and the course of eighteen holes, extending to about three miles, has been laid out and utilised to the best advantage. In view of a professional tournament, which was held over the course in June, 1894, several holes were altered and new hazards made, and the course is now justly regarded as one of the best in the West of Scotland. From the course a splendid view is obtained of the Firth of Clyde, with Ailsa Craig and Airan in the distance. The links are about ten minutes' walk from Irvine. There are two railway stations in Irvine, and both quite convenient. The Glasgow and South-Western and the Caledonian Railways have each stations at Bogside, within two or three minutes' walk of the course. Arrangements have been being made for a regular service of trains to and from Bogside for the convenience of golfers.

IRVINE LADIES' GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1893.

No particulars forthcoming.

ISLAY.

ISLAY GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED APRIL, 1891.

Annual Subscription, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, 140. *Captain*—P. J. Mackie. *Committee*—Dr. Gilmour, D. T. Martin, A. T. Hay. *Hon. Secretary*—P. Reid, Tighcargaman, Port Ellen. *Green*—Machrie. *Greenkeeper*—J. McMillan.

Club Prizes.—Wilson Medal (handicap), on last Saturday of each month; Lagavulin Quaich (handicap), in August.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 81, by A. E. Orr, in July, 1892, which is the amateur record. The professional record is 76, by W. Fernie, Troon.

The course of eighteen holes was very fully described in the special article, "Golf in Islay," which appeared in last year's ANNUAL.

Islay is reached by 8.30 a.m. train from Central Station Glasgow, to Gourock (every day except Monday and Thursday), thence by steamer viâ Tarbert to Port Ellen, which is reached at 4 p.m. The links are four miles from the pier. There are two excellent hotels in Port Ellen, both of which run conveyances to the links, where accommodation may also be had in Machrie House by engaging rooms beforehand. The par of the round is 74.

ISLE OF MAN.

CASTLETOWN GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JUNE 1ST, 1892.

Entrance Fee, Ten Shillings; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Non-Residents*, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Hon. Secretary*—T. M. Dodd, Cronk-y-Cree, Castletown, Isle of Man.

The course is situated near the village of Derbyhaven, almost adjoining King William's College playground, and about one mile from Castletown Railway Station. There are eighteen holes, and the course is about three miles in extent, with Castletown Bay on one side and Derbyhaven Bay on the other. The hazards consist of sand bunkers, seashore, and gorse bushes. The turf is exceptionally good, and even after torrents of rain is dry almost immediately. Visitors may have monthly, fortnightly, weekly, or daily tickets by applying to the Secretary, who will be glad to give any information. There is plenty of good accommodation for visitors in Castletown and in the village of Derbyhaven, where bathing, boating, and fishing may be enjoyed. The links are within half an hour by rail of Port Erin, where the best accommodation may be had in the Falcon's Nest Hotel, and there is also a licensed hotel on the course, where golfers are catered for on reasonable terms.

DOUGLAS GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED NOVEMBER, 1892.

Annual Subscription, Resident Members, 1*l.* 1*s.*; Non-resident Members, 10*s.* 6*d.*; Ladies, 7*s.* 6*d.*; *Number of Members*, 120. *President*—G. Drinkwater. *Captain*—T. Kneen. *Hon. Treasurer*—W. F. Dickinson. *Committee*—Rev. R. B. Baron, Rev. C. H. Leed, J. H. Quine, T. S. Atkinson, T. Cubbon, J. Cubbon. *Hon. Secretary*—W. A. Hutchinson, The Groves, Union Mills. *Hon. Assistant Secretary* — R. D. Gelling, Windsor-road, Douglas. *Greenkeeper*—W. Kelly.

Club Prizes.—Club Medal and Championship (scratch), in Spring; Hutchinson Cup; Monthly Medal, in Spring.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Club Championship: T. Kneen. Hutchinson Cup: T. Kneen, J. H. Quine, A. W. Moore, E. C. Kneen, W. A. Gell, T. S. Atkinson.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 87, by T. Kneen, on November 29th, 1894.

Records for Green.—(1) *Professional*, 39, by P. Ward; (2) *Amateur*, 39, by T. Kneen.

The par of the green when at full length is 36.

The course of nine holes, a five years' lease of which has been granted by Mr. G. Drinkwater, the proprietor, is situated in a valley, about half a mile from Douglas, and the holes are usually the following lengths:—150, 200, 284, 185, 225, 260, 250, 355, 182 yards. When the football season is over the first and last holes are lengthened to 376 and 426 yards respectively. A river is crossed and re-crossed, and forms an ever-present hazard. A shorter ladies' course avoids the river hazard. A clubhouse is erected near the "Quarterbridge." Visitors are admitted at a small charge. Steamers cross in a few hours to Douglas from Liverpool, Fleetwood, Barrow, Whitehaven, Maryport, and Silloth, and in a little longer from Dublin and Glasgow.

RAMSEY GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED SEPTEMBER 27TH, 1891.

The course of nine holes is situated at Milntown. The hazards consist of cops, trees, and roads. There is a good clubhouse on the ground, and the members of a social club in the town are always pleased to admit visitor members of the Golf Club.

ISLE OF WIGHT.

ROYAL ISLE OF WIGHT GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED AUGUST, 1882.

Entrance Fee, 5*l.* 5*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 2*l.* 2*s.*; non-players, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 250. *Patron*—

H.R.H. The Prince of Wales. *President*—General H.S.H. Prince Edward of Saxe-Weimar. *Vice-Presidents*—Marquis of Exeter, Earl of Lichfield, Lord Colville, Hon. E. Ashley, Captain Harvey, J. S. Henry, H. G. Smith, C. Tottenham, Sir R. E. Webster, Q.C., M.P., and G. Le Marchant. *Captain*—Capt. H. F. Twynam. *Hon. Treasurer*—Lieut.-Col. W. L. N. Clayton. *Committee*—Col. Le Marchant, W. F. Fisher, Rev. C. Shilson, Lieut.-Col. E. Howard-Brooke, Major Hamilton, M. Tabuteau, Capt. R. Alexander, W. H. D. Ward, Sir H. Pottinger, Bart., H. Michell. *Hon. Secretary*—D. Knight, The Ducie, Bembridge, I. of Wight. *Green*—Bembridge. *Greenkeeper*—J. Tolmie.

Club Prizes. Scratch. Eaton Challenge Shield at Spring Meeting; Tottenham Gold Medal at Autumn Meeting; St. Andrew's Cross, on St. Andrew's Day; Bembridge Gold Medal at Christmas Meeting. Handicap—Eaton Memorial Gold Putter at Christmas Meeting; Webster Cup and Leslie-Melville Prize and Cross at Summer Meeting; Moreton Cup on St. Andrew's Day.

The Record for the Green is 74, by A. Toogood, professional. Handicaps are based on a scratch score of 86.

The establishment of this club was undoubtedly due to the energy of the late Capt. J. S. Eaton, R.N., its first Secretary. The links are delightfully situated on the sea coast between Bembridge and St. Helens. They consist of nine holes, and are one and three-quarter miles round. One great advantage is the comparatively mild climate in winter, and snow is seldom seen on the links. The railway stations of St. Helens and Bembridge are both within half a mile. From the latter, the golfer must cross the ferry and is landed on the links. There is accommodation of a first-class character at the Royal Spithead Hotel, Bembridge, the club's headquarters.

ISLE OF WIGHT LADIES' GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED OCTOBER 2ND, 1893.

Annual Subscription, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 90. *Captain*—H.R.H. Princess Henry of Battenberg. *Hon. Treasurer*—Miss Fane. *Committee*—Mrs. M. Tabuteau, Mrs. J. N. Palmer, Mrs. L. Le Marchant, Mrs. Moreton, Mrs. J. F. C. Hamilton, Miss Henry. *Hon. Secretary*—M. Tabuteau, Woodlands, Bembridge. *Greenkeeper*—H. Rawlins.

The course, which is laid out on the Harbour Links, Bembridge, consists of nine holes, the circuit being 1200 yards. The holes vary in length from 70 yards to 180 yards, and the hazards are whins, plantations, a barn, ponds, &c. There is a small club pavilion.

NEEDLES GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED DECEMBER, 1888.

Annual Subscription, 1*l.* 1*s.*; Ladies, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; Visitors, Seven Shillings a week, £1 a month; *Number of Members*, 50 and 43 ladies. *Patrons*—Sir R. Webster, Q.C., M.P., C. Seely, M.P., Col. Crozier, E. G. Ward, A. R. C. Connell. *Captain*—Capt. H. A. Inglis, R.A. *Committee*—Lieut. C. G. Pritchard, R.A., Capt. Cuming, R.A., G. Pickering. *Hon. Secretary*—Dr. C. B. Hands, Glendalough, Wilmington, Totland Bay. *Greenkeeper*—C. Newbury.

Club Prizes.—Playfair Medal (scratch), half-yearly; Crozier Cup and Connell Medal (handicap) at Easter and September meetings; Seely Bowl (handicap limited to 18) and Ward Cup (Bogey) in January and July; and Club Prize (handicap), to be competed for by winners of monthly sweepstakes, in June.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Seely Bowl: January, F. Tankard, 88; July, Dr. Hands, 102. Ward Cup: January, Capt. Cuming; July, Dr. Hands. Playfair Medal: May, F. W. W. Graham, 94; September, F. Tankard, 92. Crozier Cup: March, Major Anderson, 99; September, Lieut. Lockhart. Connell Medal: March, J. Dover, 110; September, Capt. Inglis, 95. Club Prize: J. Dover, 106.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 75, by F. W. W. Graham, on 30th May, 1894.

Green Record—36, by F. W. W. Graham, on above date.

The course of nine holes is situated on the Needles Downs, 400ft. above sea level, and commands splendid views of the Solent and south-west coast of the Isle of Wight. The grass is always short and the course a very dry one. The principal hazards are gorse, heather, cart ruts fifty yards across in places, and a few artificial banks and ditches. There is also the risk of the ball rolling down the hill at various parts of the round and a possibility of its going over the cliffs. The chief difficulty to the beginner or a short driver is, however, getting up the hill to the first hole, and this is increased on the second round by the teeing ground being placed behind a large chalk pit in the hillside. The last green is situated in an old quarry, the various slopes of which make it an exceptionally pretty one. The following is a list of the holes with distances: (1) Up the Hill, 123 yards; (2) Bank, 253 yards; (3) Cliff, 430 yards: (4) Middle, 175 yards; (5) Westward Ho, 300 yards; (6) Land's End, 230 yards; (7) Eastward Ho, 350 yards; (8) Hole in Gorse, 111 yards; (9) Punch Bowl, 250 yards. Handicaps are based on Bogey score of 80. The

one of the record is 34. The club rooms are close to the first teeing ground, about one mile from Totland Bay and two from Freshwater. There are several lodging houses close to the links, where lunch can be obtained. Alum Bay Pier and Hotel are about one mile distant, Totland Bay Pier and Hotel two miles, and Freshwater Station two miles.

VENTNOR GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1893.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Number of Members*, 100. *President*—H. Michell. *Vice-Presidents*—Sir R. Webster, Q.C., M.P., J. S. Henry, R. Pope. *Captain*—M. B. Huish. *Hon. Treasurer*—W. L. Dundee. *Committee*—H. B. Bacon, Dr. G. H. Bell, H. J. Burt, Rev. A. P. Clayton, Dr. Coghill, E. Waltham, Col. Goodchild, J. Henderson, W. M. Judd, J. G. Livesay, Col. Mahlon, Sir H. Pottinger, Bart. *Hon. Secretary*—Commander E. W. Burt, R.N., Danebury, Ventnor. *Greenkeeper*—W. Griffiths.

Club Prizes. Mrs. Michell's Cup, on February 1st, April 20th, and July 27th. Henderson Prize, on March 9th, August 9th, and December 27th. Waltham Cup, on March 30th, June 29th, September 20th, and December 28th. President's Shield, on April 14th. Town Cup, on April 19th and October 3rd. Huish Prize, on June 6th (all handicap).

Prize Winners in 1894. President's Shield: H. J. Burt, 98—15=83, Waltham Cup: H. Michell, 107—11=96. Town Cup: H. Michell, 122—16=106. and Capt. E. P. Jones, R.N., 115—24=91. Saltarn Badge: E. Waltham, 98—13=85.

Green Records. (1) Professional, 38, by D. Herd; (2) Amateur, 43. Par score, 32.

The course of nine holes is situated on the old racecourse on Saw Down, about 600 feet above the sea, whence it commands magnificent views. The total length of the round is 2026 yards, the longest hole being 331 yards, and the shortest 88 yards. The chief hazards are whins. Ventnor is distant a little over a mile. A bus runs from the Royal Hotel close to the green, on which there is a club hut.

Visitors are admitted to play for two days on introduction by members, afterwards for a week or 10*s.* a month. Most of the hotels will arrange for golfers at 10*s.* 6*d.* a day inclusive.

JEDBURGH.

JEDBURGH GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED NOVEMBER 14TH, 1892.

Entrance Fee, Ten Shillings; *Annual Subscription*, Ten Shillings; *Number of Members*, 137. *Captain*—

Sheriff Speirs. *Vice-Captain*, W. Rutherford. *Committee*—Provost Laidlaw, A. Sturrock, W. C. Stedman, J. H. Brown, R. Kirkcaldy, J. S. Miller, J. L. Smart. *Hon. Secretary*—E. R. Richardson, British Linen Bank, Jedburgh. *Greenkeeper*—G. Sword.

Club Prizes.—Speirs Cup (handicap), in October: Laidlaw Medal (handicap), in April.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Speirs Cup: D. O. Ramsay. Laidlaw Medal: R. Douglas.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 88, on May 24th, 1894, by W. Rutherford.

Record for Green, 42, by W. Rutherford.

The course is a nine hole one situated at Dunion, a mile from Jedburgh. It can be played on all the year.

JERSEY.

ROYAL JERSEY GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1878.

Entrance Fee, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 10*s.*; *Number of Members*, 90. *Patron*—The Lieut.-Governor of Jersey. *Captain*—Major H. A. Scott, R.A. *Committee*—Capt. Fairlie, R. B. Lattimer, D. Turnbull, T. W. Barker, Colonel Mackenzie, A. F. G. Brown, O. Belk. *Hon. Secretary*—Capt. T. S. Robin, 4, Claremont-terrace. *Green*—Grouville Common. *Greenkeeper*—T. Butel.

Club Prizes—Challenge Cup (handicap); Brewster Clubs (handicap); Robin Medals (scratch), open to resident members only; Visitors Prize (handicap); Prince of Wales' Volunteers Cup (handicap); Victoria College Challenge Shield (handicap); Clutton Cup (scratch), for the best score at the meeting; prize for best net aggregate given by officers of Royal Artillery, at Spring and Autumn Meetings; Bumble Bee Gold Medal (handicap), at Spring Meeting; Robin Cup (handicap), at Autumn Meeting; Brown Cup and other prizes at Christmas Meeting.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Challenge Cup: Spring, Captain Palmes, 107−18=89; Autumn, E. B. Pusey, 96−14=82. Brewster Clubs: Spring, Captain Le Feuvre, 96−7=89; Autumn, Dr. Lakey, 105−18=87. Robin Medals—Spring: Silver, S. Robin, 88; Bronze, Colonel Mackenzie, 88. Autumn: Silver, S. Robin, 93; Bronze, Major Scott, R.A., 94. Visitors' Prize: Spring, L. S. Anderson, 83+6=89; Autumn, T. S. Dobree, 107−10=97. Bumble Bee Gold Medal: J. M. Martin, 102−18=84. Colonel P. Robins' Cup: F. H. McLeane, 91−10=81. Officers of Prince of Wales' Volunteers' Cup: Spring, A. C. Salmonson, 99−12=87; Autumn, H. E. Atkinson, 86 (scratch).

Victoria College Challenge Shield: Spring, A. Jagger, 100—18=82; Autumn, General Fellowes, 93—11=82. Clutton Cup: Spring, H. G. Hutchinson, 82. Autumn, H. E. Atkinson, 85. Officers of Royal Artillery Cup for Net Average: Spring, A. C. Salmonson, 90½; Autumn, R. Marett, 88½. Christmas Meeting: Captain Palmes, 99—15=84; W. P. Fulcher, 86+1=87; H. E. Atkinson, 83+1=84.

Green Record (1894 Medal Course), 82, by H. G. Hutchinson.

Club Scratch Score.—86.

The green is three miles from St. Helier, or twenty minutes by rail, trains running every hour. The clubhouse is close to the station. The course of eighteen holes, about three miles in circuit, is one of the prettiest in the kingdom, and full of variety.

JERSEY LADIES' GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1894.

The course of nine holes is an excellent one, and the club bids fair to be a great success.

JOHANNESBURG.

JOHANNESBURG GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JULY, 1893.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 3*l.* 3*s.*; *Number of Members*, 72. *President*—L. Phillips. *Vice-President*—W. Gilchrist. *Captain*—H. Becher. *Committee*—E. W. Tompson, J. L. Leep, W. Officer, H. F. Watson, T. Purchas, C. T. Thomson, Rev. L. Browne, F. Ferguson, F. Emley. *Hon. Secretary*—H. E. O. Green, Post Office Box 427, Johannesburg. *Greenkeeper*—C. Bankhead.

Club Prizes.—Monthly Medal (handicap) and various Cups for Singles, and Foursome Handicaps.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Cups (holes): E. W. Tompson, H. E. O. Green, W. Officer, and F. Emley.

Record for Green, 48, by H. Becher (late Royal Wimbledon Golf Club).

The course of nine holes has for hazards railways, roads, and water-courses. The grass is long from December to April, and the lies through the green are rather rough. The length of the round is a mile and three quarters. The "greens" are formed by clearing off the grass, and are, therefore, very fast. There are three excellent hotels within a mile of the green.

JOHN O' GROATS.

The proprietor of the John o' Groats Hotel has an excellent course of nine holes, skirting the Pentland Firth. The turf is good and the soil sandy.

JULLUNDER.

JULLUNDER GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1894.

Number of Members, about 30. *Hon. Secretary*—Major Western, R.A., Jullunder, Punjab, India.

The course of twelve holes is in fair order. Bogey score, 50.

JUNIPER GREEN.

BABERTON GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED, MAY 31ST, 1893.

The course of eighteen holes, lies immediately to the north of the village of Juniper Green, and includes three large parks known respectively as the High Park, Quarry Park, and Whitelaw Park. Access to the course is by Baberton Lodge Gate, and the avenue leading to Baberton House. The chief hazards are dykes and hedges, the "roundel" (a group of trees situated at the north-west corner of the High Park), and a deep ravine which lies ready to trap a weak drive to the seventh hole. Besides these a large mass of whins stretches from the teeing ground well nigh to the green of the fourteenth. The course is beautifully situated and commands some remarkably fine views. There is a good service of trains to and from Juniper Green, which is four miles from Edinburgh, on the Balerno Branch of the Caledonian Railway. There is a temporary clubroom at Baberton Lodge Gate.

BABERTON LADIES' GOLF CLUB.

This is really a section of the Baberton Golf Club.

KELSO.

KELSO GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MAY 13TH, 1887.

Annual Subscription, Ten Shillings; *Number of Members*, 80. *Patron*—Duke of Roxburgh. *Captain*—A. S. Hay. *Committee*—T. D. C. Smith, J. Forsyth, J. Beveridge, G. S. Douglas, W. M. Maxton. *Hon. Secretary*—A. Stevenson, Commercial Bank House, Kelso. *Greenkeeper*—A. Mitchell.

Club Prizes.—Captain's Prizes (handicap), in January and February; Silver Challenge Cup, in April.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Captain's Prizes: Dr. Fleming and T. D. C. Smith. Silver Cup: J. Kinnear.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 86, by W. Rutherford, on February 22nd, 1890.

Record for Green, 38, by T. D. C. Smith, on March 31st, 1894.

The green is about fifteen minutes' walk from the town. Although anything but a model golfing course, it commands lovely views, and in going round much historical ground is covered. Consisting originally of eleven holes, the number has been reduced to nine. Play can only be engaged in during the winter and spring months, on account of the long grass. Two 'buses ply between the railway station and the town, which has ample accommodation for visitors in the shape of hotels and private lodging houses.

KENDAL.

KENDAL GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MAY 14TH, 1891.

Entrance Fee, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 60, and 25 Ladies and Boys. *Captain*—Captain Bagot, M.P. *Committee*—C. Somervell, Dr. Parker, Dr. Taylor, C. J. Cropper, Rev. T. Heelis. *Hon. Secretaries*—R. H. Greenwood and Colonel Liston, Kendal. *Hon. Treasurer*—Rev. S. J. Livesey. *Greenkeeper*—G. Cooper.

Club Prize.—Bagot Medal, won last year by Dr. Parker.

The course of nine holes without a crossing, stands 600 feet above sea level, to the west of Kendal, a mile from the Town Hall, and a little more from the station of the London and North-Western Railway, where conveyances meet all trains. A five-foot wall has to be negotiated twice in the round, and the other hazards are whin bushes, cart ruts, quarries, and a pond. The length of the course is 2215 yards. The greens are being gradually improved, but, owing to the rocky nature of the soil, the expense is heavy and the work slow. The advantage of the rocky character of the ground is that the whole course is dry even in the wettest season, while the air at such an altitude is particularly bracing, and the view lovely in the extreme. There is a clubhouse on the green, where refreshments can be obtained.

KENILWORTH.

KENILWORTH GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED OCTOBER, 1890.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 6*s.*; *Number of Members*, 110 Ladies and Gentlemen. *President*—W. H. Mitchell. *Captain*—Hon. and Rev. R. C. Moncreiff. *Ladies' Captain*—Mrs. W. H. Mitchell. *Committee*—Dr. E. K. Bourne, T. Day, H. R. Hands, T. Latham, G. Watson, Miss Gem, Miss Jepson, Miss E. Middleton. *Hon. Secretary*—H. S. Turberville, The

Gables, Kenilworth. *Ladies' Secretary*—Mrs. H. S. Turberville. *Greenkeeper*—Hubbard.

Club Prizes.—Club Medal and Captaincy (scratch), for ladies and gentlemen, at Autumn Meeting, in October; Pears Challenge Cup (scratch), and Kenilworth Cup (handicap), monthly, winner of either keeps it when won thrice; Ladies' Challenge Teapot, quarterly (same conditions), presented by Mrs. Turberville.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Captaincy: Hon. and Rev. R. C. Moncreiff, 89. Ladies' Captaincy: Mrs. W. H. Mitchell, 115.

The Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 87, by Hon. and Rev. R. C. Moncreiff, on October 4th, 1892; and by Dr. E. K. Bourne, on September 15th, 1894.

The above are also the green records. The record for nine holes is 37, by Dr. E. K. Bourne, on November 8th, 1894.

The course, which is picturesquely situated near the Castle, is a nine hole one, played twice over, with a variation in the second round. Kenilworth Station is half a mile away, and there is good accommodation in the town.

The ladies play over the same course as the gentlemen, but with different tees.

KETTERING.

KETTERING GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED SEPTEMBER, 1891. *Entrance Fee*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 11*s.* 6*d.*; *Number of Members*, 85. *Captain*—C. W. Stringer. *Vice-Captain*—W. F. Neilson. *Hon. Treasurer*—F. Berrill. *Committee*—G. Abbott, A. C. Simmons, C. Saunders, R. B. Wallis, N. B. Laidlaw. *Hon. Secretary*—F. Mobbs, Brooklyn, Kettering. *Green*—Broughton Lodge Farm. *Greenkeeper*—C. Gilbert.

Club Prizes.—Monthly Medal and Gold and Silver Medals (handicap), in April and November.

Prize Winners in 1894.—April—Gold Medal: R. B. Wallis, 83; Silver Medal: W. Meadows, 86. November—Gold Medal: C. Saunders, 95; Silver Medal: A. H. Bryan, 103 (all net).

Records for Green—(1) Professional, 81, by J. H. Taylor and H. Kirkcaldy, on April 2nd, 1894; (2) Amateur, 89, by Dr. Allison, on December 26th, 1894.

Kettering Station (Midland Railway) is three-quarters of a mile from the green. A 'bus (fare 6*d.*) meets every train. Three hotels are less than a mile from the green, on which there is a pavilion. Visitors are always welcome. The course, of eighteen holes, is nearly three miles in length. The longest hole is 510 yards, the shortest 130, and the par of the round is 71. The hazards are too numerous and varied to mention in detail, but they comprise the railway, roads, hedges, hurdles, gorse, whins, &c., and have been made a judicious use of by Tom Morris, who planned the round.

KETTERING WORKING MEN'S GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1895.

The club was founded by Dr. Allison, ex-captain of the Kettering Golf Club, and their course of six holes, also laid out by Tom Morris, is in the North Park.

KIDDERMINSTER.

KIDDERMINSTER GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MARCH, 1893.

The course of nine holes is a very sporting one and rapidly improving. It is situated about ten minutes' walk from the railway station, and the hazards are whins, hedges, roads, water, and the river Stour. The soil is of a sandy nature, and consequently dries quickly even after the heaviest rains. Play is best during the winter and spring months. There is an excellent clubhouse where members can lunch and have tea. Visitors may be introduced by members for two days in any one year free of charge.

There is a short course of six holes for ladies.

KILLARNEY.

KILLARNEY GOLF CLUB INSTITUTED DECEMBER, 1893.

Annual Subscription, Ten Shillings; *Number of Members*, 70. *President*—Earl of Kenmare. *Vice-President*—Viscount Castlerosse. *Captain and Hon. Secretary*—W. Butler. *Treasurer*—M. Leonard. *Committee*—E. M. Bernard, W. L. Burke, E. Triffin, J. Macgillycuddy, D. M. Moriarty.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Captain's Prizes: E. Griffin and Miss Lousley. Club Medals: W. Godfrey, Col Kirkwood, H. R. Jones, Judge Shaw, Mrs. Mahon.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 98, by H. R. Jones.

Record for Green, 47, by H. R. Jones.

The President has kindly placed his Deer Park at the disposal of the club, who have laid out on it a course of nine holes, the circuit being 2945 yards. The hazards are a quarry, artificial bunkers, bracken, and a rabbit warren. The view from the fourth green is magnificent, embracing as it does the mountains and far-famed lakes of Killarney. The par of the round may be set down at 37. Visitors may obtain cards of admission from the Hon. Secretary. Members of clubs are privileged. The course is half a mile from the railway station and hotel. Caddies are always available; charge 6*d.* per round.

KILMALCOLM.

KILMALCOLM GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED APRIL, 1891.

Entrance Fee, 3*l.* 3*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 280. *Captain*—W. A. Aikman. *Hon. Secretary*—J. Crawford, Townhead, Kilmalcolm. *Greenkeeper*—J. Somerville.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Captain's Prize: J. W. Wood. Spring Handicap: A. D. Crawford. Autumn Handicap: W. J. Greaves.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 74, by A. F. Duncan.

Record for Green, 70, by W. Fernie, A. Herd, and J. H. Taylor; 70 has also been made by an amateur.

The course consists of eighteen holes, the hazards are good and not too plentiful, the turf in many places is of the finest, and the greens, under the careful attention of the greenkeeper, are improving fast. The holes vary in length from 150 to 500 yards, and the circuit is about three miles. A comfortable clubhouse is situated on the course, and adjoining it is the workshop of the greenkeeper. There is a good hotel in the village, also first-class accommodation in the way of lodgings, and the Hydropathic establishment is within ten minutes' walk of the course. The distance by rail from Glasgow is only sixteen miles, and there is an hourly service of trains, the station being on the main line of the Glasgow and South-Western Railway Company from Glasgow and Greenock. The course is about a quarter of a mile from the station.

KILMARNOCK.

OSSINGTON GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1888.

Entrance Fee, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, about 200. *Captain*—Dr. Lawrie. *Treasurer*—C. S. Reid. *Committee*—Dr. W. McAllister, D. Lauder, J. Davidson, J. H. Dunlop, R. McAllister, W. Brown. *Joint Hon. Secretaries*—F. Alexander, Ossington Coffee Tavern, and C. S. Reid, 10, Portland-street, Kilmarnock. *Greenkeeper*—W. Gaw.

Owing the want of a suitable green, golf had been languishing for several seasons in Kilmarnock, and thus many of the members had to take their outings over the links at Troon and Irvine as members of these clubs. The long-felt want has now, however, been supplied, for the club have secured on the seaboard, about midway between Irvine and Troon, a stretch of ground which is admirably adapted for the game. The round consists of eighteen holes, the circuit being 4370

yards. The holes are a little short perhaps, the longest being 320 yards, and the par of the green may be placed somewhere below 70. The first teeing ground is within a stone's throw of Barassie Station, on the Glasgow and South-Western Railway, about seven miles from Kilmarnock, and is, consequently, easily accessible. The very name of the green—it is pronounced "brassie"—is redolent of golf, and the Kilmarnock Club have many pleasant days in store for them.

The Green Record is 76, by W. Fernie, at the opening on October 20th, 1894.

KIMBERLEY (South Africa).

KIMBERLEY GOLF CLUB, instituted October, 1890.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Number of Members*, about 40. *President*—J. B. Curry. *Vice-President*—J. H. Lange, Q.C. *Captain*—Justice W. H. Solomon. *Treasurer*—D. Skirving. *Committee*—A. Ramsay, Dr. Fuller, E. Montagu, R. Ford, C. E. Nirs, C. G. Ward, C. P. J. Coghton, P. W. Mallett. *Hon. Secretary*—S. Stokes, P. O. Box 505, Kimberley.

Club Prizes.—Gold Medal in December; and Monthly Handicap. *Prize winners in 1894.*—W. H. Solomon, E. Montagu, and P. W. Mallett.

The course of eighteen holes is situated on the London and South African Exploration Company's estate, about half a mile from the centre of the town, and is easily reached either by cab or tram. The course may be considered a fairly easy one, the principal hazards being thorn bushes and rough roads full of ruts.

KINGHORN.

KINGHORN GOLF CLUB, instituted January, 1887.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, 215. *President*—Provost Smith. *Captain*—A. Macpherson. *Committee*—H. B. Kirkwood, G. B. Key, J. Drummond, T. Smith, T. S. Watt. *Hon. Secretary*—W. Mann, Schoolhouse, Kinghorn. *Greenkeeper*—R. Kerr.

Club Prizes.—Greig Cup (handicap), to be won outright, in April; Kinghorn Tournament Challenge Medal (handicap), commencing on April 20th; Bucher Medal (scratch) and Captain's Trophy (handicap), on May 9th and 11th; Kinghorn Medal (handicap), on May 22nd and 25th; Burgh Cleek (handicap), commencing on June 1st; Club Prizes (handicap), on July 10th; McKendrick Prize (handicap), in July and

August; Club Prizes (handicap), on August 21st and 24th; Kirkcaldy Cup for lowest aggregate of three scores during season, to become the property of anyone winning it thrice.

Prize Winners in 1894.—President's Prize: J. Ramsay, 82—6=76. Captain's Prize: J. A. Greig, 86—12=74. Kinghorn Challenge Medal: J. Ramsay, 86—6=80. Kinghorn Tournament Medal: T. S. Watt. Burgh Cleek: W. P. Drummond. Bucher Medal: T. S. Watt, 74. Captain's Trophy: J. Greig, sen., 91—10=81.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 66, by G. R. Hepburn, in August 1893.

KINGHORN LADIES' GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1894.

No details.

KINGHORN THISTLE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JUNE 24TH, 1889.

No particulars forthcoming.

Kinghorn Railway Station is five minutes' walk from green, and there is a capital hotel close to station. The green is under the control of the Town Council, who have manifested a liberal spirit by making the course what it now is—one of the most attractive in Fife. The Council about five years ago laid out a tennis court in the golf park, and they have since laid out another. The round consists of nine holes of an extremely sporting character, and has recently been considerably lengthened and improved.

KINGSDOWN.

KINGSDOWN GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED NOVEMBER, 1890.

The course consists of nine holes, and is about a mile and a half round. It is situated on Kingsdown, 450 feet above the sea, and commands a fine view. It is five miles from Bath, the nearest station being Box (G.W.R.). The clubhouse is an iron pavilion attached to a cottage. The walk up from the station, a climb of 300 feet, is easily done in twenty minutes. The turf is of good quality, and can be played on all the year round. The lies are on the whole fair. The hazards are quarries, roads, and a few rocks. The putting greens are good, and of fair size. The par of the green is 36. The shortest hole is 120 yards, and there are two over 400 yards. Charges for visitors: 2*s.* 6*d.* per week; 5*s.* per month.

KING'S NORTON.

KING'S NORTON GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED NOVEMBER, 1892.

Entrance Fee, Gentlemen, 1*l.* 1*s.*; Ladies, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; Family Subscribers, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Annual Sub-*

scription, Gentlemen 1*l.* 1*s.*; Ladies, 5*s.*; Family Subscribers, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Number of Members*, 101 Gentlemen and 55 Ladies. *President*—A. Chamberlain, M.P. *Vice-Presidents*—Rev. C. W. Barnard, G. E. Bellis, J. Baldwin, C. P. Lane. *Captain*—S. Baldwin. *Committee*—A. K. Baillie, W. G. Clarke, F. Clarke, A. D. Charles, G. M. Elkington, P. M. Ellis, C. J. Thursfield, Dr. Tyler, A. H. Wolseley. *Hon. Secretary and Treasurer*—J. J. Tomson, The Châlet, King's Norton, Worcestershire. *Green*—Wychall. *Greenkeeper*—G. Cawsey.

Club Prizes.—Monthly Cup (handicap) and Captain's Cup (bogey), on first and third Saturday's of each month respectively; Ladies' Prize (handicap), on first Wednesday of each month; President's Cup, in autumn.

Prize Winner in 1894.—Captain's Medal; A. D. Charles, three times.

Records for Green.—(1) Professional, 36, by T. Vardon, H. Kirkcaldy, and J. Burns, in October, 1894, in professional competition; (2) Amateur, 41, by S. Baldwin, on October 13th, 1894.

Club Bogey Score.—5 4 4 4 5 4 5 4 5=40.

King's Norton (Mid. Ry.), five miles from Birmingham, is the nearest station, and is about twelve minutes' from the green. There are several inns in the village, but Birmingham is so near that the best accommodation is to be obtained there. The club rent a house close to the course, where there is every accommodation for members. The course of nine holes was laid out by David Brown, the Malvern professional, and the hazards consist of fences, ditches, pits, and pools. By reversing the order of going round, the course has been improved and rendered more difficult. The longest hole is now 340 yards, and the shortest 150.

KINGSTON (ONTARIO).

KINGSTON GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED IN APRIL, 1891.

Number of Members in 1894, 33. *Captain*—J. B. Carruthers. *Committee*—Major Drury, Dr. R. T. Walkem, J. Cappon. *Hon. Secretary and Treasurer*—G. H. Robinson.

Club Prize.—Hewat Trophy (handicap): Winner in 1894, G. E. Hague, 107 – 18 = 89.

Lowest Score in Club Competition, 86, by T. Harley, in 1892.

Record for the Green, 78, by T. Harley, in August, 1894.

There is also a Ladies' Branch of the Club with 65 members.

The course is beautifully situated on Government reserve ground near Fort Henry; overlooking the great River St. Lawrence, and the first of its famous "Thousand Island" group.

Visiting golfers are always welcomed.

KINGUSSIE.

KINGUSSIE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1891.

The course, of nine holes, is situated in Glen Gynack, about three-quarters of a mile to the north of the town. The green is three miles in length, and fine views may be obtained from it of the Grampian and Monaliadh hills and the Spey valley below Kingussie. The river Gynack flows through the glen, and at the upper end is a fine mountain tarn, named Loch Gynack, about three-quarters of a mile in circumference.

KING WILLIAM TOWN (SOUTH AFRICA).

KING WILLIAM TOWN GOLF CLUB.

No details.

KINROSS.

KINROSS GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED FEBRUARY 12TH, 1885.

The course of nine holes is laid out along the side of Loch Leven.

KIRBY MUXLOE.

KIRBY MUXLOE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED OCTOBER, 1893.

Annual Subscription, 2*l.* 2*s.* for members residing within three miles, 1*l.* 1*s.* for members outside; *Number of Members*, 44. *President*—A. E. Wood. *Vice-Presidents*—J. Johnson and G. H. Hughes. *Captain*—T. Hollis. *Hon. Treasurer*—H. W. Wilshere. *Committee*—T. Hollis, A. C. Faire, O. J. Taylor, S. Green, A. E. Harding. *Hon. Secretary*—W. Harding, Kirby Muxloe. *Greenkeeper*—T. Smith.

Green Records—(1) Professional, 40; (2) Amateur, 46, by T. Hollis.

The course, of nine holes, is a very fair inland green, and in summer little inconvenience is experienced from long grass, the turf being for the most part of good golfing character. There are some capital natural hazards. Kirby Muxloe Station, which is five miles from Leicester, adjoins the course.

KIRKCUDBRIGHT.

KIRKCUDBRIGHTSHIRE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JULY 20TH, 1893.

Annual Subscription, Gentlemen, Ten Shillings, Ladies, Five Shillings; *Number of Members*, 92. *President*—

Capt. Hope, R.N. *Vice-Presidents*—D. Maitland, R. F. Dudgeon, jun. *Captain*—Sheriff Lyell. *Vice-Captain*—Dr. Reid. *Committee*—Rev. A. D. Campbell, J. Gibson, J. Henderson, J. H. Maxwell, W. G. Milroy, W. Mouncey. *Hon. Secretary*—A. Brown, County Clerk, Kirkcudbright. *Greenkeeper*—D. Thomson.

Club Prizes.—Maitland Medal (scratch), in October; Maxwell Monthly Medal (handicap); Mrs. Lyell's Ladies' Medal (handicap), Monthly; and other prizes.

Prize Winner in 1894.—Maitland Medal: J. H. Maxwell, 87.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 81, by Sheriff Lyell, in July, 1894.

Record for Green, 38, by Sheriff Lyell, in July, 1894.

The course of nine holes is within five minutes walk from Kirkcudbright Railway Station, and it is considered a good one by first-class players. Within the town of Kirkcudbright the hotel accommodation is first class. The country round about Kirkcudbright is exceptionally fine.

KIRKINTILLOCH.

KIRKINTILLOCH GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1894.

The course is a nine hole one, and the hazards are hedges, a burn, and the river Kelvin.

KIRN.

COWAL GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED OCTOBER 29TH, 1891.

The course of nine holes is situated about seven minutes' walk from Kirn Pier. Kirn is a favourite watering place on the Firth of Clyde.

KIRRIEMUIR.

KIRRIEMUIR GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED SEPTEMBER, 1884.

Entrance Fee, Five Shillings; *Annual Subscription*, Five Shillings; *Number of Members*, 30. *Patron*—Earl of Airlie. *President*—J. Duncan. *Hon. Secretary*—S. Lindsay, Crawford Park, Kirriemuir. *Greenkeeper*—P. Graham.

Club Prizes. Scratch and Handicap Medals, and Cup (handicap).

The course is conveniently situated close to the town, which has long been a favourite resort for summer visitors.

KIRRIEMUIR LADIES' GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1893.

President—Miss Ogilvie. *Hon. Secretary*—Miss M. F. Cowper.

KNUTSFORD.

KNUTSFORD GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1891.

President—Lord Egerton. *Captain*—M. M. Speakman. *Hon. Treasurer*—W. S. Inman. *Hon. Secretary*—H. Roscoe. *Club Room*—George Hotel, Knutsford.

The club is a private one, and membership is confined to ladies and gentlemen residing within a radius of five miles from Knutsford.

The course of nine holes is situated in Tatton Park, the use of which has been given by Lord Egerton. The ground is dry and sandy, and there are several good natural hazards. Strangers are admitted to play by the week or month at a small subscription on being introduced by a member.

LADIES' GOLF UNION.

LADIES' GOLF UNION, INSTITUTED APRIL 19TH, 1893.

Vice-Presidents—W. L. Purves and J. T. Fair. *Hon. Treasurer*—Miss Blanche Martin, 35, Brunswick-square, Brighton. *Hon. Secretary*—Miss Issette Pearson, 10, Northumberland-avenue, Putney, London, S.W.

Briefly, the primary objects of the Union are:—

(1) To promote the interests of the game of golf.

(2) To establish a uniformity of the rules of the game by establishing a representative legislative authority.

(3) To establish a uniform system of handicapping.

(4) To act as a tribunal and court of reference on points of uncertainty.

(5) To arrange the annual championship competition.

The entrance fees and annual subscriptions payable by clubs joining the Union are as follows:—

Entrance fees: For clubs consisting of 50 and under 100 members, 2*l.* 2*s.*; of 100 and under 200 members, 3*l.* 3*s.*; of 200 and upwards, 5*l.* 5*s.*

Annual subscriptions: For 50 and under 100 members, 1*l.* 1*s.*; for 100 and under 200 members, 2*l.* 2*s.*; for 200 and upwards, 3*l.* 3*s.*

All inquiries as to membership, &c., will be gladly answered by the Hon. Secretary.

LADYBANK.

LADYBANK GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JULY, 1879.

Entrance Fee, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Annual Subscription*, Five Shillings; *Number of Members*, 45. *Captain*—Rev. R. H. Kerr. *Committee*—G. J. Lumsden,

J. T. Hill, J. H. Carswell, S. W. Johnstone, Rev. J. Ritchie, Rev. C. Fraser. *Hon. Secretary* — Dr. R. Laidlaw, Melville-road, Ladybank. *Greenkeeper* — J. Rutherford.

Club Prizes.—Ramornie Medal (scratch), in May; Ladybank Cup (scratch), in October; Monthly Medal (handicap), from March to October; Hill Cup (handicap), for best aggregate of scores at May and October monthly meetings.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Ramornie Medal: Rev. J. Ritchie, 75. Ladybank Cup: J. H. Carswell, 80. Hill Cup: tied for by D. Hardie and Rev. J. Henderson, 163.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 73, by J. T. Hill, May 15th, 1893.

Record for Green, 72, by Rev. J. Henderson and R. Dunsmore, Perth.

The par of the green is 34.

Ladybank Railway Station is about half a mile from the course, and the Royal Hotel is close to the station, with excellent accommodation at moderate charges. Good private accommodation may also be had in the village. The course is free to all comers—subject, however, to a small charge of two shillings for the landlord if played on for more than one week at a time. It consists of nine holes, and is situated on Annsmuir, a stretch of waste land marching with the old Cupar road. The putting greens are excellent, and there are natural and artificial bunkers and other hazards, the largest bunker being 115 yards across.

LAHINCH.

LAHINCH GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MARCH, 1892.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.*; *Number of Members*, 140. *Captain and President*—A. W. Shaw. *Committee*—C. Heaton-Armstrong, L. Dunning, C. R. B. Heaton-Armstrong, W. E. Ellis, M. Gavin, B. Plummer, R. de Ros Rose, H. V. Macnamara, W. McDonnell. *Hon. Secretary*—R. Plummer, 36, Catherine-street, Limerick. *Greenkeeper*—J. McKenna.

Club Prizes.—Captain's Gold Medal and Championship of South of Ireland, at September Meeting; and other prizes.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Monthly Medal: July, H. Studdert; August, E. J. Phelps; September, C. Croker.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 93, by H. Studdert.

Records for Green—(1) Professional, 76, by J. McKenna; (2) Amateur, 89, by Col. Anstruther, Manchester Regiment, on October 1st, 1894.

The course is an eighteen-hole one, over a natural golfing country. Every hole has its hazard, and the lies are good throughout. Lahinch

is forty miles from Limerick, and can be reached in two hours, and the links are only a minute's walk from the station. Golfers' tickets are issued at very low rates from Limerick and Ennis. Accommodation is fair, and improving every year, the Aberdeen Arms Hotel giving special terms to golfers.

LAHORE.

LAHORE GOLF CLUB.

The green was completely spoiled for play last year by being dug up to prepare for the Viceroy's escort during the Durbar week, and it will take a long time and more money than the club have to spare to restore the bunkers and greens to their former state.

LAIRG.

LAIRG GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1893.

The course of nine holes is kept in good order, and is already very popular.

LAKE FOREST (U.S.A.).

LAKE FOREST GOLF CLUB.

The course is a rather small one of nine holes at Lake Forest, Illinois.

LAMBERHURST.

LAMBERHURST GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1890.

Entrance Fee, Five Shillings; *Annual Subscription*, Ten Shillings; *Number of Members*, 50. *President*—E. V. Hussey. *Captain*—J. H. Buxton. *Hon. Secretary*—C. V. Morland, Elmscroft, West Farleigh, Maidstone.

Lowest Score in a Club Competition, 83, by E. K. le Fleming, on April 7th, 1894.

The course of nine holes is situated at Lamberhurst.

LAMLASH.

LAMLASH GOLF CLUB. INSTITUTED APRIL, 1892.

Entrance Fee, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Annual Subscription*, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, 50. *Captain*—W. Robertson. *Treasurer*—J. Sweet. *Hon. Secretary*—A. Davidson, Schoolhouse, Lamlash. *Greenkeeper*—A. Shaw.

Club Prizes.—Jamieson Trophy; and Club Prizes on New Year's Day, the Glasgow Spring Fair, and autumn holidays, and on the second Saturday in September, May, July, and October.

Prize Winners in 1894.—W. Robertson, W. Fraser, A. Kay, A. Davidson, F. Reinstorf.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 81, by W. Fraser, W. H. Paton, and A. Davidson.

Green Record, 34, by W. Robertson.

The course is near Blairmore Farm, beginning at a point about five minutes' walk from Lamlash Pier. It stretches over fine old turf, and the greens are now in splendid order. From the course the player sees the "Miniature Alps" (Ciormhor, Ben Bharrein, and Goatfell) rising in rugged grandeur in the background, while he is struck with the beauty of the spacious bay below. The first tee is at the edge of the Manse Road, the point of the course nearest to the village, where there is plenty of accommodation for visitors.

LANARK.

LANARK GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1851.

Entrance Fee, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, Ten Shillings; *Number of Members*, 103. *President*—Earl of Home. *Vice-President*—Sir W. C. Anstruther, Bart. *Captain*—R. Frame. *Committee*—J. Annan, J. Vassie, J. Smith, jun., J. M. Davidson. *Hon. Secretary*—J. A. Vassie, Ridge Park, Lanark.

Club Prizes.—Hutchinson Cross (scratch); Claret Jug (scratch); Hon. Mrs. Bingham's Prize (handicap); Forrest Cup; Gibson-Carmichael Prize; Silver Cleek; Purdie Cup; Captain's Prize; Highland Light Infantry Gold Ball; Anstruther Medals (handicapped couples); Orchard Shield (handicapped couples); Monthly Medal.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Hutchinson Cross: Dr. Vassie, 136. Claret Jug: H. Renwick, 121. Hon. Mrs. Bingham's Prize: J. M. Davidson. Silver Cleek: J. Annan. Renwick Prize (bogey): D. M. Cassels. Forrest Cup: H. Renwick. Gibson-Carmichael Prize: G. H. Gibson-Carmichael. Purdie Cup: H. Renwick. Captain's Prize: Rev. W. W. Dawson. Gold Ball: W. Horn. Orchard Shield: Hon. A. Y. Bingham and J. Smith, jun. Anstruther Medals: Rev. W. Vassie and J. Smith, jun.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 112, for twenty-eight holes, by Dr. A. H. Vassie.

The Club Green, on the White Lees, is within ten minutes' walk of Lanark railway station. The soil is sandy, and dries very quickly after rain. There are two tremendous bunkers in the shape of sand and gravel pits, and quite a sufficient number of other hazards, whins, rushes, and ditches, to try the skill of even those well

acquainted with the green. A commodious clubhouse, to which large additions are presently being made, overlooks the course; the putting-greens are kept short and well rolled; the air is keen and bracing; the view from the course is remarkably fine—altogether this is a golfing green of the highest class. The round consists of fourteen holes, and two rounds form the Medal Course. The course, however, will shortly be extended to eighteen holes. There is plenty of accommodation for summer visitors, to whom the Golf Club gives special terms for membership, obtainable from the Secretary. The club days are Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday, when play begins at twelve o'clock. Special Prize Competitions are held on New Year's Day; first Saturdays of February, July, and November; first Friday of May; fourth day of September if a Saturday, if not, the Saturday immediately preceding; second Friday and Saturday of September (when the annual meeting is held); and the last Saturday of each month.

LANARK JUNIOR GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED APRIL, 1893.

The club play over the same course as the Lanark Golf Club.

LANCASTER.

LANCASTER GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MAY 11TH, 1889.

Annual Subscription, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 25. *Captain*—Rev. A. F. Clarke. *Committee*—Rev. J. C. Gardner, Captain Garnett, Dr. Cassidy, R. Mortimer. *Hon. Secretary*—W. Stewart, London and Midland Bank, Limited, Lancaster. *Greenkeeper*—A. Parkinson.

Club Prizes.—Captain's Prize, at Spring Meeting; and Silver Cup, Autumn Meeting.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Dr. Gemmel, 106 – 8 = 98; Rev. G. Willes, 102 – 12 = 90; Rev. A. F. Clarke, 106 – 15 = 91.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition and *Record for Green*, 78, on August 12th, 1893, by W. Stewart.

The links are situated on Morecambe Bay, between the mouths of the Lune and Wyre, and although somewhat inaccessible, the excellence of the turf, the sporting nature of the hazards, and the fine air more than repay for the time spent *en route*. The course consists of eighteen holes, and is three and a half miles in length, the putting greens are large, and the turf perfect. Hazards in the form of tide channels are encountered at nearly every hole. These channels frequently contain water after rain and high tides. The most convenient railway stations are Bay Horse (L. & N.W.R.) and Glasson Dock Station, three miles from course. Members usually drive from Lancaster, seven miles. The Cockerham Hotel (Mrs. Jemson's) is a mile from the links.

LANGHOLM.

LANGHOLM GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED OCTOBER 13TH, 1892.

Annual Subscription, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, 80. *Patron*—Earl of Dalkeith. *President*—A. Scott. *Vice-Presidents*—H. Graham and W. A. Connell. *Captain, Green Manager, and Handicapper*—T. Moses. *Committee*—J. Scott, R. McGeorge, W. Milroy, Rev. J. W. Mann, A. J. Craig, J. Watson, J. Howie, J. Howie, J. Cairns. *Hon. Secretary*—J. A. Scott, Erkinholm, Langholme, N.B.

Club Prizes.—Club Medal (scratch), in September; Club Medal (handicap), alternately on second Saturday and second Thursday of each month; Salver (handicap), twice annually, to be retained should any member win twice.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Club Medal: J. Howie, 85. Monthly Medal: January, J. Howie; February, J. A. Scott; March, J. Scott; April, W. Renwick; May, H. Graham; June, W. J. Howie; July, H. Graham; August, J. Scott; September, J. Scott; October, J. Howie; November, J. Scott; December, W. Renwick. Salver: D. Lightbody.

The course, which is situated on the slope of Whita Hill, is about ten minutes' walk from the Langholm railway station and town, and consists of nine holes. It was laid out by McEwan, of Musselburgh, and the hazards, all of which are natural, have been utilised to advantage. The putting greens are improving. The air is keen and bracing, and the view from the course remarkably fine. A clubhouse with lockers has just been added. There is excellent accommodation in the town, and visitors may play over the course on being introduced by a member on payment of two shillings and sixpence per week.

LARGO.

LUNDIN GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1868.

Entrance Fee, Seven Shillings and Sixpence; *Annual Subscription*, Seven Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, 153. *Hon. President*—J. Gilmour. *Hon. Vice-President*—J. Forgan. *Captain*—J. E. Laidlay. *Treasurer*—D. E. Malloch. *Committee*—P. L. Henderson, R. Philp, H. Johnstone, J. B. Atkinson, R. Braid, F. R. Lumsden, T. E. Mudie, T. Davidson, W. Gillies, J. W. Marshall. *Hon. Secretary*—D. M. Stewart, Lundin Links, Largo,

Fife. *Green*—Lundin and Scoonie Links. *Greenkeeper*—G. Thomson.

Club Prizes—Club Medal (scratch), on April 14th and August 17th; Club Medal (handicap), on April 14th, June 8th and 22nd, July 13th and 27th, August 10th and 17th, September 14th, and January 4th, 1896; Palm Jug in July; and other prizes in June, August, and September (by holes under handicap).

Prize Winners in 1894.—Scratch Medal: J. H. Outhwaite, 86, and T. Davidson, 92. Handicap Medal: Methven (twice), J. H. Outhwaite, G. Hutchinson, B. Atkinson, W. Gillies, J. D. Blair, W. Boa, A. Thomson. Palm Jug: W. N. Boase.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 81, by Col. D. W. Mackinnon, on July 4th, 1891.

A commodious clubhouse is about to be erected on the site of the present one. Lundin Links Station is beside the course, and Largo Station is about half a mile distant from the club-house. The accommodation for visitors is increasing every year. The stations are so conveniently situated that players may easily walk to the course. For terms of play and description of green see under "Leven." The club start from the Lundin end of the links.

LUNDIN LADIES' GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED AUGUST, 1890.

The course consists of nine holes, the longest being about 170 yards, and the shortest about 60 yards, and the hazards are whins and bunkers. It is prettily situated, overlooking Largo Bay, and is close to the favourite summer resorts of Lundin Links and Lower Largo.

LARGS.

LARGS GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MARCH 30TH, 1891.

Entrance Fee, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Annual Subscription*, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; Ladies and Juveniles, Five Shillings; *Number of Members*, 100. *Captain*—Rev. J. Heggie. *Team Captain*—D. Miller. *Treasurer*—J. Baldie. *Committee*—J. K. Boyd, G. F. Howills, A. Young, F. Wood. *Hon. Secretary*—J. Morris, Solicitor, Bath-street, Largs. *Greenkeeper*—J. Barbour.

Club Prizes.—Young Gold Medal (handicap), for ladies on first Saturday of each month; Captain's Medal (handicap), to be retained by winner on second Saturday of each month, and Club Medal (handicap), on last Saturday of each month, all commencing in February. In all the above competitions each player's four best scores are totalled to decide the winner.

Competitors for the Captain's or Club Medals who do not find it

convenient to play on Saturdays may arrange with the Secretary to play on Wednesdays during the season; and Wednesday and Saturday players may temporarily interchange their days by given written notice to the secretary on the preceding Monday.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Ladies' Medal: Miss Orr. Club Medal: Rev. J. Heggie. Captain's Medal: J. Macdonald.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 78, by J. Macdonald, on November 24th, 1894.

Record for Green, 36, by T. Carmichael, St. Andrews, in 1894.

Towards the end of 1893 the club opened a new course of nine holes in Kelburne Policies, the entrance being in the Fairlie Road, about three quarters of a mile from Largs station, and pier (Cal. and Glasgow and S. W. Railways). Most of the holes are a good length, and the hazards consist chiefly of trees and a barn. The par of the green may be set at 35. There are four hotels in Largs.

LEA HURST.

LEA HURST GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MAY, 1890.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 45. *President*—F. C. Arkwright. *Captain*—Dr. Innes. *Treasurer*—J. B. L. Smedley. *Committee*—T. Clarke, A. Clay, C. Wright, H. Johnson, Captain Walker. *Hon. Secretary*—H. H. Middleditch, Bridge House, Cromford.

Club Prizes.—President's Cup, half yearly; Committee's Cup, quarterly.

The course, which was fully described in the "Annual" for 1891-92, consists of nine holes, the hazards being trees, brackens, roads, and a small brook. The putting greens are well attended to. The course is one mile from Whatstandwell and two miles from Cromford stations, at which, however, only slow trains stop. The most convenient station is Matlock Bath, four miles away. The par of the green is 34.

LEAMINGTON.

NORTH WARWICKSHIRE LADIES' GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MARCH 21ST, 1889.

Entrance Fee, Ten Shillings; *Annual Subscriptions*, Playing Members, Fifteen Shillings; Non-Playing Members, Five Shillings; Gentlemen Associates, Seven Shillings and Sixpence; Non-Playing Gentlemen Associates, Five Shillings; *Number of Members*, 145. *President*—

R. O. Milne. *Vice-Presidents*—Rev. J. Dawkins, Mr. G. Savile. *Captain*—Miss E. A. Whieldon. *Committee*—Miss Dawkins, Miss Middleton, Miss A. Clarke. *Hon. Secretary*—Miss Chambers, Eastwood Lodge, Leamington. *Green*—Kenilworth-road.

Club Prizes.—Scratch: Captain's Medal, annually. Handicap: Silver Challenge Bowl, annually; Club Gold Medal, three times a year; Silver Medal, monthly; Silver Cup (Bogey), twice a year.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Silver Challenge Bowl and Captain's Medal: Miss A. Tyrwhitt Drake. Club Gold Medal: February, Miss F. Whieldon; May, Miss Humphreys; October, Miss A. Darlington. Silver Medal: January, Miss Humphrey, 91—17=74; February, Miss H. Darlington, 88—17=71; March, Miss Chambers, 82—11=71; May, Miss Gibsone, 98—19=79; October, Miss Darlington, 90—3=87; December, Miss M. Gray, 93—9=84. Silver Bottle: March, Miss Middleton, 81; October, Miss Dawkins, 90; November, Miss Middleton, 87. Robert Album: January, Miss Middleton, 81—7=74; February, Miss Darlington, 72—5=67; March, Miss H. Darlington. 90—15=75; April, Miss Chambers, 82—9=73; May, Miss A. Dawkins, 83 (scratch); November, Miss Darlington, 78—1=77.

Lowest Scratch Score, 72, by Miss Darlington, on February 15th, 1894.

The course of nine holes is situated about a mile and a half from the Great Western and London and North-Western Railway Stations, and about a mile from the town. The hazards consist of two hedges, a pond, and natural declivities in the ground. The greens have much improved during the past year. There are two pavilions.

LEAMINGTON SPA.

ROYAL LEAMINGTON SPA GOLF CLUB; INSTITUTED 1890.

Entrance Fee, Ten Shillings; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.*; *Number of Members*, 81. *President*—R. Badger. *Vice-Presidents*—Rev. P. Coates, J. H. Mitchell. *Hon. Life Members*—Colonel Boothby, M. Lucas, T. Ashton, M.F.H. *Committee*—T. Latham, C. Lloyd-Carson, W. A. Canning, Dr. Horsfall, T. Kimmond, C. B. Gaitskell, A. C. S. Glover, C. Humphries, Rev. R. A. Edgell. *Hon. Secretary*—F. M. G. Abell, Armathwaite House, Leamington.

Club Prizes.—Wallis-Wilson Cup, on the first Saturday in each month; Badger Cup, on the second Saturday in January, April, July, and October; and prizes presented by members.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 89, by C. Lloyd Carson.
Record for Green, 40, by F. M. G. Abell.

The course is situated on the Campion Hills, about one mile out of Leamington, and consists of nine holes without any crossing. Straight and long driving is required off the tee, a topped ball being in most cases severely punished, owing to the undulating nature of the ground and good natural hazards.

ROYAL LEAMINGTON SPA LADIES' GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED APRIL, 1890.

Entrance Fee, Five Shillings; *Annual Subscription*, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, 86, including Hon. and Junior Members. *President*—Mrs. Gaitskell. *Captain*—Miss E. A. Whieldon. *Committee*—Miss A. Allen, Mrs. Carson, Mrs. Flavel, Mrs. Horsfall, Miss Mitchell, Miss Morgan, Miss Oldfield, Miss M. Saunders. *Hon. Secretary*—Miss Saunders, Endwood, Leamington Spa.

Club Prizes.—Club Captaincy and Gold Medal (scratch), at Spring Meeting in May; Club Prize (scratch); Club Prize (handicap); and Badger Challenge Trophy (handicap), monthly, on first, second, and third Wednesdays; finals in October.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Club Captaincy and Gold Medal: Miss E. A. Whieldon, 80. Club Prize (scratch): Miss Saunders, 89. Club Prize (handicap): Miss Ada Allen, 96 – 18 = 78. Badger Trophy: Miss Saunders, 91 – 2 = 89.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 78, on November 24th, 1893, by Miss E. A. Whieldon.

Record for Green, 34, by Miss E. A. Whieldon, on December 20th, 1893.

The course, of nine holes, is situated on the Campion Hills, about one mile from Leamington.

LEASOWE.

LEASOWE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MAY, 1891.

Entrance Fee, 5*l.* 5*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.* 6*d.*; *Number of Members*, 225. *Captain*—R. Johnston. *Hon. Treasurer*—C. H. Smith, 4, Filey-terrace, Hoylake. *Committee*—W. H. Roxburgh, G. Norton, R. W. Lee, J. Fearnley, Dr. J. E. Burton, E. A. Councell, F. A. Cooper, John Ball, jun. *Hon. Secretary*—J. Cromarty, 11, Rumford-street, Liverpool. *Greenkeeper*—G. Doyle.

Club Prizes.—Monthly Medal and other prizes.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 76, by J. Ball, jun., J. Ball (2).

Record for Green, 33, by John Ball, jun., on October 20th, 1894.

During last year the club removed to new ground adjoining Leasowe Castle, and have now a very fine and interesting course of nine holes right by the sea. The nearest station is Leasowe (new station for the club), about twelve minutes from the links. A wagonette meets most of the trains.

LEEDS.

HEADINGLEY GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED OCTOBER 29TH, 1892.

Entrance Fee, Gentlemen, 3*l.* 3*s.*; Ladies, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, Gentlemen, 2*l.* 2*s.*; Ladies, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, 300. *Captain*—F. H. Mayo. *Treasurer*—T. E. Pritt. *Committee*—H. J. Palmer, T. Riach, J. M. Lister, H. E. O'Dwyer, H. M. Munby, A. E. Kirk, F. Wardle. *Hon. Secretaries*—R. G. Emsley, Shireoak-road, Headingley, Leeds, and H. Oxley, Westwood, Leeds. *Greenkeeper*—W. Fernie.

Matches are played during the year with most of the other Yorkshire clubs. Of the nine played in 1894, seven were won and two lost.

Club Prizes.—Club Medal (scratch), 36 holes; Challenge Cup (handicap by holes); Monthly Medals: 1st class, on second Saturday, 2nd class, on third Saturday, in each month.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Monthly Medal: W. A. Lucas, 102 − 24 = 78. Club Medal: J. D. Cormack, 86 + 87 = 173. Captain's Prize: C. E. Dawson. Challenge Cup: J. M. Lister.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 80, by J. M. S. Lister, on July 6th, 1894.

Records for Green—(1) Professional, 33, by W. Fernie; (2) Amateur, 35, by C. E. Dawson.

The course of nine holes is situated at Headingley, three miles by tram from Leeds Station. The hazards are walls and one sand bunker. A new clubhouse has been erected during the year at a cost of nearly £400, comprising tea and club rooms, dressing rooms, kitchen, &c. A ladies' Committee has been formed, and competitions are played during the week.

LEICESTER.

LEICESTERSHIRE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED FEBRUARY 13TH, 1891.

Entrance Fee, 2*l.* 2*s.*, to be increased to 5*l.* 5*s.* when the number of resident playing members reaches 100 *Annual Subscription*, 2*l.* 2*s.*, non-resident members, 1*l.* 1*s.*

Number of Members, 129, of whom 85 are resident playing members, and 26 are ladies. *Patron*—Marquis of Granby, M.P. *President*—J. A. Corah. *Vice-Presidents*—J. B. Everard, J. Goddard. *Captain*—A. Lorrimer. *Treasurer*—C. J. Brand. *Committee*—H. L. Goddard, Dr. F. M. Pope, H. N. B. Richardson, B. W. Russell, E. A. Thompson. *Hon. Secretaries*—C. J. Billson, 4, Wilford-place, Leicester, and C. E. Hare, Stamford Bank, Leicester. *Hon. Ladies' Secretary*—Miss Thompson, Knighton House, Leicester. *Green*—Evington Fields. *Greenkeeper and Professional*—G. Smith.

Club Prizes.—Corah Silver Challenge Bowl, for lowest aggregate of three monthly competitions (scratch), carrying with it the title of captain; Everard Gold Medal (handicap); Club Silver Medal (handicap); the Richardson Prize (handicap by holes).

Prize Winners in 1894.—Corah Challenge Bowl: A. Lorrimer, 97 + 96 + 99 = 292. Everard Gold Medal: E. A. Thompson, 79 + 86 + 82 = 247. Club Silver Medal: A. Lorrimer, 100 − 12 = 88. Richardson Prize: E. W. Beale. Hodges Silver Medal (Bogey Handicap): H. L. Goddard, eight down.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 99, by A. Lorrimer, on January 3rd, 1895.

Record for Green: The records for the nine holes, 39, by A. Herd and G. Smith, on October 27th, 1894.

The new nine-hole course (2320 yards) is situated within three minutes' walk of the Knighton Tramway Terminus. The hazards consist of brooks, spinneys, hedges, &c. A great deal of care and money has been spent upon the putting greens, which are now excellent. A pretty and commodious clubhouse has been erected at a cost of upwards of 300*l*., and comprises large clubroom, dressing-rooms, lavatories, ladies' rooms, and accommodation for the professional and caddies. The new clubhouse and green were formally opened on Saturday, October 27th, 1894, when a match was played between A. Herd and G. Smith, in which, after a close contest, Herd proved victorious. The club now possess as good a course as it is possible to procure near Leicester. Visitors may play one week free, and afterwards a payment of 2*s.* 6*d.* a week.

LEITH.

LEITH CALEDONIAN GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED SEPTEMBER, 1889.

Annual Subscription, Five Shillings.

Club Prizes.—Gold Medal (scratch); Silver Medal (handicap); Captain's and various other prizes played for on selected greens; Hole Tournament for four club prizes.

SEAFIELD GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1878.

Annual Subscription—Twelve Shillings and Sixpence. *Number of Members*, 150. *Captain*—W. Dougall. *Treasurer*—D. Leitch. *Committee*—J. Adamson, F. P. Cochrane, J. G. Farquhar, G. H. Ridley, L. Smith. *Hon. Secretary*—H. H. Muirhead, 51, Timber Bush, Leith. *Green*—Leith Links.

Club Prizes.—Club Medal (scratch); Monthly Medal (handicap); and other prizes.

LOCHEND GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED OCTOBER, 1893.

Entrance Fee—Two Shillings and Sixpence; *Annual Subscription*—Four Shillings; *Number of Members*—32. *Captain*—J. Mauchline. *Vice-Captain*—G. Mauchline. *Treasurer*—R. Hogarth. *Committee*—J. Morgan, T. Kirk, D. Leitch, G. McKenzie, T. Cairns. *Hon. Secretary*—R. Anderson, 3, Pilrig Cottages, Leith.

Club Prizes.—Scratch and Handicap Medals, on second Saturday of each month.

LEITH SHIPPING COMPANIES' GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1895.

Number of Members, over 80. *President*—T. Aitken (London and Edinburgh Shipping Company). *Vice-President*—D. M'Intyre (J. Currie and Co.). *Captain*—C. Gibson (G. Gibson and Co.). *Committee*—L. Smith (Currie and Co.), R. J. Macdonald (G. Gibson and Co.), J. Henderson (Salvesen and Co.). *Hon. Secretary*—D. P. Aitken (London and Edinburgh Shipping Company), 8, Commercial-street. *Greens*—Musselburgh and Braid Hills.

Club Prizes.—President's Cup (scratch), for foursomes from the various shipping offices; and Captain's Medal (handicap by holes), in April.

Leith Links have an ancient history, and at one time were regularly frequented by the best golfers of the day, but they have long since lost their charm as a golfing course, and, although a considerable improvement is noticeable since the playing of Association football was prohibited by the Leith Town Council, the putting greens are still bad, Play is restricted to certain hours, and is barred altogether in the months of June, July, August, and September.

LELANT AND ST. IVES.

WEST CORNWALL GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED DECEMBER 5TH, 1889.

Entrance Fee, 3*l.* 3*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 178. *President*—Lord St. Levan. *Vice-Presidents*—T. B. Bolitho, M.P., C. T. Praed, and R. W. G. Tyringham. *Captain*—T. Mudge. *Treasurer*—P. Marrack. *Committee*—T. R. Lang, J. Vivian, J. W. Wilkinson, E. Bonse, R. Fox, H. Mansel. *Hon. Secretary*—Rev. R. F. Tyacke, Lelant, R.S.O. *Green*—Lelant Towans. *Greenkeeper*—J. Bennetts.

Club Prizes.—Club Prize (scratch); Bolitho Cup (scratch); Club Cup (handicap); Fox Medal, aggregate of six monthly medal scores; Spring and Autumn Handicaps. Ladies': Seton Trophy (scratch); Club Prize (handicap).

Prize Winners in 1894.—Club Prize (27 holes): J. Rogers, 129. Bolitho Cup (27 holes): J. Rogers, 140. Club Cup (27 holes): J. Vivian, 145 – 33 = 112. Fox Medal: T. Lang, 605. Spring Handicap: R. F. Tyacke, 99 – 18 = 81. Autumn Handicap: R. Fox, 96 – 16 = 80. Ladies: Seton Trophy: Mrs. H. N. Harvey, 80 (12 holes). Club Prize: Mrs. H. N. Harvey, 120 (18 holes).

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 86, by J. Rogers, on September 29th, 1894.

Record for Green.—38, by F. Skene, on September 16th, 1893.

The green is within a quarter of a mile of Lelant station, on the St. Ives branch of the Great Western Railway; twenty minutes by rail from Penzance; ten from St. Ives. Visitors must be introduced by a member; fee, 5*s.* a week, 15*s.* a month. Visitors duly introduced can use the clubhouse. Lodgings can be obtained in Lelant at Hendra's Boarding House, Carbis Bay, and there is excellent hotel accommodation at Tregenna Castle and in Penzance. There are only two bedrooms at the clubhouse, but it will be enlarged. There are two good hotels close to the links. At Michaelmas, 1894, the club took a lease of the Towans—113 acres—for twenty-one years, and at once commenced enlarging the course to eighteen holes. This work is now complete, and a more sporting course can hardly be found. A nine-hole course without crossing clear of the long course has been laid out for the ladies. The round is 1400 yards.

LENOX (U.S.A.)

LENOX GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1894.

The course is at Lenox (Mass.)

LENZIE.

LENZIE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED APRIL 3RD, 1889.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.*; *Number of Members*, 131. *Captain*—J. Stewart. *Treasurer*—R. G Ross. *Hon. Secretary*—W. G. F. Parker, 1, Regent-square, Lenzie.

Club Prizes.—Scratch Medal; Spring and Autumn Tournaments; Driving and Approaching Prizes; Monthly Handicap.

The course of nine holes, varying from about 100 to 400 yards in length, is within five minutes' walk of Lenzie railway station, which is seven miles from Glasgow. Hedges and ditches make excellent hazards. There is a clubhouse with every convenience. Visitors are admitted at a monthly subscription of five shillings. Attached to the club are Boys' and Ladies' sections.

LEVEN.

INNERLEVEN GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1820.

Entrance Fee, 3*l.* 3*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l. Number of Members*, about 220. *Captain*—C. Cook. *Committee*—Rev. C. Durward, J. MacGibbon, W. Shepherd, J. Cowan, G. R. Fortune, W. Hutchinson.* *Treasurer*—J. Bell. *Hon. Secretary*—J. H. Smith, National Bank, Leven. *Greenkeeper*—G. Thomson.

Club Prizes.—Womyss Cup, and Jackson Tankard (scratch) at Spring Meeting; Gold and Silver Medals (scatch), on first day of Summer Meeting; Glover Inkstand (scratch), on second day of Summer Meeting; Ramornie Medal (holes handicap) in August; Chiene Silver Putter (scratch), at Autumn Meeting.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Womyss Cup: Rev. J. Henderson, 88. Jackson Tankard: W. Henderson, 91. Gold Medal: J. Foggo, 82. Silver Medal: P. Balfour, 86. Glover Inkstand: W. N. Bonse, 84. Ramornie Medal: P. Balfour. Chiene Putter: G. A. Fortune, 87.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 81, by J. Foggo, in 1887.

The club are custodians of an Amateur Champion Gold Medal (scratch), competed for annually at the Summer Meeting by members of local and invited clubs. It was won last year by J. Bell, Leven Thistle G. C., with 82.

The club have a commodious clubhouse, of which visitors may, in terms of rules, obtain the privilege on payment of ten shillings a month.

* Nine other members have recently been added.

LEVEN THISTLE GOLF CLUB. INSTITUTED 1868.

Entrance Fee, Residents, Three Shillings; Non-Residents, Five Shillings; *Annual Subscription*, Four Shillings; *Number of Members*, 290. *Captain*—T. Porter. *Treasurer*—J. Neaves. *Committee*—W. Marshall, G. Bruce, P. Ballingall, J. Aitken, D. Jackson, R. Robertson, J. Wilkie, J. Barker. *Hon. Secretary*—J. T. Ireland, Links, Leven.

Club Prizes.—Club Silver Medal (scratch) on last Saturday of March; Campbell Medal (handicap), on last Saturday of March, and September; Baird Cup (scratch), on last Saturday of June and three following Saturdays (the first stage by strokes, the eight lowest scorers then playing off by holes in heats); Mechanics' Medal (scratch), on last Saturday of September; Gilmour Jug (holes); Rann's Eggs (Reid Trophy), an aggregate prize, three scores out of four competitions to count; and Porter Gold Medal, the first stage by strokes, the four lowest scorers then playing off by holes in heats.

Record of Green, 77, by W. Marshall, in 1892, and J. Wilkie, in 1893.

The links are now in possession of the three clubs—the Innerleven, the Lundin, and the Leven Thistle, and only members of these clubs can play without charge. Tickets are obtainable from the greenkeeper and others. The money received is all expended on the links, which are at present being greatly improved. The course, which is one of the best and most popular in the country, consists of eighteen holes. Leven station is within ten minutes' walk of the green, and there is ample accommodation for visitors in the town.

LEVEN LADIES' GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1891.

Entrance Fee, One Shilling; *Annual Subscription*, Five Shillings for Members, and Gentlemen Associates; Twelve Shillings and Sixpence for Family Tickets; *Number of Members*, Family Ticket Holders, 43; Ladies, 48; and Gentlemen, 43. *President*—Mrs. Christie. *Vice-President*—Mrs. A. F. Crole. *Committee*—Miss Peter, Mrs. Patrick, Miss Williamson, Dr. A. F. Crole, E. L. Boase. *Hon. Secretary*—Miss Marjory P. Wilkie, 8, Mitchell-street, Leven. *Greenkeeper*—J. McIntosh.

Club Prizes.—White Gold Medal (scratch), in April; Christie Medal (scratch), in August; also Ladies Singles and Mixed Foursomes about once a fortnight during the summer months (under handicap).

Prize Winners in 1894.—White Medal: Miss G. Williamson, 75. Christie Medal: Miss Mary Wilkie, 69.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 63, by Miss Mary Wilkie, August 17th, 1894, which is also the *Record for the Green.*

The course of eighteen holes is within five minutes walk of Leven Station. A pavilion has been erected for the accommodation of players, and the course, much improved by the removal of whins. The greens are now in better order.

LIMERICK.

LIMERICK GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED DECEMBER 11TH, 1891.

Entrance Fee, Ten Shillings; *Annual Subscription*, Ten Shillings; *Number of Members*, 70. *Captain and President*—A. W. Shaw. *Treasurer*—J. E. Murphy, Bank of Ireland. *Committee*—M. W. Gavin, B. Murray, H. A. Johnson, B. Plummer, W. A. Fogerty, R. D. O'Brien, Capt. Bertram. *Hon. Secretaries*—R. Plummer, 36, Catherine-street, and E. G. Fitt, Catherine-place, Limerick. *Green*—Ballinacurra. *Greenkeeper*—T. MacNamara.

Club Prize.—Captain's Gold Medal (handicap), monthly, won last year by Capt. Bertram, 87.

The course, which consists of nine holes, is a mile and a half from Limerick. It is a fairly hard course to negotiate, the hazards being bunkers, walls, and hedges.

The Lahinch professional comes to Limerick during the months of November, December, and January.

LIMPSFIELD.

LIMPSFIELD CHART GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MARCH, 1889.

Entrance Fee, 5*l.* 5*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 10*s.*; *Number of Members*, 110. *President*—Lieut.-Col. Warde. *Captain*—C. Leveson-Gower. *Hon. Secretary*—Rev. F. W. Parsons, Tatsfield Rectory, Westerham. *Greenkeeper*—A. Nash.

The course stands from 500 to 550 feet above sea level, and, therefore, has at all seasons of the year a delightfully fresh and pleasant air. The turf is not so perfectly suited to the requirements of the game, as in summer it is liable to be overgrown by grass and fern. This difficulty, however, has been met by the energy of the green committee, and the course is now in fairly good order. At present it consists of nine holes, but it is probable that the number will soon

be increased to eighteen. The distance of the round is nearly two miles, none of the holes being more than 350 yards in length, and none less than 150. The chief hazards are gorse bushes, large bunkers filled with whins and water, roads, and cart ruts. There is also a Ladies' course of nine holes. The green is only a mile from Oxted Station, at which flies meet the trains, and there are three inns in Limpsfield.

LINCOLN.

LINCOLN GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED FEBRUARY 12TH, 1891.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; Members residing five miles or more from Lincoln pay half these fees; *Number of Members*, 70. *President*—A. Shuttleworth. *Captain*—W. T. Toynbee. *Hon. Treasurer*—C. G. M. Pym. *Committee*—A. H. Leslie-Melville, H. J. Sutton, H. N. Sutton, R. Swan, Rev. W. N. Usher, M. R. Waldo-Sibthorp. *Hon. Secretary*—W. Swan, Bailgate, Lincoln. *Greenkeeper*—D. Gourlay.

Club Prizes. Swan Gold Medal (scratch); Leslie-Melville prize (handicap); and other prizes.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Swan Gold Medal: Rev. W. N. Usher. Leslie-Melville prize: E. H. Edwardes. Shuttleworth prize: M. R. W. Sibthorp. Sutton prize: Rev. W. N. Usher. Shuttleworth prize: J. Billiat.

Records for Green. (1) Professional, 37, by D. Ayton, on June 15th, 1894; (2) Amateur, 36, by W. T. Toynbee, on June 27th, 1894.

Par of green, 34.

The course of nine holes is laid out on the far-famed Carholme, about a mile and a half from Lincoln station.

SOUTH PARK GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED OCTOBER, 1893.

Entrance Fee, Ten Shillings; Ladies, Five Shillings; *Annual Subscription*, Ten Shillings; Family Ticket, 1*l.* 5*s.*; Ladies, Five Shillings; *Number of Members*, About 40. *President*—J. H. Davies. *Hon. Treasurer*—Rev. H. J. Watney. *Committee*—T. Bell, C. Newsum, Dr. Palmer, Rev. J. W. Townroe. *Hon. Secretary*—F. H. Livens, South Park, Lincoln.

Medal and Bogey Competitions are held on the second and last Saturdays of each month.

The course of nine holes is laid out on South Common, about one mile from Lincoln Station. The hazards are trees, dykes, mounds, and gorse. The soil is sandy and the turf good, but owing to the grazing of horses and cattle on the common, bad lies are frequent. The par of the round is 37.

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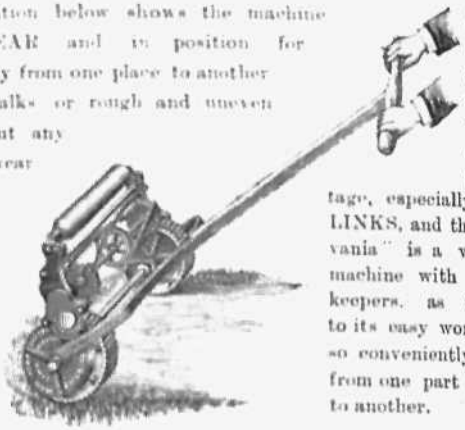

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HOAR CROSS GARDENS, BURTON-ON-TRENT.
February 27th.

Dear Sirs,—I am sending to-morrow three of your "Pennsylvania" Lawn Mowers to be overhauled. Will you be so good as to complete all of them as soon as possible, as they are required for use? I have several other makers' machines on the grounds, but none of the men will look at them while your "Pennsylvania" is here.

From Mr. R. E. RICHARDSON, Gardener to Lord Middleton.

WOLLATON HALL, NOTTINGHAM.
April 3rd.

Dear Sirs,—I have had experience with the "Pennsylvania" machine for about eight years, and have never seen its equal for easy working and thorough utility. It can be used where the old pattern machines cannot get and saves altogether any scythe work.

From Mr. JAMES WHYTOCK, Gardener to Earl Fitzwilliam.

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April 9th.

Gentlemen,—There are three of your Mowing Machines ("Pennsylvanias") in use here, one 14-inch, and two 16-inch. We find these machines to be worked very easily, and cut the grass so level and low as to be all that could be desired.

From WILLIAM VICARY, Esq.

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April 19th.

Dear Sirs,—Some fifteen or sixteen years ago I bought one of your "Pennsylvania" Mowers, and it has been in use ever since. Will you kindly quote me price (carriage paid), for another same size, 16-inch, and oblige.

From Mr. ROBERT LAING.

THE GARDENS, KILLIECHASSIE, ABERFELDY, N.B.
May 4th.

Gentlemen,—I got one of your "Pennsylvania" Mowers eight years ago, and it has given me every satisfaction during that time, and is working as good as ever yet.

LINLITHGOW.

WEST LOTHIAN GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED NOVEMBER 17TH, 1892.

Entrance Fee, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 68. *President*—Sheriff Melville. *Captain*—W. Russell. *Treasurer*—W. Swan. *Committee*—A. Allan, J. W. Anderson, J. S. Denholm, W. A. Denholm, S. C. Cuthbert, J. Forbes, T. Peattie, J. Russell. *Hon. Secretary*—J. C. Liddle, Solicitor, Bo'ness.

Club Prizes.—Monthly Competitions (handicap), on Saturday and Wednesday; Melville Bowl (handicap); Spring and Autumn Tournament (handicap); Spring and Autumn Competitions (handicap).

Prize Winner in 1894.—Melville Bowl: W. Swan.

Record for Green, 39, by W. Russell, in 1894.

The par of the round is 36.

The course of nine holes is situated on the Erngarth Hills, midway between Linlithgow and Bo'ness. The monument erected to the memory of General Adrian Hope stands within a few hundred yards to the south, and looking towards the east, one gets a magnificent view of the Forth Bridge, while in the north-west the Wallace monument stands out clear and distinct. The course is bounded on the south by the Roman road which connects the turnpike road between Linlithgow and Bo'ness with the road from the former place to Carriden. The turf is good, and the hazards are whins and hedges. There is a small clubhouse.

LISBURN.

LISBURN GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JANUARY 1ST, 1893

Entrance Fee, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; Ladies, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, 90. *Captain*—H. Agnew. *Hon. Treasurer*—J. Preston. *Committee*—R. H. Bland, J. T. Richardson, H. Shaw, J. N. R. Pim, G. H. Clarke, A. F. Charley. *Hon. Secretary*—J. M. Barbour, Hilden, Lisburn. *Green*—Manor House Demesne.

There are monthly competitions for ladies and gentlemen during the months from November to April inclusive.

Record for Green, 38, by H. Shaw.

The course of nine holes is situated about half a mile from Lisburn Station. There is a clubhouse on the green.

LISMORE.

Mr. T. Sorwith, proprietor of Kilchearan House, has a private course with a plentiful supply of natural hazards, but he will be delighted to allow golfers who may be in the neighbourhood the privilege of playing. Lismore is an island situated in Loch Linnhe, Argyleshire, and on it are several interesting relics of antiquity, including Auchendown Castle, which used to be the residence of the Bishops of Argyle prior to the Reformation.

LITTLEHAMPTON.

LITTLEHAMPTON GOLF CLUB. INSTITUTED FEBRUARY 16TH, 1889.

Entrance Fee, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Number of Members*, 111. *President*—Duke of Norfolk. *Captain and Hon. Secretary*—A. J. Constable, The Lodge, Littlehampton. *Committee*—A. Holmes, J. Horn, H. E. Harris, U. Lear, R. A. Blagden. *Greenkeeper*—R. Jones.

Club Prizes.—President's Cup, Constable Cup, Wellesley Cup (for driving), and Goff Cup, half yearly, in April and October; Captain's Cup, monthly, final in April; Club Sweepstakes, monthly (all under handicap).

Prize Winners in 1894.—President's Cup: April, E. C. R. Goff, 85—5=80; October, A. B. Smith, 110—18=92. Constable Cup (match play): April, A. J. White beat Lord E. Hamilton by four up and three to play; October, A. B. Smith beat A. J. White by three up and two to play. Goff Cup: April, Lord E. Hamilton, 84—4=80; October, A. Holmes, 92—9=83. Wellesley Cup: April, A. Holmes, 174 yards, against the wind; October, R. Holmes, 202½ yards, side wind. Captain's Cup: Lord E. Hamilton beat E. C. R. Goff by seven up and six to play. Open Competitions—Easter: Cup (36 holes), D. Munro, 193—30=163; Cup (bogey), R. B. Pearson, one up. Summer: Cup (bogey), E. C. R. Goff, five down (very bad weather, and bogey score fixed too low).

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 84, by Lord E. Hamilton, on April 26th.

Records for Green.—(1) Professional, 75, by R. Jones, in April, 1894. (2) Amateur, 84, by Lord E. Hamilton, as above. These are the records over the lengthened course.

The par of the round is 71.

The course of eighteen holes—ten of which are close to the sea—has been much improved and lengthened since last year, being now

slightly over three miles and a quarter. The hazards consist of water, wet and dry ditches, sandhills, rushes, furze bushes, gravel, cart tracks, &c. There is a clubhouse on the green. The course is only ten minutes' walk from the station. There is good accommodation at the hotels, where golfers can make special arrangements for boarding.

LITTLESTONE.

LITTLESTONE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JANUARY, 1888.

Entrance Fee, 5*l.* 5*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 450 (full). *President*—Right Hon. A. J. Balfour, M.P. *Vice-President*—H. T. Tubbs. *Captain*—W. E. Maclagan. *Committee*—G. B. Colt, L. R. Erskine, R. S. Jones, R. Lawson, F. Faithfull-Begg, J. B. Lubbock, F. H. Lee, H. A. Gardom, R. H. Hedderwick, R. G. Macmillan, A. J. Stanley, C. Wintle. *Hon. Secretary and Treasurer*—H. E. Johnson, 23, Knightrider-street, London, E.C. *Greenkeeper*—A. Alexander.

Club Prizes. Purves Champion Gold Medal (scratch), for lowest aggregate of three scores made at Easter, Whitsuntide, August, or Autumn meetings; Denge Gold Trophy (limit 18 strokes), at Easter and August Meetings (retained by winner three times); Tubbs Cup (handicap), for lowest aggregate of the two days' play at the Whitsuntide Meeting (retained by winner three times in succession); Bannon Bowl (limit 18 strokes) afternoon round; Erskine Foursome Cups (limit 18 strokes), match play, at August meeting. Wintle Silver Challenge Cleek (handicap), match play, at Christmas meeting; Gold Medal at Whitsuntide Meeting, by the winners of the monthly medals for the year preceding; Filmer-Bennett Cup (handicap), to be retained on a second win, at Autumn meeting.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Purves Gold Medal: R. Lawson, 90 + 83 + 87 = 260. Denge Trophy: Easter, J. G. Cobb, 95 − 15 = 80; August, R. Lawson, 83 − 2 = 81. Tubbs Cup: L. W. Evans (14), 92 + 80 = 172. Bannon Bowl: C. Wintle, 95 − 16 = 79. Erskine Goblets: H. A. Gardom (5) and A. Kemp (10). Filmer-Bennett Cup: R. H. Hedderwick, 94 − 8 = 86. Wintle Cleek: J. A. Thomas (18). Gold Medal: J. H. Hedderwick, 90 − 5 = 85. Fancourt-Barnes Cup: H. A. Gardom, 91 − 6 = 85. Captain's Prize, an aneroid barometer, presented by R. H. Hedderwick; S. Kemp (9).

Lowest Scratch Score in Competition over present Course, 83, by R. Lawson, in August, 1894.

Record for present Course.—Professional, 76, by A. Alexander, in July, 1894.

The links are situated on the coast of Kent, about eight miles west of Folkestone—Railway Station, New Romney (South-Eastern Railway),

about two and a half hours by train from London. The Grand Hotel and boarding and lodging houses are situated on the marine parade overlooking the sea, and the clubhouse (at the first tee) is within three or four minutes' walk of the parade. There is plenty of good accommodation for visitors. Special railway return tickets are obtainable from the hon. treasurer at reduced rates. The course of eighteen holes has lately been altered and extended, and is about 3½ miles in extent.

LITTLESTONE LADIES' GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1891.

Entrance Fee, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Annual Subscription*, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, 75. *Captain*—Miss Stringer. *Hon. Secretary*—Miss Rowlandson, New Romney, Kent.

The ladies have a separate course, which has recently been much improved, new greens having been laid.

LIVERPOOL.

ROYAL LIVERPOOL GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1869.

Entrance Fee, 10*l.* 10*s.*; in case of gentlemen under 21 years of age, 5*l.* 5*s.*; *Annual Subscriptions*, Members elected before January 1st, 1891, 2*l.* 2*s.*; after January 1st, 1891, 3*l.* 3*s.*; Members residing over 25 miles from the Town Hall of Liverpool shall only be required to pay an annual subscription of 10*s.*, unless they play on the ground or use the club, when they will be required to pay an additional 1*l.* 12*s.*, or 2*l.* 13*s.* as the case may be, to make the full subscription 2*l.* 2*s.* or 3*l.* 3*s.*; Members out of England pay no subscription. *Number of Members*, 700 (the limit), many candidates waiting. *President*—H.R.H. The Duke of Connaught and Strathearn, K.G., K.T., K.P., G.C.M.G. *Vice-President*—Lord Stanley. *Captain*—H. R. Robertson. *Trustees*—J. Dun, H. W. Hind, A. Sinclair, J. Graham. *Hon. Treasurer*—H. Jamon. *Council*—S. G. Sinclair, T. L. Ferguson, J. B. Hinshaw, G. R. Cox, T. W. Crowther, J. B. Fortune, C. T. Dixon, H. Walker. *Secretary*—W. R. Richardson, The Club House, Hoylake, Cheshire. *Professional*—Jack Morris, who has good and efficient workmen in his employ.

Club Prizes and Prize Winners in 1894. — C
for the best scratch score on the first day of th
carrying with it a gold medallion: H. G Hut
Challenge Cross, for the second best scratch score o
the Spring Meeting, carrying with it a small silver
Ball, jun., 83 (after tieing with W. E. Fairlie). H.R.
of Connaught's Challenge Star, for the best scratch
second day of the Spring Meeting, carrying with it
medallion: J. E. Laidlay, 80. Lord Stanley of Alderley's
for the second best scratch score on the second day
Meeting, carrying with it a small silver medallion: J. L.
Lubbock Gold Medal (the gift of J. Dun), for the best scr. ch
at the Summer Meeting (Bank Holiday in August), carrying w
a small gold medallion: H. H. Hilton, 84. Dowie Silver Cup,
the best scratch score on the first day of the Autumn Meetin
carrying with it a small gold medallion: H. H. Hilton, 81. Hall Blyth
Gold Medal, for the second best scratch score on the first day of
the Autumn Meeting, carrying with it a small silver medallion:
E. J. B. Farrar, 82. Kennard Gold Medal, for the best scratch score
on the second day of the Autumn Meeting, carrying with it a small
gold medallion: H. G. Hutchinson, 80. Stewart-Govane Cup, for the
second best scratch score on the second day of the Autumn Meeting,
carrying with it a small silver medallion: C. Hutchings, 82. St.
Andrew's Gold Cross (the gift of W. C. A. Milligan), for the best
scratch score on the Saturday nearest to St. Andrew's Day, carrying
with it a small gold medallion: J. Ball, jun., 82. Spring
Challenge Vase (handicap, limited to 14 strokes), on the first day of
the Spring Meeting, carrying with it Club Handicap Prize (value
5*l.*): W. E. Fairlie, 84 (scratch). Hind Cup (handicap, limited to 14
strokes), on the second day of the Spring Meeting, to be won twice
by the same player; if not won twice in five years the five winners
play off for final possession: H. W. Hind, 94−9=85. Club Handi-
cap Prize (value 5*l.*): Dr. J. B. Siddall, 93−7=86, winning tie from
J. E. Laidlay, 80+6=86, and H. W. Forster, 90−4=86. Bombay
Challenge Cup (handicap, limited to 14 strokes), at the Summer
Meeting, carrying with it Club Handicap Prize (value 5*l.*): G.
Stewart, 88−8=80. Gibson Sinclair Cup (handicap, limited to 14
strokes), at the Spring and Autumn Meetings, for the best net
aggregate score of the two medal days, to become the property of any
one winning it twice, April 23rd and 24th: W. E. Fairlie, 84 (scratch),
and 87+2=89=173. October 3rd and 5th: A. H. Doleman, 91−4=97,
and 87−4=83=170. Club Handicap Prize (October 3rd, value 5*l.*):
E. J. B. Farrar, 82−1=81. Club Handicap Prize (October 5th, value
5*l.*): A. H. Doleman, 87−4=83 (winning tie from J. E. Pearson).
Club Handicap Prize (value 5*l.*), at St. Andrew's Day Meeting:
E. Spencer, 87−2=85. Members in the second class, receiving 15
to 30 strokes handicap, played for special prizes, the gift of the club:—
May 2nd, First Prize (value 4*l.*): W. S. Henderson, 110−25=85;
Second Prize (value: G. Jager, jun, 112−29=87. May 4th, First
Prize (value 4*l.*): H. J. Houghton, 113−22=91; Second Prize (value

jun., 114—22=92. August 6th. Prize (value
—18=90. October 2nd. First Prize (value 4*l.*):
20=80; Second Prize (value 2*l.*): B. H. Hilton,
ing tie from St. Clare Byrne). October 4th, First
; Geo. Stone, 101—18=83; Second Prize (value 2*l.*):
90—16=84. December 1st, Prize (value 5*l.*): W.
18=90. First Class Winter Optionals, 1893-94: T. W.
C. E. Dick divided. Second Class Winter Optionals,
A. Wall: (2) W. S. Patterson and St. Clare Byrne
thly Medal (handicap): April 7th, A. Wall, 96—15=81;
B. Adamson, 92—12=80; June 2nd, St. Clare Byrne,
4 (winning tie from W. H. Alexander and A. A. A. Reid);
W. C. A. Milligan, 100—14=86; August 4th, H. W.
, 91—6=85; September 1st, J. B. Hinshaw, 90—4=86, and
C. Clarke, 106—20=86, tied. First Class Summer Optionals: (1)
E. J. B. Farrar; (2) J. H. Knight. Second Class Summer Optionals:
(1) St. Clare Byrne; (2) G. W. Harris. Boys' Medal (sons of
members under 15 years of age): F. P. Crowther, jun., 88. Caddies'
Medal: J. James, 90.

Record of the Green.—The medal play record of the green is 75, by H. H. Hilton, in May, 1893; but in 1890, in a match, J. Ball, jun., registered 74, this being the par of round.

During the Autumn Meeting two very interesting foursome matches were played between J. Ball, jun., and C. E. Dick and H. G. Hutchinson and C. Hutchings. The former were successful on both days, their play on the second day being particularly fine, as they went out in 36 with one stimie over the Championship course; their opponents being only 41.

Hoylake links, which consist of eighteen holes, are within a half hour's continuous railway journey from Liverpool and Birkenhead, and may be reached from either by the Mersey Tunnel and Wirral Railway Company. West Kirby, a station on the London and North-Western Railway and Great Western Railway (joint line), is within a mile of the clubhouse.

In view of the increased work entailed upon the hon. secretary of the club, on account of the new buildings, &c., Mr. T. Owen Potter has retired from the post, which he has held for thirteen years, during which time he always had the good of the club, comfort of visitors, and encouragement of the game at heart.

Owing to the new clubhouse now in course of erection, and the possibility of building on part of the old course, two or more new holes will have to be made, and it has been decided to extend the course towards the Red Rocks in a north-westerly direction. These holes, when finished, give promise of being very good. The new clubhouse, to be finished this summer, will be a very fine building, in every way worthy of the reputation of the club. The site is near to the third or "Stanley" hole, and from the first floor a fine view of the links can be obtained. The situation will, of course, alter the starting tee, and it is proposed to play the second or "Course" hole as the first, and the present first or "Stand" as the home hole.

Any member may admit a friend or friends to the use of the club-house and the green for a period not exceeding two days on inserting his or their names in a book to be kept for that purpose (called the Visitors' Book). The same person or persons cannot be again admitted during the current year except upon the terms undermentioned. If it is desired that the person or persons should be admitted for a longer period, a payment must be made for such person of 2*s.* 6*d.* for every day, or 10*s.* for every week, during which the privilege is enjoyed, the admitting member to be answerable for the above charges. The name or the person or persons so admitted is subject to approval by the Council, and must be attested in the Visitors' Book by the signature of the introducing member and a member of the Council or the Secretary. A ticket must be applied for by anyone introduced as above, and must be produced at any time on the demand of a member of the club or of the custodian of the green or his representative; such ticket to be signed by an officer of the club and to bear the date of issue and the period for which it is in force. On competition days, holidays, and Saturdays no visitor will be permitted to play unless he is introduced for not less than a week.

WEST LANCASHIRE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1873.

Entrance Fee, 10*l.* 10*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Number of Members*, 395. *President*—W. J. Blundell. *Captain*—F. W. Cornelius. *Hon. Treasurer*—T. Shelmerdine, jun. *Trustees*—W. S. Taylor, J. W. Fowler, D. Fernie. *Committee*—H. J. Chisholm, A. Durandu, E. Evans, jun., C. McLaren, A. Chisholm, H. F. Fernie, D. H. Greenwood, A. G. Rankine. *Hon. Secretary*—J. W. Fowler, Osbert-road, Blundellsands, Liverpool; address, North Western Bank, Limited, 6, Dale-street. *Green*—Hall-road. *Professional*—D. Low.

Club Prizes.—Cookson Challenge Prize (scratch), and Club Prize (handicap), on April 15th; Gold Challenge Medal (scratch); McLaren Cup (handicap) to be held for a year by the player returning the best aggregate score at the Autumn Meeting of one and the Spring Meeting of the following year, and to become the property of player winning it a second time. If not won at or before the Spring Meeting of 1896, the six holders to play off for it, and Harris Prize (handicap), and Club Prizes (handicap) on May 4th; Clark Prize (handicap) on July 13th. The players of the six best net scores will then have to play each other—Match Play—in an American Tournament. The winner of the most matches will take the prize. In case of a tie another match to decide; Gardner Prize (handicap), on August 5th; Hobbs Prize (handicap)—two competitors on March 23rd, and April 6th.

The players of the eight best aggregate scores, on these dates, to play off Match Play against one another, under Special Handicap; Club Challenge Silver Cup (scratch); Autumn Challenge Cup (handicap); McLaren Cup (handicap), and three Club Prizes (handicap), on September 7th. St. Andrews Challenge Gold Cross (scratch); Parson's Prize (handicap) and Club Prize (handicap) on November 2nd; Blundell Aggregate Prize (handicap) to become the property of the player making the best aggregate score of any seven returns in the above Medal Competitions; Monthly Prize (handicap) on the last Wednesday—April to August inclusive, and the last Saturday of September; Final (special handicap) on October 5th; Captain's Prize (tournament) during Spring and Summer; Nine Hole Tournament (special sweepstakes) on June 3rd; President's Prizes (foursomes) in September and October.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Cup: H. H. Hilton, 76. Gold Medal: H. H. Hilton, 73. Silver Cup: H. H. Hilton, 80. St. Andrew's Gold Cross: H. H. Hilton, 80. Club Prizes—Easter: T. R. Henderson, 87 – 3 = 84. Spring: A. G. Rouhine, 85 – 7 = 78. Autumn: D. A. Fisher, 99 – 16 = 83. St. Andrew's: E. Evans, jun., 96 – 15 = 81. Tournament: W. Potter (1) beat J. W. Fowler (scratch). Foursomes: H. H. Hilton and H. J. Chisholm (odds 5) beat G. R. Cox, jun., and T. R. Grimsdale (scratch). Officers Prize: Dr. T. B. Grimsdale. Aggregate Prize: G. H. O. Salt.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 73, by H. H. Hilton, on May 5th, 1894.

The links of the West Lancashire Golf Club are well situated, being about eight miles from Liverpool (Exchange Station) on the Lancashire and Yorkshire Railway, Southport Line, a good service of trains stopping at Hall-road Station, to which the Club has a private way. Within the last few years the ground has been much improved and lengthened. In the spring of 1887 the new course, of eighteen holes, extending to rather over three miles as measured from hole to hole, was opened. The course is of a most sporting description, the approaches to the holes being well guarded by hazards—both natural and artificial—while the putting greens leave little to be desired. The links are held by the club under a lease from Colonel Blundell, the Hon. President, and are much frequented, both by local players and those resident in Liverpool. There is a large and commodious clubhouse.

The club has taken in additional ground on the west side of the railway, access to which will be obtained by a bridge over the railway near the present ninth hole. The new ground, although very rough at present, gives every promise of being an excellent addition to the links, as it abounds in hazards, and by its means the out and home lines of play will only approach one another at the ninth hole. The course will not at first be much lengthened, but several short holes will be done away with, and hence no blocking is anticipated on Medal days and Holidays. Visitors are allowed three day's play free, afterwards 2*s.* 6*d.* a day or 10*s.* a week is charged.

WEST LANCASHIRE LADIES' GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED OCTOBER, 1891.

Entrance Fee, 3*l.* 3*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 229, and 106 Associates. *Captain*—Miss G. F. Taylor. *Hon. Treasurer*—Mrs. J. W. Fowler. *Committee*—Miss Alsop, Mrs. Andersan, Mrs. Dunnage, Mrs. Harley, Miss Latham, Mrs. W Potter, Mrs. J. W. Thompson, Mrs. McLaren. *Hon. Secretary* — Miss E. Stoddart, Blundellsands.

Prize Winners in 1894.—January 1st: Miss Stoddart, 80. February Competition: Mrs. Harley, 94—3=91. Tournament: Miss M. B. Welch. Spring Challenge: Miss C. Young, 89—10=79. Autumn Challenge: Miss Stoddart, 80+1=81. October Competition: Miss G. F. Taylor, 84—4=80. St. Andrews Competition: Mrs. Petitjean, 92—15=77.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 77, on April 25th, by Mrs. Warr, 77, and on October 31st, by Miss C. Young, 77.

The Record for the Green, 72, by Miss E. L. Couper.

The links at Hall-road, consist of eighteen holes, the hazards being sand and willows. The longest hole is about 200 yards

LLANDUDNO.

NORTH WALES GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MAY 5TH, 1894.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 90. *Hon. Secretary*—T. D. Cummins, Clarence Hotel, Llandudno. *Greenkeeper*—F. Collins.

Club Prizes.—Gold Medal (handicap), on first Saturday of each month, from February to July, inclusive, final in August; Secretary's Prize (handicap), on April 15th; Bogey Competition (handicap), on May 1st; Clarence Prize, on June 1st, four lowest scorers to play off on June 3rd; Craigside Gold Medal, on September 28th, under similar conditions; Bogey Prize, on October 26th.

Green Record, 73, by H. H. Hilton, on November 3rd, 1894.

The course of eighteen holes is laid out on the sandhills adjoining Conway Bay, five of the greens being close to the sea. The surrounding scenery is of a charming description. There is a spacious clubhouse for ladies and gentlemen, where luncheon and tea are provided daily. The course is open for play on Sunday to annual subscribers only. The first tee is close to the Clarence Hotel, and Llandudno Station is within ten minutes' walk.

Visitors who are members of a recognised Golf Club are admitted as day members at 2*s.* 6*d.*, weekly at 7*s.* 6*d.*, and monthly at 1*l.* 1*s.* Tickets may be had at the Golf House.

LOCHEARNHEAD.

The course is a private one in connection with Lochearnhead Hotel, and is situated in Glen Ogle about two and a half miles from Lochearnhead Station. Non-residents in the hotel may, however, play on payment of one shilling per day or sixpence a round.

LOCHGILPHEAD.

There is a course here of which we have no details.

LOCHMADDY.

There is a very fair nine-hole course near Lochmaddy, in the Island of North Uist.

LOCKERBIE.

ANNANDALE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JULY 10TH, 1889.

Annual Subscription, Gentlemen, Seven Shillings and Sixpence; Ladies, Two Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, 50. *Hon. President*—R. W. B. Jardine. *President*—D. J. Bell-Irving. *Vice-President*—A. Rogerson. *Captain* J. Sanders. *Hon. Treasurer*—W. Mc Clure, Clydesdale Bank. *Committee*—D. Stewart, D. McJerrow, D. Wilson, J. Halliday, P. Malcolm. *Hon. Secretary* —J. M. Duncan, Dryfesdale-place, Lockerbie. *Greenkeeper*—J. Gordon.

Green Record, 34, by D. Stewart, on October 26th, 1894.

The course of nine holes is on the Lamb Hill, about half a mile from Lockerbie Station. The hazards are roads, whins, &c. Excellent accommodation may be had in the town.

LONDON.

ROYAL BLACKHEATH GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1608.

Entrance Fee, 5*l.* 5*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 3*l.* 3*s.*; *Number of Members*, 134. *Field Marshal*—Col. E. H. Kennard. *Trustees*—W. G. Barnes, W. Morris, R. Whyte. *Captain*—F. S. Ireland. *Committee*—J. G. Gibson, W. E. Hughes, Rev. J. H. Ellis, C. B. Lindsay, G. Spurling, W. H. M. Christie, R. Winch. *Hon. Secretary*—W. G. Barnes, 93, Blackheath-hill, S.E. *Hon. Treasurer*—J. S. Sawyer. *Greenkeeper*—G. Brews.

Club Prizes. Bombay Medal, in February; Spring Medal, in April; Summer Medal, in June; George Glennie Medal, in October; and Photographic Society's Medal, in December, are scratch prizes. Captain's Cup, in February; Knill Cup, in April; Singapore Cup, in June; Penn Cup, in October; and Calcutta Cup, in December, are played for under handicap, limited to 21 strokes.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Bombay Medal: A. Schacht, 125. Spring Medal: A. Schacht, 112. Summer Medal: F. S. Ireland, 112. Glennie Medal: A. Schacht, 116. Photographic Medal: F. S. Ireland, 115. Knill Cup: E. F. S. Tylecote, 115—9=106. Singapore Cup: F. S. Ireland, 112. Penn Cup: W. E. Hughes, 126. Calcutta Cup: W. O. S. Pell, 119.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 110, by F. S. Ireland.

Last year the club played Cambridge University and won by seven holes.

Blackheath is now under the control of the London County Council, and no play is allowed after 8 a.m. without a fore caddie carrying a red flag, and no play after 2 p.m. on Saturdays. There are seven holes played over thrice in competitions.

The nearest railway stations are: Greenwich, on the South-Eastern Railway, and Blackheath Hill, on the London, Chatham, and Dover Railway, being, the former about ten, and the latter about four minutes' walk from the clubhouse.

BLACKHEATH LADIES' GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED DECEMBER, 1889.

Entrance Fee, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 10*s.* 6*d.*; *Number of Members*, 100. *President*—Mrs. F. Lucas. *Vice-President*—Mrs. Beaumont. *Hon. Treasurer*—Mrs. W. C. Johnson. *Committee*—Mrs. F. S. Ireland, Mrs. Penrose, Miss M. Sillar, Miss Richardson, Mrs. Machern, Miss Knapping, Miss Fossett. *Hon. Secretary*—Miss A. Bidwell, 34, Lea-terrace, Blackheath, S.E. *Greenkeeper*—W. Puttock.

Club Prizes.—Valerie Cup (scratch), on first Tuesday in October; Monthly Medal (handicap) on first Wednesday of each month.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Valerie Cup: Miss M. Smyth, 84. Miss Riddle's Silver Dish: Mrs. Mackern, 76. Monthly Medal: January, Mrs. Laird, 87; February, Miss M. Richardson, 75; March, Mrs. Laird, 75; April, Mrs. Triscott, 61; May, Miss Fraser, 72; June, Miss Fraser, 72; July, Mrs. Whyte, 72; August, Miss Fossett, 74; September, Miss Frean, 73; October, Miss A. Richardson, 84; November, Miss Raymond, 81; December, Mrs. Edwards, 64 (all net). Mrs. Beaumont's Prize: Mrs. Penrose, 73 (net). Mrs. Richardson's Bogey Prize: Mrs. Whyte, 6 up. Richardson Prize for best three net medal scores out of four: Miss Mackern, 78+79+78=235. Barnes Bogey Prize for best two results out of three:

Miss M. Richardson, eight up. Mackern Prize: Miss A. Richardson, 77 (net). Penrose Bogey Prize: Miss M. Smyth, two up. Winch Prizes (Mixed Foursomes *v.* Bogey): (1) Miss Knapping and Dr. Mackern, two up: (2) Miss E. Richardson and W. Richardson, one down. Waghorn Prize for best single round out of two: Mrs. Mead, 36 (net). Spring Tournament, prize for best result in matches: Miss A. Richardson: Prize for best result in holes: Miss M. Richardson. Greatest Improvement Prize: Mrs. Penrose.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 70, by Mrs. Mackern, on October 7th, 1892.

The Record for the Green is 33, by Mrs. Meredith, on June 7th, 1893.

Blackheath Railway Station is five minutes' walk from the club-room (3, Montpelier-row) and from the first tee. The course of nine holes is a driving and not a putting one, the holes varying from 81 to 230 yards in length. The circuit is now 1430 yards.

LONDON SCOTTISH GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1865.

Entrance Fee, 5*l.* 5*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 2*l.* *President*—Lieut.-Colonel Balfour, London Scottish Rifle Volunteers. *Hon. Captain*—Earl of Wemyss. *Captain*—J. Duncan. *Committee*—A. M. M. Crichton, A. Mackay, W. T. King, J. Dickie, Hon. C. H. Sinclair, J. Walker, jun., K. B. Brown, G. P. Walker. *Hon. Treasurer*—J. A. Greig, 60, Charing-cross, S.W. *Hon. Secretary*—J. Gow, 10, Woodlands-road, Barnes Common, S.W. *Green*—Wimbledon Common. *Club Maker*—Peter Fernie.

Club Prizes and Winners in 1894.—Spring Meeting: Regimental Challenge Quaich and Miniature: Capt. Sutherland, 97—14=83 (after a tie with three other members). Hope Grant and Elcho Medal and Gold Miniature: T. R. Pinkerton, 85 (scratch). Mackenzie Challenge Cup: E. F. White, 95—12=83. Wemyss Challenge Cup: W. S. Scott, 98—15=83. Autumn Meeting—Mackenzie Challenge Cup: T. R. Pinkerton, 75+3=78. Autumn Scratch Medal and Miniature: D. S. Froy, 87 (scratch). Wemyss Challenge Cup: T. G. Maclean, 91—8=83. Monthly Medal (final): Capt. St. John, 93—15=78.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Competition, 75, by T. R. Pinkerton, on October 18th, 1894. This is the amateur record of the green.

The quickest route from the City is to Putney Station, on the London and South-Western Railway, and thence by cab.

ROYAL WIMBLEDON GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1865.

Entrance Fee, 10*l.* 10*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 3*l.* 3*s.*; *Number of Members*, 400. *Captain*—Sir Alex. Moncrieff, C.B. *Committee*—J. M. Henderson, A. Adams, T. W

Lang, M. Tabuteau, C. M. Smith, E. Field, W. Bazalgette F. J. Walker, J. H. Mudie, J. R. D. Hill. *Hon. Secretary and Treasurer*—N. R. Foster, 1, Sunnyside, Wimbledon. *Green*—Wimbledon. *Greenkeeper*—D. W. Patrick.

Club Prizes.—Monthly Medal (handicap, limited to 18 strokes), on last Saturday of each month; Club Gold Medal (scratch), on the Thursday of Spring Meeting; Bombay Cup (handicap, limited to 18 strokes), on the Thursday of Spring Meeting; Kennard Gold Medal (scratch), on the Saturday of Spring Meeting; Ridpath Challenge Bowl (handicap, limited to 9 strokes), on the Saturday of Spring Meeting; Club Gold Medal (scratch), on the Thursday of Autumn Meeting; Steven Cup (handicap), on the Thursday of Autumn Meeting; Bennett Medal (scratch), on the Saturday of Autumn Meeting; Silver Iron (handicap, limited to 18 strokes), Foursomes Tournament in heats; Silver Shield (handicap, limited to 18 strokes), Singles Tournament in heats; Davidson Gold Medal (handicap, limited to 18 strokes), for three best scores of the Spring and Autumn Competitions (four days), handicap to be that of the Thursday of each meeting; Strickland Silver Salver (handicap), for best four scores of Monthly Medals, April to March inclusive, scores reckoned from date of entry; Henry Lamb Memorial Medal for the best four scratch scores of Autumn and Spring Meetings.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Club Medal: Spring, W. L. Purves, 87; Autumn, T. M. Henderson, 91. Bombay Cup: Sir A. Moncrieff, 94−15=79. Ridpath Bowl: H. C. Willock, 89−9=80. Kennard Medal: D. Davidson, 83. Steven Cup: A. Mackay, 100−12=88. Bennett Medal: W. L. Purves, 91. Silver Iron: J. H. Driver, 9; J. M. Henderson, 4. Silver Shield: H. F. Lawford, 5. Davidson Medal: H. C. Willock, 94−12=86; 86−12=74; 104−6=98. Silver Salver: H. T. Wright. Henry Lamb Memorial Medal: N. R. Foster. Autumn, 1893, 80 and 86; Spring, 1894, 92 and 87.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 76, by H. A. Molesworth, in October, 1890.

Wimbledon Common is within easy reach of London, Wimbledon Station being reached in about twenty minutes from Waterloo. There is always a good supply of cabs at the station, the fare is 1*s.* 6*d.*, and it takes about fifteen minutes to reach the clubhouse. The part of the common over which play takes place is high, and interspersed with patches of gorse and undulating ground. The turf is gravelly and uneven, with patches of remarkably coarse, tough grass, but during the last year or two the course has improved considerably, and the putting greens are now about as good as it is possible to get them. By a recent bye-law of the Conservators of the Common, the wearing of a red coat is compulsory upon all players.

WIMBLEDON LADIES' GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1872.

Entrance Fee, 5*l.* 5*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 290; Associates, 56. *Captain*—Miss

A. A. Tyrwhitt-Drake. *Hon. Treasurer*—J. M. Henderson. *Hon. Greenkeeper*—Miss Issette Pearson. *Committee*—Mrs. Pollock, H. Strickland, Mrs. A. King, R. Browne, Mrs. H. C. Willock, J. Dickie, Mrs. Foster, J. Gane, Miss Issette Pearson, J. Henderson, Miss N. Muir. *Hon. Secretary*—Mrs. Cameron, 3, Lauriston-road, Wimbledon. *Green*—Wimbledon Common. *Greenkeeper*—W. Frost.

Club Prizes.—Club Cup (scratch), memento for aggregate of four best scores at Autumn and Spring Meetings; Club Cup (handicap), at Spring Meeting; Club Jug (handicap) and Captain's Bowl (handicap), at Autumn Meeting; Monthly Medals and Memento, on third Saturday of each month.

Prize Winners in 1894. Tournament during January and February (limited to nine handicap), Miss E. R. Faithful, nine. Spring Meeting First day—Open Handicap Prize: Mrs. Maynard, 92−13=79; Handicap Prize (limited to 16): Miss H. M. Frere, 84−10=74; Scratch Prize: Miss A. M. Kenyon-Stow, 38. Second day—Open Handicap Prize, Mrs. N. R. Foster, 89−13=76; Handicap (limited to 16), Mrs. J. E. Peat, 85−11=74. Driving Competition: Miss Issette Pearson, two balls both 119 yards carry. Third day—Handicap Prize (members and associates): N. R. Foster, 68+6=74. Club Challenge Cup (handicap), aggregate of three scores of three days of meeting: Miss G. Hassard-Short, 83+80+81=244. Autumn Meeting—Silver Challenge Jug (handicap): Miss Issette Pearson, 74 (scratch). Instand (handicap limited to 16): Miss A. M. Kenyon-Stow, 78−5=73. Travelling Clock (handicap over 16): Miss L. Field, 92−19=73. Open Handicap Prize: Miss Aston, 96−24=72. Club Challenge Cup (scratch), for four best scores at Spring and Autumn meetings: Miss Issette Pearson, 87+86+74+81=328. Captain's Challenge Bowl, for two scores of Autumn meeting: Miss A. M. Kenyon-Stow, 73+73=146.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 68, by N. R. Foster, an associate of the club, on May 5th, 1894; and 74, by Miss Issette Pearson, twice, in June, 1893, and in October 1894.

Records for Green, 33, by N. R. Foster, and 34, by Miss Issette Pearson, both on May 5th, 1894.

The course is a short one of nine holes, with a great many hazards in the shape of whins and gravel bunkers. The club scratch score is 74.

BALHAM GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1894.

Entrance Fee, 3*l.* 3*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 3*l.* 3*s.*; *Number of Members*, about 150. *Captain*—W. R. Dockrell. *Hon. Secretary*—A. Cole, Oak, Lodge, Telford Park, S.W. *Greenkeeper and Professional*—A. Covington.

The course of nine holes is laid out on Hyde Farm, about three minutes' walk from Balham Station, and a similar distance from the tramway lines running from Westminster, &c. The hazards are hedges, trees, ditches, hurdles, and artificial bunkers. The par of the round is 33. The clubhouse, in which is accommodation for lady members, is close to the first tee.

BARNES LADIES' GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED DECEMBER, 1891.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, 48. *Ground Committee*—R. B. Brown, S. Lambert, and J. Gow. *Committee*—Mrs. R. B. Brown, Mrs. Gay, Mrs. Dallas, Mrs. K. B. Brown, Mrs. Dickins, Mrs. McHardy, Miss Connell, Mrs. Warner. *Hon. Secretary*—Miss Gow, 10, Woodlands-road, Barnes. *Hon. Treasurer*—Miss B. Brown, Lindores, Upper Richmond-road, Putney. *Green*—Barnes Common. *Greenkeeper*—J. Constable.

Club Prizes.—Monthly Medal (handicap), on first Wednesday in every month; and prizes in summer.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Monthly Medal (final): Mrs. Dickins, 91—18=73. Bogey Competition: Miss Gow, one down. April Prizes: (1) Mrs. Warner, 103—25=78; (2) Miss M. Dickie, 88—5=83; (3) Miss Gay, 93—10=83.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 83, by Miss M. Dickie, on April 3rd, 1894.

The course of six holes is within five minutes' walk of Barnes Station.

BECKENHAM GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED SEPTEMBER, 1893.

Entrance Fee, 5*l.* 5*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 3*l.* 3*s.*; *Number of Members*, 260. *President*—F. E. Loyd. *Captain*—F. T. Edridge. *Treasurer*—R. Stevens. *Committee*—G. F. Browne, W. H. Dees, W. N. Dunn, J. M. Kerr, T. F. Kerr, C. M. Elborough, A. S. Main, S. F. Prest, E. Howard, E. Robson. *Hon. Secretary*—P. G. Collins, 21, The Avenue, Beckenham. *Greenkeeper*—W. H. Booth.

Club Prizes.—Noakes Gold Medal (scratch), on April 27th and October 5th; and President's Trophy (handicap); the Club Gold and Silver Medals (handicap), on third Saturday of each month; Cramp Silver Tankard (handicap), on May 1st and November 1st; Medals, October 5th.

The course of eighteen holes, about three and a quarter miles in circuit, is within 250 yards of Woodside Station on the S. E. R. line to Croydon.

BLACKHEATH SCHOOL OLD BOYS GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MARCH, 1893.

Annual Subscription, Five Shillings; *Number of Members*, 75. *Captain*—F. S. Ireland. *Hon. Secretary and Treasurer*—H. E. Laurence, Eliot Vale, Blackheath.

Membership is limited to Old Boys of the Blackheath Proprietary School and of gentlemen who are or have been connected with the management of the school either as masters or members of the school committee.

Club Prizes.—Gold Medal (scratch), and Silver Cup (handicap), in May and October.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Gold Medal, May and October: F. S. Ireland. Silver Cup: May, C. Frean. October: M. H. Richardson.

CHISWICK GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED SEPTEMBER 29TH, 1892.

Entrance Fee, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Annual Subscripton*, 4*l.* 4*s.*; *Number of Members*, 225. *Captain*—J. T. Currie. *Hon. Treasurer*—C. Braby. *Committee*—S. C. Bignold, C. H. Byers, R. F. Finnis, E. H. Lawrie, C. O'Mally, Dr. D. Coles. *Hon. Secretary*—J. W. Price, Torrington Lodge, Chiswick. *Greenkeeper*—G. Keddie.

The club has now acquired the sole tenancy of Chiswick Park, and the course has been much improved. The soil is sandy, and the green is very little affected by wet weather. The farmhouse which stands in the middle of the Park has been fitted up as a clubhouse. The course is one of twelve holes in the shape of the figure 8, six holes in each loop, the first six being repeated to make the orthodox eighteen. Stations, Chiswick Station (L. and S.W.R.) adjoins the course, and Acton Green (District Railway), and Gunnersbury (North London) are within ten minutes' walk.

CHISWICK LADIES GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED SEPTEMBER, 1893.

Entrance Fee, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Annual Subscription*, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Number of Members*, 50. *Captain*—Mrs. Sim. *Committee*—Miss Anning, Miss Castle, Mrs. Atherley-Jones, Miss Malet, Mrs. Price. *Hon. Secretary*—Mrs. Finnis, Sutton Court-road, Chiswick. *Hon. Treasurer*—Mrs. D. Coles.

Club Prizes.—Monthly Medal, on second Thursday of each month; and Prizes in Spring and Autumn.

The ladies play over the same course as the gentlemen, except that the tees are shortened, where long hazards have to be driven. There is no play after two o'clock on Saturdays.

CHORLEY WOOD GOLF CLUB.

No particulars forthcoming.

CHORLEY WOOD LADIES' GOLF CLUB.

No particulars forthcoming.

CIVIL SERVICE GOLFERS CLUB, INSTITUTED JANUARY 24TH, 1894.

Annual Subscription, Two Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, limited to 50. *President*—Right Hon. A. J. Balfour, M.P. *Captain*—F. Skene. *Committee*—H. H. Batten, A. J. Eames, C. G. Pym, W. T. Hughes, W. Langley, Surgeon Lieut.-Col. Pratt, H. Tomlinson, R. E. Yerburgh. *Hon. Secretary*—W. D. Bovill, 65, Onslow-gardens, London, S.W.

The club is a peripatetic one, formed with the object of playing team matches against other clubs.

CLAPHAM COMMON GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1873.

Entrance Fee, Ten Shillings; Ladies, Five Shillings; *Annual Subscription*, Ten Shillings; Ladies, Five Shillings. *Number of Members*, 47 gentlemen and 34 ladies. *Captain*—T. Ravenhill. *Committee*—Dr. G. S. Woodhead, J. Lidiard, T. R. Pace, W. S. de Mattos, E. J. Hunt, E. L. Arnold. *Hon. Secretary and Treasurer*—J. J. Hayes, 103, Marney-road, Clapham Common. *Greenkeeper*—J. Knott.

Club Prizes.—Fairlie Gold Medal (scratch), at Spring and Autumn Meetings; Cronin Medal (handicap), on first Thursday of each month, except July, August, and September; Committee Medal (handicap) for Ladies, monthly; Ladies' Badge, played for by the lowest scorers on Medal days, from October to March inclusive.

Prize Winners in 1894. Cronin Medal: February, E. L. Arnold (18 holes), 111−14=97; (9 holes): March, T. R. Pace, 57−7=50; April, E. L. Arnold, 52−7=45; May, T. C. Last, 49−3=46; June, C. E. Last, 54−8=46; (18 holes): October, T. C. Last, 46−3=43; November, J. W. Pace, 109−11=98; December, W. S. de Mattos,

86 + 3 = 89. Spring Match Competition: J. Millar. Fairlie Gold Medal—Spring: J. J. Hayes, 99; Autumn, W. S. de Mattos, 94. Challenge Cup: C. E. Last, 99 − 14 = 85. Mixed Foursomes Competition: Miss Drake and Dr. G. S. Woodhead. Ladies' Monthly Medal (12 hole course): January, Miss M. Bradbury, 90 − 6 = 84; February, Mrs. Woodhead, 85 (scratch); (6 hole course): March, Mrs. Saunders, 46 − 9 = 37; April, Miss M. Drake, 37 − 4 = 33; May, Miss M. Andrews, 44 − 9 = 35; June, Miss M. Bradbury, 34 − 1 = 33; October, Miss M. Bradbury, 41 − 2 = 39; (12 hole course): November, Mrs. Woodhead, 88 − 4 = 84; December, Mrs. Woodhead, 82 − 4 = 78. St. Valentine's Day Competition (over long course): Mrs. Woodhead, 139 (scratch). Autumn Match Competition: Mrs. Woodhead.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 82, by W. S. de Mattos, in December, 1893.

Records for Green—(1), professional, 77, by T. Dunn, in November, 1890. (2) amateur, 82, by W. S. de Mattos, as above.

Play is restricted within certain hours by the London County Council. Both the course and the greens are deteriorating owing to football and cricket being so largely indulged in upon the Common. The Common is within a few minutes' walk of Clapham Junction, Wandsworth Road, and Clapham Road Railway Stations.

CLAYGATE COMMON GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1895.

President—Lord Foley. *Vice-President*—Rev. A. A. Barratt. *Hon. Secretary*—R. S. Bunch, Claygate, Surrey.

The course of nine holes is 2510 yards in length, and the par is 36. It is about half a mile from Claygate Station (L. and S.W.R.).

DULWICH AND SYDENHAM HILL GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1894.

Entrance Fee, Gentlemen 5*l.* 5*s.*; Ladies, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, Gentleman, 3*l.* 3*s.*; Ladies, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 165 Gentlemen, 60 Ladies. *Captain*—J. C. Bayldon. *Hon. Treasurer*—F. C. Nunn. *Committee*—A. de Chapeaurouge, S. S. Brown, J. H. Kingsford. *Hon. Secretary*—J. McNab, 4, Turney-road, W. Dulwich, S.E. *Greenkeeper*—P. Nichols.

Club Prizes.—Gentlemen's Challenge Cup (handicap); Ladies' Challenge Prize (handicap); Ladies' and Gentlemen's Monthly Medals.

Record for Green, 41, by J. Rowe and P. Paxton.

The course is a nine-hole one within a few minutes' walk of Sydenham-hill and Lordship-lane Stations. The hazards are mainly trees and bunkers. There is a separate six-hole course for ladies.

EALING GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1894.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 4*l.* 4*s.* *President*—Lord George Hamilton, M.P. *Hon. Secretary*—A. T. W. McCaul, 21, St. Helen's-place, Bishopsgate-street, London, E.C. *Green*—Twyford Abbey, Ealing, Middlesex. *Greenkeeper and Professional*—J. Pearson, (late of Brockenhurst).

Arrangements have been made with the proprietor of the Twyford Estate for acquiring the right of play over the course formerly occupied by the old Ealing Golf Club, now the West Middlesex Golf Club, which removed to Hanwell early in 1894. The course, which consists of eighteen holes, was regularly played over until January last, and there will be no difficulty in restoring the greens to their former excellent condition in a very short time. The course is easily accessible from any part of London. The stations are Sudbury and Ealing. Sudbury is the next station beyond Willesden Junction on the North-Western line, and fast trains run from Broad-street in twenty-four minutes, and from Euston in seventeen minutes, while Ealing is reached from Paddington in twelve minutes, and from Earl's Court in twenty-two minutes. A clubhouse will shortly be erected, but in the meantime arrrangements have been made for the club having the exclusive use of rooms at the Fox and Goose, which has recently passed into new hands, and where luncheons, teas, &c., of good quality can now be obtained at a fixed tariff.

EAST FINCHLEY GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1893.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; Ladies, Five Shillings; *Annual Subscription*, 2*l.* 2*s.*; Ladies, Two Shillings and Sixpence. *President*—W. Hill. *Captain*—Dr. Wylie. *Vice-Captain*—W. H. Pickard. *Hon. Treasurer*—R. Mitchell, 37, Nicholas-lane, E.C. *Hon. Secretararies*—J. Elder, Stortford Villa, East Finchley, N.; J. W. P. Scott, 17, North-road, Highgate, N. *Committee*—G. Elliott, W. H. Fraser, W. G. Grieve, H. J. Hall, C. Hood, J. Hyslop, W. L. Jones, G. Kreuger, W. Minto, W. Muirhead, K. Pawling, W. Wylie. *Greenkeeper*—W. Duncan.

The course of nine holes is on the Manor Farm, in the fields between Fortis Green and Highgate Woods, and is within five minutes' walk of East Finchley Station, and fifteen minutes' walk of Highgate and Muswell Hill Stations on the G.N. Railway. The G.N. Railway Company issue first-class return tickets, at a single fare, to East Finchley from Moorgate-street, Aldersgate-street, Farringdon-street, King's Cross, Holloway, and Finsbury Park Stations on their line, to members, on production of their cards of membership.

EAST SHEEN LADIES' GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED OCTOBER, 1891.

Hon. Treasurer—Miss Rawstone. *Hon. Secretary*—Miss A. Cholmely, The Observatory, East Sheen.

The course of nine holes is laid out on East Sheen Common.

ELTHAM GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1892.

Entrance Fee, 10*l.* 10*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 5*l.* 5*s.*; *Number of Ordinary Members*, limited to 300; *Honorary Members*: Officers, naval and military on full pay, 2*l.* 12*s.* 6*d.* for six months; *Country Members*, residing fifty miles from Charing Cross, 2*l.* 2*s.* per annum; *Temporary Members*, 10*s.* per week, not exceeding four weeks in any one year. *President*—Hon. A. H. Grosvenor. *Captain* — R. Whyte. *Committee* — W. C. Anderson, T. J. Baillie, A. D. Blyth, W. D. Bovill, Sir Guy T. Campbell, Bart., J. Dun, F. S. Ireland, A. Marshall, E. M. Protheroe, S. Priday, W. H. Richardson, H. A. Richardson, H. Simson, E. F. S. Tylecote, C. G. Tunks. *Secretary and Treasurer*—R. A. Collingwood, The Clubhouse, Eltham, Kent. *Greenkeeper*—W. Reith. *Playing Professional*—W. Toogood.

Club Prizes.—Eltham Challenge Cup, half-yearly; Scratch Gold Medals at Spring and Autumn Meetings; Monthly Medal Final, &c.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Spring Meeting: Scratch Gold Medal, A. S. Johnston, 85, after a tie with F. S. Ireland; Handicap Prize, E. R. Lindley, 90 − 12 = 78, after a tie with W. F. Whetstone; Monthly Medal Final, A. S. Johnston, after a tie with A. Tapp. Autumn Meeting: Scratch Gold Medal, A. S. Johnston, 84; Eltham Challenge Cup, L. Stokes, 87 − 8 = 79; Handicap Prizes, R. H. Hedderwick, M. H. Richardson, H. T. Lindley. President's Prize: R. H. Hedderwick.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 79, by W. H. Richardson, in August, 1893.

Record for Green, 71, by A. Toogood, in 1894.

Club Scratch Score, 82.

The course, which is private, comprises over 100 acres, which have been secured on lease for a term of twenty-one years. It adjoins Eltham Station on the South-Eastern Railway, and can be reached in about thirty minutes by numerous trains throughout the day from Charing Cross, Cannon-street, and London Bridge. Thanks to the courtesy of the railway management—and although not shown in the company's time tables—the fast train from Charing

Cross at 1.25 and London Bridge at 1.32 (not calling at Cannon-street) stops at Eltham on *Saturdays only*. Return tickets (available by any train and issued to members only) can be obtained from the steward at the following reduced fares: First class, 2*s.*; second, 1*s.* 6*d.*; third, 1*s.* 3*d.*

A fine and capacious old mansion, known as Eltham Lodge, has been adapted as the clubhouse, and contains ample accommodation, consisting of dining, smoking, reading, dressing, billiard, card, and other rooms. The house itself was built by the King's own architect in 1663-64, and is of the Dutch style, which was so much in vogue during the reign of Charles II. It formed part of the Royal establishment then existing at Eltham, and contains valuable tapestry and some oil paintings. The first tee and last hole are on the lawn within a few yards of the hall door. In addition to the rooms mentioned above, entirely separate ones are devoted exclusively to the Eltham Ladies' Golf Club. The course, originally laid out with eleven, was extended to eighteen holes, without any crossing, in the spring of 1893, and is about 3¼ miles long. The holes vary in length from about 125 to 450 yards, are well protected by sand bunkers, ponds, and other hazards; and the high opinions formed by experts at the outset have been well borne out by the excellent condition into which the green has now been brought, rendering it probably difficult to find better and more enjoyable golf amid equally pleasant and picturesque surroundings within so short a distance of London. A complete system of surface draining has been carried out, with the object of making the course as good for winter play as it has always been for the rest of the year. The clubhouse contains no bedrooms for members; but good lodgings and furnished houses are to be had in the immediate neighbourhood.

ELTHAM LADIES' GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED FEBRUARY 22ND, 1893.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*. 1*l.* 6*s.*; *Number of Members*, 150. *President*—Mrs. Lord. *Committee*—Mrs. W. H. Richardson, Mrs. Hedderwick, Mrs. Johnston, Mrs. Whyte, Mrs. Keen. *Hon. Secretary*—Mrs. A. J. Brown, Lyme Farm House, Eltham, Kent.

Club Prizes.—A Monthly Medal (handicap) is played for on the last Saturday in the month; handicap alternately against Bogey by strokes.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Monthly Medals: January, Mrs. Poland, 90—8=82; February, Mrs. Mackern, 81 (scratch); March, Miss M. Richardson, 86—4=82; April, Mrs. Lord, 86—10=76; May, Mrs. Mackern, 77 (scratch); June, Mrs. Fraser, (11) one up; July, Miss Richardson, 96—9=77; August, Mrs. Mackern (scratch), two down; September, Mrs. Massey, 96—15=81; October, Mrs. Mackern (1), five up; November, Mrs. Mackern, 77+2=79; December, Mrs. Stokes (5), one up. Prizes given by Mrs. Keen: Mrs. Laird,

94—13=81, and Mrs. Stokes, 88—5=83. Bogey Sweepstakes —Easter: Miss M. Richardson (5), all even. Bogey Foursomes—Spring: Mrs. Laird and Miss Hamilton, one down. Driving Competition: Miss Hamilton. Approaching Competition: Mrs. Lord. Putting Competition: Miss Knapping. May Aggregate Prize: Mrs. Mackern, 82+82+77=241. Medal Winners' Tournament for a Silver Instand, given by Mrs. R. Whyte: Mrs. Lord. Mixed Foursomes: Mrs. Mackern and R. Whyte. Mrs. Lord's Aggregate Prize of three scores against Bogey: Miss Hamilton, total, eleven up. Medal Play Foursomes: Mrs. Richardson and Mrs. Lord, 89—7½=81½. Richardson Prize: Miss Farnall, 87—11=76. Boxing Day Sweepstakes: Miss M. Fraser, 103—14=89.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 74, by Miss Hamilton, on September 28th, 1894.

Green Record, 34, by Mrs. Mackern.

The course consists of nine holes, varying from 100 to 220 yards in length, and there are plenty of bunkers.

ELTHAM WARREN GOLF CLUB.

Number of Members, 30.

Green Record, 34, by W. Toogood.

The course of nine holes abounds in natural difficulties, and requires very careful play. The greens are rather small, but the turf is good.

ROYAL EPPING FOREST GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JULY 26TH, 1888.

Entrance Fee, 3*l.* 3*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 400. *Patron*—H.R.H. the Duke of Connaught, K.G. *President*—Earl of Warwick. *Vice-President*—Col. Lockwood, M.P. *Captain*—G. Thompson. *Hon. Treasurer*—A. W. Good. *Hon. Secretary*—T. F. Caldwell, Queen's Grove-road, Chingford. *Committee*—S. R. Bastard, S. Clarke, F. F. McKenzie, J. G. Glover, C. E. Greig, J. W. Greig, E. Flint, J. S. Badkin, J. Gould-Smith, S. Kemp. *Greenkeeper*—J. Wilson.

Club Prizes.—Scratch Medal, half-yearly; Gold Medal (handicap, limited to 12 strokes), and Silver Medal (handicap, 13 to 25 strokes), quarterly; Gordon Challenge Cup (handicap), on last Saturday in every month, final at the end of club year for Captain's Prize, any member winning cup three years to become the owner; Monthly Medal, Foursome and Single Competition (bogey).

Prize Winners in 1894.—Scratch Medal: G. L. Swinstead, 90; Capt. Cowper Coles, 91. Quarterly Gold Medal: W. E. Hall, 91—10=81; S. Kemp, 96—10=86; A. M. Kyd, 97—12=85; T. T. Cowell, 92—9=83. Bogey (singles): R. Bedwood, three up; H. A.

Gardom, three down. Foursome Competitions: G. H. Swinstead and F. H. Swinstead, two up; H. E. Fisher and E. Flint, one down. Gordon Challenge Cup and Captain's Prize: J. Godwin.

The course of eighteen holes, is situated on the waste land of Epping Forest, and is surrounded with woodland scenery. It is within five minutes' walk from Chingford Station, on the Great Eastern Railway, there being a service of trains running to and from Liverpool Street Station, London, every half hour, the journey occupying thirty minutes. It is also readily accessible from Highgate, Hampstead, and Tottenham. The club-room is in the grounds of the Royal Forest Hotel, and every accommodation may be found both for golfers and visitors at the Hotel. First-class return tickets may be obtained upon production of membership ticket at any station between Liverpool Street and Chingford at single fare. Caddies' fees are as follows:—Round of nine holes, ninepence; eighteen holes, one shilling. Youths under fifteen years of age: Nine holes, sixpence; eighteen holes, ninepence. Members are requested to engage and pay their caddies through Commissionaire Pike, the club attendant. The professional is in attendance daily. His charge is two shillings and sixpence per round of eighteen holes, and three shillings a lesson for beginners, and members must also pay his caddie. No Sunday play is allowed.

FINCHLEY GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED OCTOBER, 1892.

Entrance Fee, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Number of Members*, 120. *President*—H. T. Tubbs. *Vice-Presidents*—H. C. Stephens, M.P., F. A. Hamilton, W. R. Bousfield, Q.C., M.P. *Captain*—P. B. Tubbs. *Hon. Secretary*—J. M. McGregor, St. Cuthbert's, North Finchley. *Hon. Treasurer*—J. C. Harrison. *Greenkeeper and Professional*—C. Crawford.

Club Prizes.—President's Challenge Cup; Monthly Medals; Captain's Prize; and Bogey Competitions.

The course of nine holes is laid out on the property of Mr. H. T. Tubbs. It is about half a mile from Finchley Station (G.N.R.).

HAMPSTEAD GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1893.

Entrance Fee, 5*l.* 5*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 3*l.* 3*s.*; Ladies, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 150, and 50 Ladies. *Captain*—F. Hoare. *Committee*—Dr. Rayner, J. R. Banks, W. Dawes, J. G. Glover, A. Lyle, J. L. May, F. R. Morris, R. Pearce, W. Scrimgeour, E. Swain. *Hon. Secretary and Treasurer*—G. A. Mitchell, 7, South Hill Park Gardens, Hampstead. *Greenkeeper*—J. Govan.

Club Prizes.—Monthly Medal, on second Saturday of each month, final in June; Bogey Competitions in January, April, June, and September; Scrimgeour Silver Challenge Cup (handicap), quarterly, in March, May, July, and October, final in March, 1896; Dawes Aggregate Prize, at summer meeting; and various other prizes for singles and foursomes at spring and Easter meetings.

During the season, home and home matches will be played with the East Finchley, Finchley, and Muswell Hill Clubs.

Records for Green: (1) Professional, 40, by J. Govan; (2) Amateur, 41, by Rev. A. E. Allcock, on October 13th, 1894.

The course of nine holes is laid out on the Spaniard's Farm, between Turner's Wood and Bishop's Wood, about a mile from Hampstead Heath Station (North London Railway).

HAMPSTEAD LADIES' GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1895.

Captain—Mrs. W. Scrimgeour. *Committee*—Mrs. F. Morris, Miss Hoare, Mrs. Henderson, Miss Lovell. *Hon. Secretary*—Mrs. C. Church.

This is really a branch of the Hampstead Club. A Monthly Medal is played for.

HERMITAGE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1895.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.* *Hon. Secretary*—L. W. Hayden, The Hermitage, Norbury, Surrey.

This club is only in course of formation.

LLOYD'S GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1894.

President—A. Borwick. *Captain*—A. L. Tweedie.

Competitions are generally played at Wimbledon or Littlestone. The principal trophy is the President's Silver Cup, value 10*l.* 10*s.*

MID-SURREY GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED OCTOBER 24TH, 1892.

Entrance Fee, 10*l.* 10*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 5*l.* 5*s.*; *Number of Members*, 400 (the present limit). *President*—W. B. Dick. *Vice-Presidents*—C. W. Alcock, G. Cave, E. T. Gurdon. *Captain*—J. R. D. Hill. *Committee*—C. N. Cobbett, E. W. Davis, A. J. Eames, J. R. Gairdner, S. F. Higgins, H. F. Highton, T. A. S. Keely, F. R. Leftwich, J. Orrell, E. T. Sachs, G. E. Steward, C. C. Sutch, Capt. T. Collins, H. Tomlinson, J. S. Worthington.

Secretary and Treasurer—J. C. Montgomerie. The Clubhouse, Old Deer Park, Richmond, S.W. *Club Maker and Professional*—R. Munro, late of Carnoustie.

Club Prizes.—Prizes at Summer and Autumn Meetings; Monthly Medals for Juniors and Seniors on the last Saturday of each month; Scratch Gold Medal, at Spring and Autumn Meetings.

The club are the tenants under the Crown, of the Old Deer Park, Richmond, which consists of about 310 acres, the whole of which is available for play. The course of eighteen holes has been laid out with great care. The holes, varying from 120 yards to 560 yards, make an aggregate of three and a half miles without crossing. The hazards consist of trees, a large pond, and a number of artificial sand bunkers. The soil (sand and gravel) is porous, and good for play a few hours after the heaviest rainfall. A new and commodious clubhouse has been erected on the green, five minutes' walk from Richmond Station (L. and S.W.R.), to which frequent trains run from all parts of the City. The house stands in the middle of the park, and contains large hall, club, smoking, committee, dressing, and drying rooms, lavatories, and ample locker accommodation, and every convenience for the members.

MID-SURREY LADIES GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1892.

Entrance Fee, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Number of Members*, 160. *Captain*—Mrs. Craven. *Committee*—Miss Alcock, Miss Bowyer, Mrs. Holmwood, Miss M. Langrishe, Mrs. Marson, Miss Roberts, Miss E. Ravenshaw, Mrs. Collins.

The course (in the Old Deer Park, Richmond) is a long one of nine holes, with a great many hazards in the shape of sand bunkers. The holes vary in length from 120 to 320 yards. The clubhouse, which contains ample club, luncheon, and dressing room accommodation, is three minutes' walk from Richmond Station (Metropolitan, District, N. London, and S. Western Railways).

Club Prizes.—Prizes at Spring and Autumn Meetings; Monthly Medals for Seniors and Juniors, on first Tuesday in every month.

MUSWELL HILL GOLF CLUB.

No details forthcoming.

NEASDEN GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1893.

Entrance Fee, 10*l.* 10*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 6*l.* 6*s.*; Ladies, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Number of Members*, 255. (Limit, 300.) In addition, members not exceeding 50 in number are now eligible for election, at an annual subscription of 6*l.* 6*s.* without entrance fee, but they cannot play on Saturdays

and Sundays. *President* — Hon. A. Lyttleton. *Vice-Presidents*—Lord Ribblesdale, Hon. Chandos Leigh, Hon. R. C. Devereux, Baron Halkett, S. M. Hill. *Captain*—G. G. Smith. *Hon. Secretary*—S. Clifford. *Secretary*—Major H. Maule, Neasden Golf Club. *Professional*—J. Milne (Montrose).

Club Prizes.—Monthly Medals (Senior and Junior), on last Saturday of each month; Spring Gold Medals; Autumn Gold Medal; and other prizes.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Senior Gold Medal: J. Wood, 92—11=81. Junior Gold Medal: E. T. Clifford, 94—16=78. Quarterly Medal: F. W. Watts, 91—10=81. Monthly Medal (final): W. J. Ketley, 95—9=86.

Green Records.—(1) Professional, 72, by J. Milne; (2) Amateur, 73, by Capt. Cowper Coles.

The club grounds are situated within five minutes' walk of Neasden Station on the Metropolitan Railway, eighteen minutes' run from Baker-street. Tickets at reduced rates are to be had at the club. The grounds are six minutes' walk from Dudding Hill Station (Midland Railway), and five miles by road from the Marble Arch.

The club consists of a first-class mansion and grounds, besides a private golf course, of eighteen holes, none of which cross. Play seven days a week. The course is situated on high ground, the turf is excellent, and there are some first-class natural hazards besides artificial sand bunkers. Caddies are in attendance daily. The par of the round is 68. The house contains large hall, lounge, billiard-room, card-room, smoking-room, bath-rooms, dressing-rooms, bed-rooms for members, besides a large Golf Pavilion, with luncheon-room, drying-room, lavatories, lockers, professionals' room, caddies' shelter. There are charmingly laid out grounds with tennis lawns, large pond suitable for skating in the winter, and excellent stabling. More ground than is used belongs to the club, and may, if desired, be laid out as a ladies' course.

NORBURY GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED OCTOBER, 1893.

Entrance Fee, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 3*l.* 3*s.*; *Number of Members*, 100 (limit 125). *Captain*—R. B. Anderson. *Hon. Treasurer*—A. Benger. *Committee*—S. J. Bendall, H. E. Billing, D. Grant, R.N., R. E. Emson, E. L. Mansergh, F. A. Moore, J. W. Taylor. *Hon. Secretary*—A. W. Macfarlane, 34, Kempshott-road, Streatham, S.W. *Greenkeeper*—W. Chester.

Club Prizes.—Monthly Medal from April to September; Epps Cup, open to members who have competed in at least three monthly medals competitions during the preceding summer, any member winning the

cup three years to become the owner—now held by R. B. Anderson; various other competitions during the year.

The course of nine holes is close to Norbury Station, which is about thirty minutes from London Bridge and Victoria by L.B. and S.C. Railway. Several important improvements have been effected during the winter, and these alterations have increased the length of the round to over one mile and a half. The club rooms are at Dursley, Norbury, facing the green. Play seven days a week.

PRINCE'S GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1892.

Entrance Fee, 6*l.* 6*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 4*l.* 4*s.*; *Number of Members*, 600. *President*—Rt. Hon. A. J. Balfour, M.P. *Captain*—J. B. Lubbock. *Committee*—F. E. Astley-Corbett, C. Bonsor, M.P., Lord Edward Cecil, Hon. A. Charteris, R. Combe, R. H. Cox, Right Hon. Sir W. Hart-Dyke, Bart., M.P., Marquis of Granby, M.P., J. Hanbury, Hon. K. Howard, J. R. Hutchison, Col. E. H. Kennard, Captain D. Kinloch, Captain M. Laing, T. W. Legh, M.P., Hon. A. Lyttelton, Captain F. I. Maxse, Sir H. Maxwell, Bart., M.P., Captain C. N. Miles, A. H. A. Morton, Captain H. Rose, R.N., W. Simpson, J. Watney, H. Williams. *Hon. Secretary*—W. W. Hammond, Prince's Golf Club, Mitcham Junction. *Greenkeeper*—J. Dunn.

Scratch and handicap prizes are competed for annually in June.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Scratch: H. G. Hutchinson, 81. Handicap: J. Harper, 97 − 16 = 81.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 81, by H. G. Hutchinson, as above.

Green Record, 79, by H. G. Hutchinson.

The course of eighteen holes on Mitcham Common covers a distance of 6325 yards, and the par of the round is 80. The sub-soil is gravel, and is consequently almost impervious to rain. The clubhouse is close to Mitcham Junction Station (L.B. and S.C.R.), and overlooks the course. Frequent trains run to Mitcham Junction from Victoria and London Bridge, the time occupied being from eighteen to twenty minutes. Vouchers can be obtained from the Secretary, Prince's Club, Knightsbridge, and at the Golf Club, entitling members to a first-class return ticket for 1*s.* 6*d.* No entrance fee will be charged to members of Prince's Racquet and Tennis Club, and gentlemen residing within one mile of the club may become members without the use of the clubhouse, on payment of 2*l.* 2*s.* per annum. Members of the following clubs:—Prince's Racquet and Tennis, The Guards', The Marlborough, The Turf, St. James's The Bachelors', Arthur's, Brook's, White's, and The Wellington, are eligible for election without being proposed or seconded. Visitors may play without restrictions, except on Saturdays and Bank Holidays.

PRINCES' LADIES' GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JUNE 16TH, 1894.

Annual Subscription, 3*l.* 3*s.*; *Number of Members*, 135. *Captain*—Hon. Mrs. W. Rowley. *Committee*—Lady Abercromby, Lady Gertrude Astley-Corbett, Mrs. G. Banbury, Lady Florence Bourke, Mrs. Fisher, Miss Halford, Mrs. J. R. Hutchison, Hon. Mrs. G. Murray, Lady Ribblesdale, Mrs. B. Roberts, Mrs. H. Stewart, Miss Thorold, Mrs. Wilson. *Hon. Secretary*—Miss Langley, 31, Queen's Gate-terrace, London, S.W. *Greenkeeper*—Charles Surkitt. *Professionals*—J. and G. Dunn.

Club Prizes.—Open (scratch) Prize, in June; Monthly Medals and Quarterly Prizes (winners play off by holes); Club Prizes (handicap); Bogey Competitions on February 6th, May 1st, August 7th, and November 6th.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Open Scratch Competition on June 16th: Mrs. Tennant, 96; Miss Langley, 98; and Miss Miles, 98. Quarterly Prizes: Miss Langley, 82—3=79; Miss Rostrum, 89—8=81; Miss A. Pascoe, 86—3=83. Open Scratch Competition on November 17th: Miss A. Pascoe, 84, after a tie with Mrs. Cameron at 85. December Medal: Miss Short, 88—8=80.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 82, by Miss Langley, on November 16th, 1894.

Record for Green, 35, by Miss Langley, on the same date.

Members can introduce visitors to the luxurious clubhouse, which is close to the station.

The course, of nine holes, has been cleverly arranged, and furze bushes, rough ground, and two artificial bunkers make it thoroughly sporting. The longest hole is about 270 yards, and there are two excellent short holes of about 70 yards. Ladies residing in Mitcham are eligible for election, without the use of the clubhouse, at a subscription of 1*l.* 1*s.*

RANELAGH GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MARCH, 1890.

Entrance Fee, 10*l.* 10*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 10*l.* 10*s.*; *Number of Members*, 1100. *Captain*—Rev. T. J. Filmer-Bennett. *Committee*—Earl of Dudley, R. Bramwell Davis, Q.C., S. Mure Fergusson, G. Hastings, M.D., E. Lehmann, A. Peat, G. A. Williams, G. C. Wylie. *Hon. Secretary*—A. Adams, Ranelagh Club, Barnes, S.W., and Lloyd's, E.C. *Professional*—G. Burrows.

Club Prizes.—Singles Tournament (match play), for prize value ten guineas, presented by the Ranelagh Club Committee; Foursomes Tournament (match play), for two prizes, value five guineas each,

presented by Rev. T. J. Filmer-Bennett; Filmer-Bennett Challenge Cup; Captain's Prize, Singles Tournament (match play); Silver Medal, monthly, from November to April, winners to play for gold medal

Prize Winner in 1894.—Filmer-Bennett Challenge Cup: H. White.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition (on present course), 78, by S. Muro Fergusson, in November, 1894.

The course consists of eighteen holes, interspersed with hazards of various kinds, including two drives over necks of the lake. It is easily accessible from town, either from Waterloo to Barnes Station, or by District Railway to Hammersmith, from whence omnibuses run to the entrance to the grounds. The course is open for play on Sundays.

RICHMOND GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED FEBRUARY 23RD, 1891.

Entrance Fee, 10*l.* 10*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 5*l.* 5*s.*; *Number of Members*, 350. *Captain*—J. R. Gairdner. *Hon. Treasurer*—S. F. Higgins. *Committee*—W. Lindsay, Dr. Williamson, C. E. Cowper, C. E. Routh, J. Hodgkin, E. M. Cockell, Dr. Gardiner, B. Johnson, G. Metcalf, Capt. Reade. *Assistant-Secretary*—A. Collins. *Greenkeeper*—T. Hogg.

Club Prizes.—Gold Medal (scratch) at Spring and Autumn Meetings; Bennett Cup (handicap) at Autumn Meetings: Monthly Medal (handicap) on first Saturday in each month, and other prizes.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 75, by J. Gairdner, in October, 1893.

Record for Green.—74, by F. G. Tait, in October, 1893.

The course of eighteen holes, is situated in Sudbrook Park, Petersham, the hazards being bunkers, ditches, &c. It is about two miles from Richmond Station (L. & S.W., District, Metropolitan, and North London Railways), and also from Twickenham, Strawberry Hill, Teddington, Hampton Wick, and Kingston Stations (L. & S.W.R.) The Hydropathic in the park is the club's headquarters.

STREATHAM GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED NOVEMBER 3RD, 1892.

Annual Subscription, Five Shillings; *Number of Members*, 150. *Captain*—S. T. Fisher. *Treasurer*—Dr. J. E. Sang. *Committee*—Dr. L. Jones, S. N. Challoner, D. Noel, Dr. Steadman. *Hon. Secretary*—J. D. Matthew, 171, Bedford Hill, Balham, S.W. *Green*—Tooting Common.

The course consists of nine holes, and there is a small club-room in the lodge of the Head Common-keeper. No play is allowed on

Saturdays after 10 a.m., or on any other day during the months from March to October inclusive, but during the other four it is allowed (Saturdays excepted) till noon.

TOOTING BEC GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED NOVEMBER 10TH, 1888.

Entrance Fee, 15*l.* 15*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 3*l.* 3*s.*; *Number of Members*, 550. *President*—Marquis of Granby, M.P. *Vice-Presidents*—H. Broadhurst, Col. C. Seely, M.P., C. Mortimer. *Captain*—S. T. Fisher. *Hon. Treasurer*—T. W. Tamplin. *Committee*—Hon. L. Ashley, G. Ackroyd, M.D., Dr. D. Donald, H. W. Foster, M.P., H. Jackson, J. C. Hanbury, Hon. T. W. Legh, M.P., A. J. Robertson, F. Skene, G. E. Tabor. *Secretary*—J. D. Matthew, 171, Bedford Hill-road, Balham, S.W. *Green*—Furzedown. *Greenkeeper*—P. Paxton.

Club Prizes.—Granby Silver Bowl (handicap-holes); Ellis Gold Medal (scratch); Bristowe Challenge Cup (handicap); Guy Pym Cup (handicap); Bronze Monthly Medal (handicap); Club Gold Medal to be played for by winners of Monthly Medal for the year.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Granby Cup: Spring, Dr. H. Hetley, Autumn, T. R. Pinkerton. Ellis Medal: Spring, J. G. Smith, 91 + 87 = 178; Autumn, T. R. Pinkerton, 83 + 92 = 175. Bristowe Challenge Cup: Spring, H. Butler, 103 − 18 = 85; Autumn, T. R. Pinkerton, 83 + 3 = 86. Guy Pym Cup. Spring, Captain E. E. Schuyler, 92 − 12 = 80, Autumn, F. E. Badham, 90 − 10 = 80. Dudley Ward Cup: J. G. Maclean. Monthly Medal: February, G. F. Collyer, 89 − 14 = 75; March, H. W. Foster, M.P., 82 − 2 = 80; April, J. G. Maclean, 89 − 7 = 82; May, Captain E. E. Schuyler, 92 − 12 = 80; June, G. D. Wandsborough, 90 − 12 = 78; July, A. Hood, 90 − 9 = 81; October, H. Lugton, 82 (scr.); November, C. H. Dorman, 98 − 18 = 80; December, O. E. Coles, 101 − 12 = 89. Aggregate Prize (handicap): Spring, W. F. Richmond, 79 + 86 = 165; Autumn, R. Bramwell Davies, 98 + 80 = 178. Parliamentary Competition: Right Hon. A. J. Balfour, M.P.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 82, by H. Lugton, in October.

Green Records (1) Professional, 74, by D. Rolland; (2) Amateur, 76, by T. R. Pinkerton.

The course of eighteen holes is situated on the Furzedown Estate at Tooting, the property of Colonel Charles Seely, who has granted to the club a lease for twenty-one years from Lady Day, 1892, terminable by the Club at the end of seven years, and by either party at the end of fourteen years. The nearest railway stations are Tooting Junction (a few yards from the entrance) and Balham and Upper Tooting (distant about one and a half miles). A clubhouse containing every

convenience has been erected on the green. Visitors may be introduced by a member to the privileges of the clubhouse and green for two playing days in any one year without payment, and afterwards at the rate of two shillings per day, but the same visitor shall not be introduced by either one or more members for more than sixteen days in the same year, and no member may introduce more than two visitors on any one day.

WANSTEAD PARK GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED OCTOBER, 1893.

Entrance Fee, Gentlemen, 3*l.* 3*s.*; Ladies, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, Gentlemen, 3*l.* 3*s.*; Ladies, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 120 Gentlemen, 50 Ladies. *President*—Earl Cowley. *Hon. Treasurer*—R. A. Ellis. *Council*—J. G. Fowler, F. C. Hill, J. S. Pearce, T. G. Venables, S. W. Pedley, E. A. Read, D. W. Stable. *Hon. Secretary*—R. B. Johnston, The Elms, Wanstead. *Hon. Assistant Secretary*—H. E. Smith. *Greenkeeper*—J. Macpherson.

Club Prizes.—Monthly Medal and Captain's Prize on last Saturday of each month; Quarterly Medal on third Saturday in March, June, September, December; Ladies' Quarterly Medal; Cowley Bowl (all under handicap.)

The course of nine holes, about two miles long, is laid out in Wanstead Park, the principal hazards being dykes. It is situated about a mile from Snaresbrook Station (G.E.R.), to which an excellent service of trains run from Liverpool-street and Fenchurch-street. There is a commodious clubhouse, with dressing rooms.

WEST MIDDLESEX GOLF CLUB (FORMERLY EALING GOLF CLUB), INSTITUTED APRIL, 1890.

The course, of eighteen holes, is laid out on land belonging to Lord Jersey, situated on both sides of the main road from London to Uxbridge, about eight miles from the Marble Arch. The hazards are gravel pits, broom, bushes, ditches, ponds, the railway, &c., and the soil is firm and dry. The clubhouse, and the last hole, are ten minutes' walk from Hanwell Station (G.W.R.), by private footpath for club members. A large clubhouse, containing luncheon, smoke, and club-rooms, bath-rooms, &c., was recently erected.

WEST MIDDLESEX LADIES' GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1893.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 11*s.* 6*d.* *Captain*—Miss A. L. Carver. *Hon. Secretary*—Miss Hale, 17, Upper Westbourne-terrace, London, S.W.

The club captaincy was won last year by Miss Carver with a score of 94. The club have a pavilion adjoining the green of the West Middlesex Golf Club, from whom the ground on which the course is laid out has been leased.

WILLESDEN GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JUNE, 1891.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Number of Members*, 80. *Captain and Hon. Secretary*—W. F. Mapleston, 14, Bramshill-road, Harlesden, N.W. *Vice-Captain*—J. R. Townsend. *Treasurer*—S. R. Davie. *Committee* — A. T. Lyon, J. Rawlings, J. Henderson, H. Higgs. *Greenkeeper*—J. Irvine.

Club Prizes.—Monthly Medals, for long and short handicaps; Anderson Cup (holes): Special Prizes for medal winners; and Prizes at Spring and Autumn Meetings.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Anderson Cup: F. Ross. Other Prizes: J. Ogilvie, J. Rawlings, L. Carter, J. G. Anderson, E. F. Currie. Medal Winners' Prize: F. Ross.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 76, by F. Ross, on March 31st, 1894.

Record for Two Rounds of Green, 71, by F. Ross, in June, 1894, and by E. F. Currie, in August, 1894.

The course of nine holes is situated at Old Oak Common, about five minutes' walk from Willesden Junction. For an inland green it provides a fairly good round. There is a club-room on the ground, at which refreshments can be procured.

WOODFORD GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED OCTOBER, 1890.

Entrance Fee, 3*l.* 3*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Number of Members*, 150. *Captain*—H. A. Gardom. *Hon. Treasurer*—S. Hellyer. *Committee*—H. E. Kaye, W. Kemsley, P. C. Mead, A. Rankine, E. A. Tewson, A. H. Tozer, P. Warner. *Hon. Secretary*—F. W. Mugford, The Heath, Woodford Green. *Greenkeeper*—A. Wells.

Club Prizes.—Special Prize for best scratch score in any competition during year; Roberts Challenge Cup (handicap holes), in June; Half-Yearly Cup (handicap), in April and October; Captain's Prize, to be competed for by winners of Monthly Medals; and Quarterly Medals.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Roberts Cup: E. A. Read. Half-Yearly Cup: J. W. M. Guy, 90 – 11 = 79, and W. P. Pechey, 87 – 8 = 79.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 82, by E. A. Tewson, on October 6th, 1894.

Record for Green, 37, by E. A. Read, H. A. Gardom, and E. A. Tewson.

Woodford Station (G.E.R.) is a mile from course. A commodious clubhouse erected last year, adjoining first tee. The course of nine holes is of a sporting character, the hazards being whins, ponds, gravel pits, hedges, &c. It was lengthened considerably, and three new greens laid last year.

LONDONDERRY.

NORTH-WEST GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MARCH, 1891.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; Ladies, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; Ladies, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, 107 gentlemen and 65 ladies. *President*—General Warren, C.B. *Captain*—C. M'Cay. *Hon. Treasurer*—A. Johnston, Northern Bank, Londonderry. *Committee*—J. K. Reid, LL.D., C. R. Tillie, R. L. Hogg, Professor J. MacMaster, A. M. Munn, H. Williams, J. Stewart, R. Norman, J. E. O'Doherty, Professor J. B. Dougherty. *Hon. Secretary*—Professor J. R. Leebody, 3, Woodleigh-terrace, Londonderry. *Greens* — Lisfannon and Buncrana. *Greenkeeper* — J. Sharkey.

Club Prizes.—Silver Challenge Cup (handicap). Silver Medal (handicap), Monthly Bronze Medals (handicap), and other prizes.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Silver Cup: Dr. J. Patterson, 101—14=87. August Competition: (1) Rev. E. Lombard, 95—22=73; (2) A. M. Munn, 96—22=74; (3) Major Batt, 101—25=76. Foursomes: Professor Leebody and Dr. J. Patterson. Mixed Foursome: Miss O'Brien and Dr. J. Patterson. December Competition: (1) C. R. Tillie, 98—18=80; (2) J. Gillie, 100—18=82; (3) Rev. E. Lombard, 100—15=85. Ladies' and Juvenile Branch: (1) F. Dickson; (2) Miss L. T. Colquhoun.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 85, by T. Gilroy, on July 29th, 1893.

Record for Green.—38, by T. Gilroy, in August, 1892.

The club scratch score is fixed at 80.

The gentlemen's green at Lisfannon is half-way between the Fahan and Buncrana stations, on the Lough Swilly Railway, and fifteen minutes' walk from either station. A platform has been put up close to the clubhouse, at which all trains from Londonderry set down and pick up those who have purchased golfers' tickets. The course is a nine-hole one, a little over a mile and a half in length, the holes varying in length from 90 to 500 yards. No more beautiful piece of turf is to be found in the United Kingdom, and putting greens might be extemporised almost anywhere. As there are neither whins, bents, rushes, nor "winnel straes," the golfing visitor, on his first introduction to the course, is apt to think it a very easy one.

but a little experience of the many bunkers, judiciously utilised, will change his view. Proximity to the famed Lake of Shadows, Lough Swilly, adds to the charm of the surroundings and to the difficulties of the game. Four of the holes are parallel to the sea beach, and two to the railway line. Slicing spells ruin, but pulling is not quite so severely punished. A superior and well-managed hotel in Buncrana (the Lough Swilly Hotel) supplies ample accommodation for visitors. Guests of this hotel have the right to play on the links without charge, and for a payment of five shillings per week are allowed the use of the clubhouse.

The ladies' green is close to the Buncrana Railway Station. It is also a nine-hole course, of rather more than three-quarters of a mile in length, and several of the holes are very sporting in character. The turf is like that at Lisfannon, and when a few of the easier holes are protected by artificial bunkers, the course will be almost an ideal one. The dates fixed for competitions are Whit Monday, August Bank Holiday, and St. Stephen's Day.

LOSSIEMOUTH.

MORAY GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MARCH 14TH, 1889.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, 206. *Captain*—J. McIsaac. *Vice-Captain*—F. W. Gibb. *Committee*—D. Cameron, R. Gordon, J. B. Mair, A. F. Macdonald, J. Falconer, C. D. Wilson, J. Wittet. *Hon. Secretary*—R. B. Gordon, Solicitor, Elgin. *Treasurer*—J. Hay. *Professional*—D. Brown.

Club Prizes.—Corporation Medal (scratch), on August 17th; Pitgaveny Medal (handicap), on May 8th.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Corporation Medal: Col. Underwood, 96. Pitgaveny Medal: Captain Ladds, 88 (net).

Green record, 71, by A. Kirkcaldy.

The course is an extremely good one of eighteen holes, situated on the shore of the Moray Firth close to the village of Stotfield, about ten minutes' walk from Lossiemouth Station. The hazards are numerous and varied, comprising bunkers, roads, whins, bents, and rough ground. The ground is undulating, and the turf excellent. The round is nearly three miles in length, and the par score may be placed at 72. The bogey score is 75. There is a well-appointed clubhouse on the links. Excellent hotel accommodation is to be had in Lossiemouth, and during summer there are a number of private houses to let. Golf tickets for visitors—daily, one shilling; weekly, five shillings; monthly, ten shillings and sixpence. Lossiemouth is five miles by rail from Elgin.

LOUGHBOROUGH.

CHARNWOOD FOREST GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JANUARY 1ST, 1891.

Annual Subscription, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 50. *Captain*—G. P. Braund. *Committee*—Rev. A. J. Hiley, J. Humphreys, B. T. Jones, C. T. Parker. *Hon. Secretary*—Lieut.-Col. Dashwood, Woodhouse Eaves, Loughborough.

Club Prizes.—Monthly Bronze Medal (handicap), and Silver Medal (handicap), half-yearly.

Prize Winners in 1894.—June: C. H. Rome and Mrs. Trevor-Jones. December: Mr. and Mrs. Trevor-Jones.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 99, by J. Foord-Kelsey, in November, 1894.

The Green Record is 38, by A. Herd, professional, in 1891.

The course is a nine-hole one, the hazards being bunkers, heather, whins, hedges, ditches, stone walls, and a deep belt of gorse. The ground is rocky, but there is a clear course of grass twenty yards wide. It is situated about three miles from Barrow Station, and five miles and a half from Loughborough, from which cabs and other conveyances may be had.

LOWESTOFT.

LOWESTOFT GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED SEPTEMBER, 1887.

The course on the North Denes is a nine-hole one, about one mile from the railway station, but play is greatly interfered with by the fishing nets spread upon it. There is capital hotel or lodging accommodation in Lowestoft.

LUDLOW.

LUDLOW GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1888.

Annual Subscription, 1*l.* 1*s.*; Ladies, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, 40. *Treasurer*—G. E. Davis. *Committee*—W. H. H. Sitwell, F. H. Sitwell, H. Green, T. McMeeking, R. G. Venables, G. E. Shackle. *Hon. Secretary*—Rev. L. Bagot, Stanton Lacy, Bromfield. *Greenkeeper*—H. Evans.

Handicap competitions are held in spring and autumn.

Prize Winners in 1894.—E. S. Hewett, 92−10=82; F. H. Sitwell, 97−9=88; W. H. Sitwell, 100−12=88.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 92, by E. S. Hewett.

Record for Green, 36, by H. G. Hutchinson.

The course of nine holes is two and a half miles from Ludlow, but Bromfield Station is on the ground. Dressing-room in the grand stand. There are plenty of hazards in the shape of a sand pit, bunkers, whins, &c.

LURGAN.

LURGAN GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED SEPTEMBER, 1893.

Joint Hon. Secretaries—N. G. Leeper and T. G. Menary, Lurgan. *Green*—Lurgan Demesne. *Greenkeeper*—J. Archer.

The course of nine holes is about half a mile from Lurgan Station. There are three good hotels in the town.

LUTON.

SOUTH BEDS GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1893.

Luton Station is two miles from the course, on the Warden Hill. There is a pavilion.

LYME REGIS.

LYME REGIS GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED APRIL 3RD, 1893.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; House Ticket (including entrance fee), 5*l.* 5*s.*; Monthly Ticket, 7*s.* 6d.; weekly, 2*s.* 6d.; daily, 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 66. *President*—J. R. C. Talbot. *Committee*—Sir L. Smith-Gordon, Bart., J. Hargraves, Rev. S. W. Kettlewell, G. F. Newall, Rev. A. W. Parke. *Hon. Secretary and Treasurer*—T. B. Blathwayt, Lyme Regis. *Assistant Hon. Secretary*—W. M. Wynet. *Greenkeeper*—J. Lake.

Club Prizes.—Bronze Medals (handicap), on first Wednesday of each month; and Silver Medal (handicap), in spring and autumn, for ladies and gentlemen; Challenge Cup, annually.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Silver Medal: Spring, Rev. P. A. C. Ellis; Autumn, undecided. Silver Medal (Ladies): Spring, Mrs. Smith-Gordon; Autumn Mrs. Sharpe.

Green Record.—43, by B. A. Harvey, in June, 1894.

The course of nine holes is situated on high ground between Lyme Regis and Charmouth. There are good hotels and lodgings in both places. The course being about 500 feet above the level of the sea is remarkable for its pure and bracing air, and the view is one of the loveliest and most extensive in England as it comprises the stretch of

land from Portland to the Start. Lyme Regis is situated only half a mile outside Devonshire, and partakes largely of the character and scenery of that county. In addition to the golf course there is very good sea bathing and boating, also a lawn tennis club, and a social club containing reading and billiard rooms. Axminster, the nearest station, is about six miles off, but there is a good 'bus service between the two places all the year round.

LYMINGTON.

LYMINGTON GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED APRIL, 1890.

The course of nine holes is about 1¼ miles in length, and is situated about two miles from Lymington Station. There is a club hut on the green, and the Chequers Inn stables are only a quarter of a mile away.

LYNDHURST.

NEW FOREST GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED FEBRUARY 6TH, 1890.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 75. *President* — Col. Macleay. *Committee*—Capt. Aitchison, R.N., P. de Crespigny, J. Jeffreys, A. H. Lushington, H. Stevenson. *Captain and Hon. Secretary*—R. G. Hargreaves, Cuffnells, Lyndhurst. *Greens*—Lyndhurst and Bramshaw. *Greenkeeper* — J. Broadlay.

Green Records.—(1) Lyndhurst, 77, by J. Bryan; (2) Bramshaw, 34, by R. Walker (professional).

Both courses were fully described in the special article "New Forest Golf Club," which appeared in the *Annual* for 1890-91. Some new holes have, however, been added to the old Lyndhurst course to make up eighteen holes. A convenient little clubhouse has been erected, which is passed by an omnibus which meets all trains at Lyndhurst, distant two miles.

LYTHAM.

LYTHAM AND ST. ANNES GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED FEBRUARY 27TH, 1886.

Entrance Fee, 15*l.* 15*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 450 (the limit). *Captain*—T. S. Turnbull. *Trustees* — T. Fair, T. H. Miller, S. A. Hermon. *Council* — J. H. Hulton, A. Darbyshire, H

Bowman, W. H. Hampson, S. F. Butcher, T. H. Rushton, R. S. Boddington. *Hon. Treasurer* — J. Mellor, St. Annes-on-the-Sea. *Hon. Secretary* — J. Talbot Fair, Ansdell, Lytham. *Professional and Club Maker*—G. Lowe. *Custodian of the Green*—J. Barnes.

Club Prizes. Clifton Gold Medal (scratch), Ladies' Gold Medal (scratch), Terry Cup (handicap, 18 strokes), at Spring Meeting; Lancashire Fusiliers' Cup (handicap, 18 strokes), at Whitsuntide Meeting; Silver Iron (scratch, two rounds), North Lancashire Cup (handicap, 15 strokes), at Summer Meeting; Manchester Gold Medal (scratch), Thistleton Gold Medal (scratch), and Hermon Cup (handicap, 10 strokes), at Autumn Meeting.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Clifton Medal: J. Ball, jun., 82. Ladies' Medal: H. H. Hilton, 84. Silver Iron: H. H. Hilton, 82+79=161. Manchester Medal: J. Ball, jun., 82. Thistleton Medal, J. Ball, jun., 76. Rea Cup: Rev. C. Billington. Terry Cup: J. F. Mugliston. Fusiliers' Cup: J. Bradbury. North Lancashire Cup: R. W. Hutton. Hermon Prize, and Hermon Aggregate Cup: T. S. Turnbull.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 76, by J. Ball, jun., on October 15th, 1894. The details as follows:—

Out	5 4 3 5 5 4 5 4 5=40	76
Home	4 4 3 4 4 4 6 3 4=36	

Green Record, 72, by F. Butel, professional, on April 2nd, 1894. The par score may be placed at 75.

A full description of the course of eighteen holes appeared in the *Golfing Annual* for 1891.

St. Annes-on-the-Sea Railway Station (sixteen miles from Preston), on the Lytham and Blackpool Coast line of the L. and Y. and L. and N.W. joint railway, is distant from the green about 100 yards. The clubroom is in the hotel (close to the Railway Station), every accommodation, and billiard table, &c.

St. Annes can be reached from London and Edinburgh in about five hours, with one change only, at Preston.

LYTHAM AND ST. ANNES LADIES' GOLF CLUB,

INSTITUTED FEBRUARY 27TH, 1886.

Entrance Free, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, 250 (the limit). *Hon. Secretary*—J. Talbot Fair, Lytham, Lancashire. *Hon. Treasurer* — J. Mellor, St. Annes-on-the-Sea. *Professional*—G. Lowe. *Greenkeeper*—J. Barnes.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Silver Salver (scratch), at Spring Meeting: Miss Mugliston, 88. Gold Medal (scratch), at Autumn Meeting: Miss E. Lythgoe, 84. Handicap Prizes: Mrs. Miller, Miss E. Lythgoe,

Miss Hermon, Mrs. Miller, Mrs. R. S. Boddington, Miss M. G. Smith, Mrs. J. B. Parkinson, Mrs. E. Catterall, Mrs. Harrison, Mrs. Miller.

Lowest Scratch Score (previously held by Lady Margaret Scott with 80), Mrs. E. Catterall, 78, on December 3rd, 1894. Details, as follows:—

First Round	6 4 6 4 4 6 3 4 4=41	78
Second Round	4 5 6 3 4 4 2 3 6=37	

The course is a nine-hole one, and two rounds are played in competitions.

Miss May Mugliston won a Bronze Medal in the Ladies' Championship, held at Littlestone, in 1894, being beaten in the penultimate round, by Miss Issette Pearson.

Miss Effie Terry was also a Bronze Medal winner at the First Ladies' Championship, held at St. Annes-on-the Sea, in 1893.

MACCLESFIELD.

MACCLESFIELD GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED OCTOBER, 1889.

Entrance Fee, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Number of Members*, 93. *President*—P. P. Brocklehurst. *Captain*—W. H. L. Cameron. *Committee*—S. Adshead, Capt. Haines, M. H. Hall, W. Mair, Dr. Sheldon, F. Tylecote, Rev. D. Wilmot. *Hon. Secretary*—A. G. Gray, Bank House, Chestergate, Macclesfield. *Green*—Upton. *Greenkeeper*—E. Goulden.

Club Prizes.—President's Challenge Cup, for the best average net score in the Monthly Competitions; Cameron Bowl (handicap), on third Saturday of each of October, November, December, January, February, and March next, and on Boxing Day and Easter Monday: Hall Tankards (Foursomes handicap), on the second Saturday of November, December, and January next; Club Prizes (Foursomes handicap), on the second Saturdays of February, March, and April; Club Monthly Handicaps, on the first Saturday of each month.

Prize Winners in 1894.—President's Cup: M. H. Hall, net average, $85\frac{3}{19}$. Tylecote Cup: A. Sheldon, net aggregate, 233 for three rounds.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 87, by M. H. Hall, in April, 1894.

Green Record, 41, by G. C. Greenwell.

For a description of the golf course, which consists of nine holes, see the special article, "Golf at Macclesfield," in the *Annual* for 1891-92. The station is about a mile from the green.

MADRAS.

MADRAS (GYMKHANA) GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1877.

Number of Members unlimited; about 120 playing members; *Annual Subscription*, Twenty-five Rupees. *Captain*—H. G. Wedderburn. *Committee*—J. Matheson, J. L. Walker. *Hon. Secretary*—H. W. Foster, Egmore, Madras. *Greens*—Island and Guindy courses.

Club Prizes.—Gold Medal (scratch), Autumn; Bangalore Medal, in June; Virianagaram Challenge Cup; Guindy Cup; Calcutta Medal; Bombay Medal; and Guthrie Medal (all handicap).

Prize Winners in 1894.—Gold Medal: J. H. Peebles. Bangalore Medal: H. W. Foster. Guindy Cup: R. L. Jones. Calcutta Medal: R. L. Jones. Bombay Medal: J. B. Bilderbeck. Guthrie Medal: H. R. Ellison. Virianagaram Cup: J. Matheson.

Records for Greens (1), Guindy course, 53, by H. W. Foster, in June, 1893, and by A. E. Lawson, September, 1893; (2) Island course, 35, by A. E. Lawson, in 1892.

The Island course of nine holes is in Madras, in the immediate neighbourhood of Fort St. George. The Guindy course of twelve holes is about six miles from the Fort by road. The latter is the green on which club competitions are played.

MALDON.

MALDON GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED NOVEMBER, 1891.

Annual Subscription, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, 40. *President*—Rev. E. R. Horwood. *Vice-Presidents*—Hon. C. H. Strutt, Rev. the Hon. C. Byron, Sir C. de Crespigny, E. A. Fitch, A. Lomas, A. P. Clear. *Committee*—J. R. Ward, A. E. Clear, S. Clear, N. Lott, P. Beaumont, Rev. D. Gotto, W. Gray. *Captain*—E. E. Bentall. *Hon. Secretary*—T. L. Eve, Maldon, Essex.

Club Prizes.—Scratch and Handicap Cups.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Scratch Cup: W. Walker. Handicap Cup: W. Gray.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 93, in June, 1894, by W. Walker.

Records for Green (1), Professional, 39, by Thompson; (2), Amateur, 43, by Rev. J. Taylor.

The course of nine holes is situated about ten minutes' walk from Maldon East Station. The putting greens have much improved during the last year.

MALTA.

MALTA GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED OCTOBER, 1888.

Entrance Fee, Ten Shillings; *Annual Subscription*, Army Officers, Fifteen Shillings; Navy Officers, Ten Shillings.

The course of nine holes is situated in the outworks round Floriana. There are two meetings in the year, in April and December, when the Scratch, Handicap, and Regimental and Ships Foursome Challenge Cups are played for. Bogey or handicap competitions are also held monthly.

MALTBY.

MALTBY GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1891.

The course of nine holes is laid out partly on a common and partly on a rough grass inclosure. A brook has to be crossed twice in each round.

MALVERN.

WORCESTERSHIRE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1880.

Entrance Fee, 3*l.* 3*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Number of Members*, 220. *Presidents*—Earl of Coventry and Sir H. Lambert, Bart. *Captain*—Rev. H. M. Faber. *Hon. Treasurer*—H. D. Acland. *Committee*—Capt. H. A. Armitage, Rev. C. Black, R. R. Brown, F. Hookham, F. A. Horn, J. W. Jeakes, G. A. Jones, R. H. C. Nevile, W. C. Perry. *Hon. Secretary*—W. Paterson, Golf Club, Malvern. *Greenkeeper*—D. Brown.

Club Prizes.—Erskine Cup (scratch), open to amateurs; Foster Challenge Prize (handicap); E. F. Chance Challenge Prize, twice a year (handicap 12), anyone winning three times to retain it; Foursome Cups (handicap); Club Gold Medal (scratch); Three Handicap Prizes, presented by the club; Parker Challenge Prize (handicap), anyone winning thrice to retain; Ashton Challenge Prize (handicap aggregate), open to members and members of well-recognised gentlemen's golf clubs, anyone winning twice to keep it; all at Easter Meeting. Whitsun Challenge Prize (handicap), anyone winning this twice in succession or three times in all to retain permanent possession; Iron Club Prize (handicap), any iron clubs may be used, any member winning twice in succession or three times in all, to retain; all at Whitsuntide meeting. Nevile Prize (handicap tournament), during the two months following Whitsuntide meeting, two

wins in succession or three in all to secure outright. Parker Cup (scratch); Three Handicap Prizes; Iron Club Prize (handicap); Malvern Challenge Claret Jug (handicap); E. F. Chance Challenge Prize (handicap 12), anyone winning three times to retain it, to be played for twice a year; Foursome Cups (handicap); Autumn Cup (handicap), to be won thrice before permanent retention, all at Autumn Meeting. Worcester Cup, for best aggregate of any four scores for Monthly Cup during the year, two wins in succession, or three in all, entitle to permanent possession; E. Wight Prize, half yearly (handicap under ten), three wins to secure outright; W. E. Chance Prize, half yearly (handicap ten to twenty), three wins to secure outright; Bogey Tournament (handicap) for Dr. Dixey's Prize, half-yearly, winner thrice to secure outright; Monthly Competitions on the first Thursday in each month from April to September, and on the first Wednesday in each month from October to March inclusive; Senior and Junior Medals; Monthly Cup; Monthly Prize (bogey); Archdale Clock.

Prize Winners in 1894. Club Gold Medal: Rev. H. Foster, 81. Easter Challenge Prize: A. S. Archdale, 88 – 7 = 81. Erskine Cup: E. F. Chance, 87. Whitsun Cup: D. Fraser, 98 – 15 = 83. A. M. Chance's Prize: Rev. H. Foster, 88; retains possession. Autumn Cup: W. W. Rashleigh, 87 – 14 = 73. Parker Cup: Rev. H. Foster, 85. Malvern Claret Jug: G. W. Blathwayt, 83 – 6 = 77. Ashton Aggregate Prize: A. S. Archdale, 81 + 87 = 168. Iron Club Prize: May, B. M. Smith, 97 – 14 = 83; October, C. E. Blakeway, 92 – 18 = 74. E. F. Chance's Prize: March, A. S. Archdale, 88 – 7 = 81; October, G. W. Blathwayt, 83 – 6 = 77. Foursome Cups: March, Capt. H. A. Armitage and A. S. Archdale, 91 – 7½ = 83½; October, E. F. Calthrop and P. H. Latham, 86 – 9 = 77. E. Wight's Prize: October, Captain H. A. Armitage, 86 – 6 = 80. W. E. Chance's Prize: October, Captain T. M. Berkeley, 97 – 14 = 83. Worcester Cup: Rev. H. M. Faber, 326. Parker Challenge Prize: Rev. H. Foster, 81 + 1 = 82. Bogey Tournament: March, E. Wight, all even; October, W. C. Perry, one down. Monthly Bogey: A. S. Archdale. Nevile Prize: G. A. Jones. Erskine Challenge Prize: A. M. Chance.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 79, by Rev. H. Foster, in July, 1891.

Records for Green, Professional, 70, by D. Brown, in May, 1894; Amateur, 74, by Rev. H. Foster, in 1891.

The course is situated on Malvern Common, the clubhouse being about two hundred yards from the Malvern Wells Station on the Great Western Railway, and about one mile from Malvern. The course consists of eighteen holes, the longest hole being about 440 yards. The chief hazards are ponds, ditches, roads, and old gravel pits. The putting greens are carefully looked after, and run very keen, and altogether the course must take rank as one of the best inland greens in England. Visitors introduced by members are charged five shillings per week for use of course; but in weeks of Easter and Autumn Meetings the charge is doubled.

WORCESTERSHIRE LADIES' GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1891.

Entrance Fee, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 106. *Captain*—Mrs. J. Jupp. *Hon. Treasurer*—Mrs. Salisbury. *Committee*—Mrs. Nevile, Miss Hilliard, Mrs. Hollins, Mrs. Spear. *Hon. Secretary*—Miss A. S. Pike, St. Cuthbert's, Malvern.

Club Prizes.—Monthly Medal (handicap), final, in October; Half-yearly Challenge Silver Tea Service (handicap), on third Thursdays of April and October, anyone winning three times in succession to retain; Gold Medal (scratch), on same dates; Nevile Challenge Silver Card Case (handicap, match play), two successive or three collective wins to secure outright.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Monthly Medal: Miss Nevile, 107 – 6 = 101. Half-yearly Challenge: Mrs. Romer, 115 – 40 = 75; Miss J. Brown, 113 – 31 = 82. Nevile Challenge: Miss E. Brown. Gold Medal: Miss Mabel Foster, both times.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 99, by Miss M. Foster.

The course of nine holes was only laid out last year. The putting greens, however, are very keen. It is situated just at the foot of the Malvern Hills, and the views are very fine and the air bracing. The hazards are chiefly ditches, roads, and rough ground. Visitors introduced by members can become temporary members on payment of 1*s.* per week, 5*s.* per month, entitling them to use of clubhouse. The clubhouse and green are only 100 yards from Malvern Wells Station (G.W.Ry.), and one mile from Malvern.

WORCESTERSHIRE WORKING MEN'S GOLF CLUB.

No particulars forthcoming.

MANCHESTER.

OLD MANCHESTER GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1818.

Entrance Fee, 3*l.* 3*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 120 (the limit). *President*—S. W. Clowes. *Captain*—H. A. Dods. *Treasurer*—J. S. Dods. *Committee*—R. S. Boddington, J. Bury, Dr. J. W. Grange, D. Hague, W. F. Rollinshaw, J. K. Schofield, C. Southern. *Hon. Secretary*—M. S. Bles, The Beeches, Broughton Park, Manchester. *Greenkeeper*—G. Roylance.

Club Prizes and Winners in 1894.—Bles Prize: Rev. T. N. Carter, 97 – 6 = 91. Bannerman Gold Medal: H. A. Dods, 88. Atherton

Silver Medal: M. S. Bles, 99 − 9 = 90. Club Silver Challenge Cup (36 holes): H. A. Dods, 181 + 6 = 187.

Green Record, 76.

This Club, owing to the death and change of residence of old members, as well as having the ground interfered with, suspended its meetings for several years, but in October, 1891, a suitable course was obtained in Broughton Park, through the kindness of Mr. S. W. Clowes, and a pleasant game can now be enjoyed. The course is about two miles from Victoria Station, and may be reached by tramway.

OLD MANCHESTER LADIES' GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1891.

Entrance Fee, Two Shillings and Sixpence; *Annual Subscription*, Ten Shillings. *Number of Members*, 55. *President*—Hon. Mrs. Clowes. *Captain*—Mrs. M. S. Bles. *Committee*—Mrs. Albrecht, Mrs. Prestwich, Mrs. Dickins, Miss Bythell, Miss A. D. Colley, Miss Hamilton. *Hon. Secretary*—Miss Dods, Westfield, Kersal, Manchester. *Green*—Broughton Park.

Club Prizes.—Gold Medal (scratch); Club Prizes (handicap); and Captain's Prize (handicap).

Prize Winners in 1894.—Gold Medal: Miss Jackson, 89 (12 holes). Dickins Prize: Miss Dods, 98 − 8 = 90.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 88, by Miss Jackson, on November 12th, 1894.

MANCHESTER GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1882.

Entrance Fee, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 2 . 2*s.*; *Number of Members*, limited to 90. A limited number of Ladies are permitted to use the course on payment of Ten Shillings per annum. *Captain*—G. Haig. *Hon. Treasurer*—C. S. Allott. *Committee*—G. Macdonald, F. Jones, A. C. Knight, S. B. Graves, A. Darbyshire, R. L. Taylor. *Hon. Secretary*—R. Maclure, Beaver Park, Didsbury, Manchester. *Professional*—G. Kitchen.

Club Prizes.—Captain's Cup (special handicap) at the end of March; Handicap Competition on the first Saturday of every month, winners to play off for Club Prizes on the second Saturday of March: Club Prizes on Boxing Day; Bannerman Gold Medal; Macalister Medal (scratch).

Prize Winners in 1894.—Captain's Cup: S. Kneale, 93 − 12 = 81. Club Prizes (monthly competition): L. D. Stewart, 93 − 4 = 89; Rev. J. N. Carter, 96 − 5 = 91. Consolation Prize, for members not

competing for Monthly Medal Prizes: J. Macalister, 82 (scr.). Boxing Day competition: A. Darbyshire (1) 89—8=81; (2) J. Macdonald, 95—12=83; (3) G. Haig, 89—5=84.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 81, by J. Macalister, on March 10th, 1888.

The green adjoins Manley Park, Whalley Range, and is about two miles from Manchester. It is mostly composed of grass fields, slightly undulating, with gravel heaps, and sand bunkers. There are nine holes in the round. The nearest station is Chorlton-cum-Hardy (Midland Railway), about half a mile from the green, which can also be reached by tram to Alexandra Park, three-quarters of a mile distant.

NORTH MANCHESTER GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED FEBRUARY 1ST, 1894.

Entrance Fee, 3*l.* 3*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 125 and 25 Ladies. *President*—Col. W. W. Clapham. *Vice-Presidents*—Dr. Braddon, W. Craven, H. Kershaw. *Captain*—E. Holt. *Hon. Treasurer*—T. Horsfield. *Committee*—J. E. Beaumont, J. V. Braddon, W. H. S. Craven, J. A. Elliott, J. H. Fulton, J. B. King. *Hon. Secretary* — J. H. Boardman, Ravenhurst, Bury Old-road, Manchester. *Greenkeeper*—G. Strath.

The course is an eighteen hole one, but only nine are playable during the months of May, June, and July. The hazards consist of hedges, a stream, which is crossed three times, a reservoir into which a careless player may easily drive, and a sand bunker. There is a Pavilion on the ground, and also a professional's workshop. The course is situated about three miles from Manchester, and can be reached, either by tram from Albert-square, or by train from Victoria Station to Crumpsall, the tram terminus and Crumpsall Station being about the same distance from the green.

ANSON GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1894.

Captain—Rev. C. P. Roberts.

The course is situated at Fallowfield.

FAIRFIELD GOLF CLUB.

Hon. Secretary—W. M. Campbell, Fairfield.

The course is situated at Fairfield, near Manchester.

OLD TRAFFORD GOLF CLUB.

No particulars forthcoming.

MARLBOROUGH.

MARLBOROUGH GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1888.

The course of nine holes, is laid out on the Common, the circuit being nearly two miles. The main difficulty is the rough grass, and the driving must be straight, or the ball will be lost in a hedge.

MARPLE.

MARPLE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED AUGUST 13TH, 1892.

Entrance Fee, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 11*s.* 6*d.*; Ladies, Ten Shillings; *Number of Members*, 61, and 30 Ladies. *President*—R. S. Shepley. *Captain*—G. Sherwin. *Treasurer*—J. Tattersall. *Committee*—J. Englemann, J. H. Ferguson, H. P. Hill, A. Simon, F. Barlow, D. G. Holmes. *Hon. Secretary*—A. M. Cresswell, Highfield, Marple, near Stockport. *Green*—Hawk Green. *Greenkeeper*—A. Ross.

Club Prizes.—Club Medal (handicap) on last Saturday of each month, and Captain's Prize in connection therewith: Hill Foursome Challenge Silver Putters (handicap), monthly.

The course of nine holes is 2242 yards in length, and the hazards are bunkers, hedges, wet and dry pits, and a brook. The longest hole is 400 yards, and the shortest 100 yards. Marple and Rose Hill stations are about a mile from the clubhouse. The Common is close at hand. Marple is only twenty minutes by rail from Manchester.

MARYBOROUGH.

QUEEN'S COUNTY HEATH GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED NOVEMBER, 1889.

Entrance Fee, Seven Shillings; *Annual Subscription*, Seven Shillings; *Number of Members*, 79. *President*—Earl of Portarlington. *Captain*—T. W. Webber. *Treasurer*—Major H. Brooke. *Committee*—Colonel Cosby, Miss Kemmis, Miss Walsh, Miss Campbell, Major Kemmis, Miss Marsh. *Hon. Secretary*—Capt. H. Armstrong, Rathleash House, Portarlington, Queen's County. *Greenkeeper*—C. Coyne.

Club Prizes.—Ladies' Medal (scratch), and Emo Challenge Cup and Club Medal (handicap), in August.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Emo Challenge Cup: Capt. H. Armstrong,

95—6=89. Club Medal: Capt. H. Armstrong, 85—8=77. Ladies' Medal: Miss M. Armstrong, 120—14=106. Ladies' Scratch Medal: Miss C. Marsh, 103.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 85, on July 3rd, 1894, by Capt. H. Armstrong.

Record for Green, 39, on July 3rd, 1894, by Capt. H. Armstrong.

The course of nine holes is laid out on the Great Heath of Maryborough, about three miles from Maryborough and five from Portarlington. The turf is permanent pasture, and the hazards are ditches, furze, and patches of heather. There is an excellent clubhouse, originally the grand stand when races were held on the heath. The club day is Tuesday. There are excellent hotels in Maryborough and Portarlington.

MAURITIUS.

MAURITIUS GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1893.

The course is laid out in the private grounds of Government House, Reduit, and it is claimed to be one of the best in the Colonies. Saturday is the club day.

MELBOURNE.

MELBOURNE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MAY 22ND, 1891.

Annual Subscription, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Number of Members*, 230, including 100 life members. *President*—Sir W. J. Clarke, Bart. *Captain*—T. J. Finlay. *Vice-Captain*—T. Brentnall. *Hon. Treasurer*—L. K. S. Mackinnon. *Committee*—J. M. Bruce, Major Reynolds, R.E., W. Nimmo, Dr. McFarland, W. McIntyre, D. Finlayson. *Hon. Secretary*—R. A. A. Balfour-Melville, 452, Collins-street, Melbourne. *Greenkeeper*—R. Taylor.

Club Prizes.—Club Championship, Easter and November; Open Championship, November; Handicaps at Easter, in November, at Christmas and on New Year's Day; Monthly Medal.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Club Championship, Easter and November: M. L. Anderson. Open Championship: L. A. Whyte (Geelong). Other Prizes: M. L. Anderson, R. A. A. Balfour-Melville, H. G. Callaway, Dr. Swift, C. McLean, Dr. Thomson, W. Nimmo.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 84, by M. L. Anderson, on August 5th, 1893.

Records for Green (1), Professional, 81, by R. Taylor; (2) Amateur, 82, by R. A. A. Balfour-Melville, and M. L. Anderson.

The course of eighteen holes is five minutes' walk from Caulfield Railway Station, and twenty-three minutes by train from Melbourne. The hazards are gorse, bushes, and roads. Meals and refreshments may be had at the clubhouse, but there are no beds. Members from

other clubs bringing a letter of introduction from their Secretary are cordially welcomed. There are also clubs at Kew and Surrey Hills. The club in November gives a cup to be played for, open to all amateurs in Australasia. New Zealand, New South Wales, South Australia, and Geelong last year all sent representatives, and L. A. Whyte, of Geelong, proved successful, while Dr. Swift, of Adelaide, won the handicap prize.

There is a ladies' section, with an increasing membership.

MELROSE.

MELROSE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1880.

Entrance Fee, Five Shillings; *Annual Subscription*, Five Shillings. *Hon. Secretary*—J. Dickson, St. Helen's, Melrose.

Club Prizes.—Captain's Prize, in April; Club Prizes, in October.

The course, a nine-hole one of about a mile in length, is situated upon Dingleton Common, only half a mile from Melrose Station. Excepting a road skirting the course to the right for the first three holes, and a few whins, everything is plain sailing if the line be kept, but wild drives will be punished in long grass. A clubhouse for the use of members adjoins the first teeing ground.

MELTON MOWBRAY.

MELTON MOWBRAY GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED OCTOBER, 1893.

Annual Subscription, Fifteen Shillings; *Number of Members*, 45. *Joint Hon. Secretaries*—W. J. New and A. H. Marsh, Melton Mowbray. *Keeper*—J. Lee.

The course, of nine holes, is situated about half a mile from Melton Mowbray Station (Midland Railway), but in all probability it will be given up on account of the long grass. It is hoped a more suitable green may be made at Long Clawson, about six miles from the town. Six holes are already being laid out there by way of experiment, and it is hoped to get permission to extend the course. The ground is very suitable, and it is convenience itself, as you step off the railway platform (Long Clawson Station, G. N. and L. & N. W. joint line) on to the first tee.

METHIL.

METHIL GOLF CLUB

No details.

MIDLANDS (EAST).

EAST MIDLAND GOLF UNION.

President—J. C. Warren (Notts G.C.). *Hon. Secretary*—E. A. Coutts (Notts G.C.), Nottingham.

Membership is confined to clubs in the counties of Nottingham, Leicester, Derby, Northampton, Lincoln, and Rutland. Clubs with a playing membership of under 100 to have one representative; clubs over 100 to have two. Clubs shall pay an annual subscription of ten shillings and sixpence for each 50 or part of 50 playing members, the maximum subscription being 2*l.* 2*s.*

A Championship Meeting will be held annually, and the competition will be inaugurated at Nottingham (Bulwell Forest) on May 3rd and 4th.

MILLPORT.

CUMBRAE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED APRIL 2ND, 1888.

Annual Subscription, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members,* 114. *Patrons*—The Lord Justice-General, M. Arthur. *Hon. President*—Marquis of Bute. *President*—A. Graham Murray, Q.C., M.P. *Captain*—J. W. Stuart. *Vice-Captain*—W. Macfarlane. *Treasurer*—J. Ross. *Committee*—Bailie Cunningham, A. Cameron, J. Houston, J. Reid, H. Taylor, J. G. H. Whamond. *Joint Secretaries*—J. C. Sharpe, Millerston, Millport; and W. Barclay, 33, Glasgow-street, Millport. *Greenkeeper*—W. McLauchlan.

Club Prizes.—Arthur Cup, on Glasgow Spring and Autumn holidays; Smart Medal, on Queen's Birthday and in New Year's week; Vice-Captain's Gold Medal, monthly; Club Prize, monthly.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Arthur Cup: Spring, J. Houston, 94−5=89; Autumn, T. Macfarlane, 96−5=91. Smart Medal: Queen's Birthday, W. Macfarlane, 91−3=88; New Year's Week, J. Houston, 97−4=93. Monthly Medal: T. Macfarlane, average 93.

Record for Green: Amateur, A. Craigie, 86, in August, 1894; 38, by A. Craigie, in August, 1894.

The links are within ten minutes' walk of the old pier, where the fleet of steamers owned by the Caledonian Company make about a dozen arrivals and departures daily. There is also a good service in summer by the Glasgow and South-Western Railway, *viâ* Fairlie and Largs. The situation is one of the finest on the west coast. From the position of the island in the centre of the Firth of Clyde the view obtainable from the course is unsurpassed. The whole estuary lies stretched before you, and the clear bracing air is in

itself a reward for a visit. The town is a famed seaside resort, and the accommodation for visitors is ample. The course is one of nine holes, varying in length from 254 to 420 yards. There are a club-house and shelter sheds on the green. The club issue daily, weekly, and monthly tickets at reasonable rates.

MINCHINHAMPTON.

MINCHINHAMPTON GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED APRIL, 1889.

Annual Subscription, 1*l.* 11*s.* 6*d.*; *Number of Members*, 284. *Captain*—Rev. E. H. Hawkins. *Treasurer*—C. Ritchie. *Hon. Secretary*—A. T. Playne, Longfords, Minchinhampton, Gloucestershire. *Green*—Old Lodge. *Greenkeeper*—A. Toogood.

Club Prizes.—Silver Bowl (scratch); Silver Goblet (handicap), at Spring and Autumn meetings; Senior and Junior Monthly Medals.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Silver Bowl: Spring, C. A. Gillanders and Rev. G. H. Hawkins tied at 87; Autumn, W. W. Chamberlain, 85. Silver Goblet: Spring, J. R. Bryan, 99−18=71; Autumn, F. H. Playne, 90−13=77.

Green Records: (1) Professional, 75, by A. Toogood, on December 1st, 1894; (2) Amateur, 79, by W. W. Chamberlain, in August, 1893; and by L. Grist, on July 11th, 1894.

The course consists of eighteen holes, on a large and level common of one thousand acres, on a spur of the Cotswold Hills, overlooking the Severn Vale and numerous other beautiful valleys. The turf is of the very finest, the air of the purest, and the hazards many and dangerous. There is a separate course of nine holes for ladies, and a handsome clubhouse. The nearest railway stations are Nailsworth (Midland), one mile, and Stroud (G.W.R.), two and a half miles distant. Accommodation may be had at the Old Lodge Inn, adjoining the clubhouse, and at numerous lodging houses in the neighbourhood.

MINCHINHAMPTON LADIES' GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED APRIL, 1889.

Annual Subscription, Twelve Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, 130. *President*—Lady Marling. *Captain and Hon. Secretary*—Mrs. W. Davies, Amberley Court, Stroud. *Treasurer*—C. Ritchie. *Committee*—Miss Golightly, Miss J. Golightly, Mrs. Playne, Mrs. F. H. Playne, Mrs. C. Ritchie, Mrs. Storry, Mrs. Taylor.

Club Prizes.—Silver Challenge Cup and Club Prizes (scratch); Challenge Gold Brooch and Club Prizes (handicap, under 18); Club Prizes (handicap, over 18); and Lady Marling's Silver Cup (open handicap), at Spring and Autumn Meetings.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Silver Cup: Spring, Miss Henry, 92; Autumn, Miss Bryan, 91. Gold Brooch: Spring, Mrs. Storry, 95−10=85; Autumn, Mrs. Leslie, 94−9=85. Lady Marling's Cup: Spring, Mrs. E. A. Chamberlain, 97−22=75; Autumn, Mrs. Leslie, 87−7=80.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 87, by Mrs. Davies and Mrs. Leslie, in August, 1894.

The course consists of nine holes and the record for the green is 32, by A. Toogood.

MINEHEAD.

MINEHEAD AND WEST SOMERSET GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1882.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 64. *President*—G. F. Luttrell. *Vice-Presidents*—H. A. Bosanquet, J. Halliday, D. Badcock. *Captain*—O. T. Sadler. *Committee*—Dr. Ollerhead, R. Hole, Rev. W. P. Michell, W. H. Richardson, Dr. F. G. Hayes, W. H. Fowler, J. P. Herringham. *Joint Hon. Secretaries*—Rev. J. U. Todd, 29, Avenue, Minehead; H. Brown, Fox Fowler's Bank, Park-street, Minehead. *Green*—The Warren. *Greenkeeper*—A. Jones.

Club Prizes.—Dr. Clark Memorial Challenge Cup (scratch), at Autumn Meeting, winner to be captain for the year; Andries Challenge Cup (handicap), at Spring and Summer Meetings; Spring Silver Challenge Cup (handicap); Fowler Prize, Summer Tournament, match play.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Clark Cup: O. T. Sadler, 90. Andries Cup: Spring—O. T. Sadler, 92−7=85; Autumn—H. E. Radford, 94−11=83. Spring Cup: W. H. Fowler, 86 (scratch). Fowler Prize: H. O. Brown.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 86, by W. H. Fowler, on April 25th, 1894.

A full description and plan of the links will be found in the *Annual* for 1889-90.

Visitors are admitted to the green on payment of Ten Shillings a month, Seven Shillings and Sixpence a fortnight, or Five Shillings a week. There is play all the year round, there being little snow or frost. The railway station is close to the course, and excellent accommodation can be had in the town.

MOFFAT.

MOFFAT GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED SEPTEMBER, 1884.

Entrance Fee, Ten Shillings; *Annual Subscription*, Ten Shillings; *Number of Members*, 60. *President*—J. J. Hope Johnstone *Vice-Presidents*—W. Johnstone, J. Smith, J. Proudfoot, J. Wilson, Colonel Younger, R. C. Boothby. *Captain*—J. Saunders. *Committee*—J. Salmond, J. Duncan, Dr. T. B. White. *Hon. Secretary*—J. R. MacGibbon, Union Bank, Moffat. *Green*—Rough Park. *Greenkeeper*—C. Johnstone.

Club Prizes.—Hope Johnstone Medal (scratch); Johnstone Monthly Medal (handicap); Bogey Medal, monthly.

Prize Winner in 1894.—Hope Johnstone Medal: J. Salmond, 135 (27 holes).

Lowest Scratch Score, 80, by J. Salmond.

The green is situated on rising ground in the immediate neighbourhood of the town, and commands a magnificent view. There are nine holes, and the course can be played over in an hour. A small house has recently been erected for the use of players. The green is private, but visitors may be admitted to the green on application to the secretary at charges fixed by the committee from time to time. The course is about one and a half miles from the station, where conveyances can be had, and there is plenty of hotel and lodging accommodation in the town, while the Hydropathic Establishment is close to the green. The best months for playing are December to May.

MOFFAT LADIES' GOLF CLUB.

Hon. Secretary—Miss A. Anderson, Hillside House, Moffat.

MONAGHAN.

MONAGHAN GOLF CLUB.

No particulars forthcoming.

MONIFIETH.

PANMURE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1845.

Entrance Fee, 3*l*. 3*s*.; *Annual Subscription*, Ten Shillings. *Hon. Secretary*—P. D. Mitchell. *Greenkeeper*—A. Donaldson.

Club Prizes.—Brand Cup (scratch), in February; McLachlan Silver Medal (scratch), and Gourlay Cup (handicap), in May; Gold Medal (scratch), and Silver Cross (scratch), in October.

The club have a commodious clubhouse.

BROUGHTY GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED APRIL 12TH, 1878.

Entrance Fee, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Annual Subscription*, Seven Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, 230. *Captain*—W. K. Lorimer. *Vice-Captain*—W. Mudie. *Treasurer*—D. Melville. *Committee*—A. Bell, F. A. Begg, D. Smyton, W. Robertson, D. Spence, J. Green. *Hon. Secretary*—J. Belford, "Guide" Office, Broughty Ferry. *Assistant Secretary*—W. M. Chalmers.

Visitors are admitted to the privileges of the clubhouse on payment of 2*s.* 6*d.* for a period not exceeding two weeks, or 5*s.* for a period not exceeding three months.

MONIFIETH GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1858.

Entrance Fee, One Shilling and Sixpence; *Annual Subscription*, Two Shillings; *Number of Members*, 185. *Captain*—W. Low. *Committee*—D. Dempster, T. Brimer, J. Young, G. Pearson. *Hon. Secretary and Treasurer*—W. Young, Youngs Cottages, Monifieth.

Club Prizes.—Scratch: Monifieth Challenge Cup, during April and May; Panmure Medal, first Saturdays of March and September; Mudie Medal, on first Saturdays of June and December; Far and Sure *Driving Medal, on June 8th; Fenton Medal, on July 13th; Aggregate* Medals (one for each of the three classes), during year. Handicap: Average Medal, on first Saturdays of March, June, September, and December.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Monifieth Cup: G. Wright. Panmure Medal: March, W. Still, 81; September, G. Wright, 73. Mudie Medal: June, D. L. Low, 79; December, G. Wright, 77. Driving Medal: D. L. Low, carry 190 yards. Fenton Medal: G. Wright, 78. Aggregate Medals: 1st Class, G. Wright, 313; 2nd Class, R. D. Smith, 349; 3rd Class, T. Douglas, 385. Average Medal: March, D. Anderson; June, E. Brown; September, W. Laird; December, W. Ross.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 73, by G. Wright, on September 1st, 1894.

Record for Green, 72, by G. Wright, on April 15th, 1893. The par of the round is 66.

The links, which consist of eighteen holes, are most conveniently situated, being only six miles distant from Dundee, from which they

can be reached by rail in twenty minutes. Monifieth is a popular sea bathing resort, and there are commodious cottages to let in summer within five minutes' walk of the course.

MONIFIETH LADIES' GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MAY 22ND, 1893.

Entrance Fee, Five Shillings; *Annual Subscription*, Two Shillings and Sixpence. *Hon. Secretary*—Miss J. K. Low, Ashlea, Monifieth.

The ladies have a separate course.

MONTON.

WORSLEY GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1894.

The course of eighteen holes was laid out in Broadoak Park in March, 1894, by G. Lowe, the St. Annes' professional.

MONTREAL.

ROYAL MONTREAL GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED NOVEMBER 4TH, 1873.

Number of Members, Over 100. *Captain*—J. L. Morris, Q.C.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Sidey Belt: K. Macpherson, 94−16=78. Dennistoun Medal (scratch): F. Stancliffe, 176 (36 holes). Burnett Cup: F. Brown, 104−16=88. Morris Cup (handicap aggregate): F. Stancliffe, 519 (scratch).

The Royal Montreal is the oldest club in America. Shortly after its formation the Quebec Golf Club was started, and a series of most interesting semi-annual competitions have taken place since then between the clubs for a magnificent challenge trophy, each club being successful last year upon its own course.

The course is situated upon the north-eastern slope of Mount Royal, and commands a magnificent view of the valley of the St. Lawrence and the distant mountains of Vermont. It is within ten minutes' drive of the business part of the city.

MONTREAL LADIES' GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1892.

No particulars forthcoming.

MONTROSE.

ROYAL ALBERT GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1810.

Entrance Fee, 3*l.* 3*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 125. *Captain*—A. R. Duncan.

Treasurer—A. Tennant. *Hon. Secretary*—Dr. Stone, Holly House, Montrose. *Committee*—W. M. J. Paton, R. Soutar, and the Medal-holders. *Greenkeeper*—W. McHardy.

Club Prizes.—Original Gold Medal (scratch) in April; Keithock Medal (scratch) in July; Royal Albert Gold Medal (scratch) in October; Handicap Cup in April and October.

The course is an excellent eighteen-hole one, and has been fully described in previous *Annuals*, to which reference may be made. It is now kept up at the joint expense of the Burgh and the various clubs. It is close to the station. The clubhouse is one of the best in Scotland.

MONTROSE ACADEMY GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1832.

Membership confined to pupils and masters of Montrose Academy.

MECHANICS' GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1847.

No particulars forthcoming.

MERCANTILE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED SEPTEMBER, 1879.

Entrance Fee, One Shilling; *Annual Subscription*, Two Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, 214. *Captain*—C. D. Napier. *Vice-Captain*—A. R. McLeod. *Treasurer*—J. C. Pairman. *Committee*—J. M. Smith, T. Robertson, G. Croll, W. Valentine, J. Henry, D. Burgess, A. McLean, J. Falconer, J. Fullerton, D. Fettis, A. Wilson. *Hon. Secretary*—D. C. Clark, 41, Lower Hall-street, Montrose.

Club Prizes.—Champion Medal (scratch), in March; Club Cup (handicap), in May; Napier Gold Badge, on first Wednesday and following Saturday of each month, from April to October inclusive: Millar Cup (handicap foursomes) in July.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Champion Medal: J. Findlay, 79. Club Cup: G. Thomson, 84. Millar Cup: A. Still and J. Cumming.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 74, by J. G. Cobb and J. Hampton, in June, 1894.

STAR GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1868.

No particulars forthcoming.

VICTORIA GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED OCTOBER 4TH, 1864.

Entrance Fee, Ten Shillings; *Annual Subscription*, Ten Shillings; *Number of Members*, 73. *President*—J. R. Pullar. *Treasurer*—G. Gray. *Match Secretary*—W. Edward. *Committee*—J. A. J. Reid, I. Lessells, W. Mitchell, W. S. Reid, D. L. Watt, T. D. Hall. *Hon. Secretary*—J. D. Simpson, 2, India-street, Montrose.

Club Prizes.—Silver Medal (scratch), on May 1st and September 4th; Silver Medal (average), on September 4th: Silver Medal (average), monthly.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Club Medal (scratch): W. S. Reid, 80. Captain's Medal (scratch): J. Sim, 80. Annual Average: J. Sim, 80. The Montrose Boothby-Campbell Challenge Shield was won by W. S. Reid, of this club.

A commodious two-storeyed clubhouse is in course of erection. Special facilities are to be offered to summer visitors.

MONTROSE LADIES' GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1890.

Annual Subscription, Two Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, 150. *President*—Mrs. Stansfeld. *Committee*—Miss Adamson, Mrs. R. H. Millar, Mrs. Stone, Mrs. Smith, Miss Watson, Miss J. Woodward, Mrs. Armstrong, Miss Gordon. *Hon. Secretaries*—A. Foote, Mall Park, Montrose, and R. H. Millar, The Links, Montrose.

Club Prizes.—Gold and Silver Medals and Challenge Bracelet on the last Thursday of each month, from April to October inclusive (all scratch). Campbell Prize in May: Annual Tournament (scratch and handicap competition), for special prizes, in August: Dickson Cup in September.

The course is situated immediately to the west of the new Royal Albert Golf Clubhouse, and, being on a hilly piece of ground with occasional flat stretches, is admirably suited for its purpose. It is a short hole course, but a nine hole driving course has recently been laid down near it.

MORECAMBE.

MORECAMBE AND HEYSHAM GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MAY 23RD, 1892.

Club Prizes.—Charlewood Medal (scratch), at Autumn meeting; Club Prizes (handicap), at Spring and Autumn meetings: Clark Vase (handicap).

Record for Green.—50, by W. Stewart.

The links are situated on the coast at Heysham, from which a most picturesque view is obtained of the Lake Mountains, Barrow-in-Furness, and the Lancashire coast as far as Fleetwood. The course consists of twelve holes at present, which can be extended to eighteen. The ground is sandy, and consequently always dry. The greens are natural, and the hazards consist chiefly of sand-bunkers, whins, cops, &c. The clubhouse, situated on the links, is about three miles from the London and North-Western and Midland Railway Stations at Morecambe, and twenty minutes' walk from the tramway terminus at Heysham. A walk along the cliffs from Morecambe to the course will repay the golfer for his trouble. A footpath skirts the shore all the way, from which views of the pretty little village of Heysham, Grange-over-Sands, and other places across the bay may be obtained. Excellent accommodation may be had at the Midland Hotel, Morecambe. There are also good lodging-houses both at Morecambe and at Heysham village.

MORECAMBE AND HEYSHAM LADIES' GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JULY 13TH, 1892.

Annual Subscription, Ten Shillings and Sixpence. *Number of Members*, 40 (the limit).

The ladies play on the same course as the gentlemen, the tees for the longer holes being advanced.

MORETON.

MORETON LADIES' GOLF CLUB. INSTITUTED FEBRUARY, 1894.

Entrance Fee, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 10*s.* 6*d.*; *Number of Members*, 160. Gentlemen Associates, 50. *Captain*—Miss E. Jackson. *Hon. Secretary*—Miss B. J. Laird, Oakhurst, Birkenhead. *Hon. Treasurer*—Miss E. Bower. *Committee*—Mrs. W. Patterson, Mrs. Clare, Mrs. E. Ray, Mrs. Lawrence, Miss Dodd, Miss Eccles, Miss Haddock, Miss A. Laird, Miss E. Smyth, Miss N. Smyth, Miss Springmann, Miss Wilson.

The course consists of nine holes, varying from 90 to 300 yards in length. It is situated at Leasowe, and is within twelve minutes' walk of Moreton Station on the Birkenhead and Hoylake Railway. The turf is excellent, with very good greens. There is a pavilion for the use of members.

MOSELEY.

MOSELEY GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED SEPTEMBER, 1892.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 30. *Captain*—F. H. Elderton.

Committee—H. Bewlay, H. H. Greenway, T. Hadley, W. H. Tolkien, P. H. Willmott. *Hon. Secretary*—S. R. Lowcock, Stannington, Moseley. *Greenkeeper*—G. Lines.

Club Prizes.—Captaincy (scratch) in September: Monthly Cup (handicap), final in March; Captain's Prize (bogey).

Prize Winners in 1894.—Captaincy: F. H. Elderton, 99. Monthly Cup: S. R. Lowcock, 103.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 98, by H. Bewlay, on November 4th, 1893.

Record for Green, 38, by J. P. Humphries, Kidderminster Golf Club, on December 1st, 1894.

The course, which is laid out on Bellesley Common, consists of nine holes, and Moseley Station (M.R.) is a mile distant.

MOSELEY PARK GOLF CLUB.

Hon. Secretary—T. W. Piggott, The Lions, Park Hill, Moseley.

MOTHERWELL.

MOTHERWELL GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED NOVEMBER, 1894.

Annual Subscription, 10*s.* 6*d.*; *Number of Members*, 97. *President*—Dr. Jack. *Captain*—D. Hardie. *Treasurer*—J. McGeachin. *Committee*—G. T. Brough, T. Legat, Dr. Robertson, A. Angus, D. T. McMillan, J. Gray, J. Reid, A. W. Dunlop, A. C. King. *Hon. Secretary*—A. L. Wright, 23, Muir-street, Motherwell.

The course of nine holes is situated on Piccard Johnstone farm, about fifteen minutes' walk from Motherwell Station.

MUSSELBURGH.

ROYAL MUSSELBURGH GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1774.

Entrance Fee, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 10*s.*; *Number of Members*, about 120. *Hon. President*—H.R.H. The Duke of Connaught. *Captain*—R. C. Menzies. *Treasurer*—A. P. Meldrum. *Committee*—A. W. Millar, W. S. Smart, Rev. J. Sharp, D. S. Duncan, W. Tait, J. Paul. *Hon. Secretary*—W. D. Husband, Levenhall, Musselburgh. *Greenkeeper*—J. Galloway.

Club Prizes.—Club Prizes in January: MacKinlay Cup (scratch), and Club Gold Medal (handicap), in April; Bowlers' Bowl (scratch)

and Silver Putter (handicap), in July; Club Silver Cup (scratch) and Colonial Medal (scratch), in October; Hole Tournament (handicap), in May and June.

Prize Winners in 1894.—MacKinlay Cup: T. T. Gray, 83. Club Gold Medal: W. Tait, 93−8=85. Silver Putter: Rev. R. G. Fraser, 99−18=81. Tournament Prizes: Rev. G. Kirkwood, J. Young, Dr. Gilruth, D. S. Duncan, Rev. G. Lowe, J. M. Williamson. Bowlers' Bowl: J. M. Williamson, 79. Club Cup: H. B. Tristram, 79. Colonial Medal: J. M. Williamson, 80.

"The Musselburgh Golf Club was instituted in 1774. The minutes for the first ten years of its existence are, unfortunately, missing, but the medals attached to the quaint old cup, and which severally bear the name of the winner for the year, satisfactorily carry back its existence as a club to that year. The now venerable cup was presented to the club by Thomas McMillan, Esq., of Shorthope, in 1774, who gained it that year and became captain of the club. The Rev. Dr. Carlyle of Inveresk was the victor of 1775. With one or two interregnums the Cup has been regularly played for at the Autumn Meeting. A new clubhouse at the west end of the links was opened to the members in April, 1873; and in it the Centenary Festival was held in 1874—Sir Archibald Hope, Bart., President, in the chair."—Clark's "GOLF."

NEW CLUB, MUSSELBURGH, INSTITUTED MARCH, 1893.

Entrance Fee, 3*l.* 3*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 10*s.*; *Number of Members*, Ordinary, 159; Honorary, 76. *Captain*—M. J. Brown. *Committee*—W. J. K. Anderson, T. Carmichael, W. J. Croall, W. Dougall, Dr. Gray, J. V. Hagart, D. S. Lunan, J. H. Robertson, Dr. G. Simpson. *Hon. Secretary and Treasurer*—J. Gibson, Commercial Bank House, Musselburgh.

Club Prizes.—Club Gold Medal (scratch) and Macpherson Medal (handicap), in April; Club Cup and Gold Medal (scratch) and Club Medal (handicap) in October.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Club Gold Medal: M. J. Brown, 87. Macpherson Medal: R. B. Nisbet, 89−8=81. Club Cup and Gold Medal: Dr. L. R. Gray, 84. Club Medal: A. C. Robertson, 100−16=84. Hole Tournament: M. J. Brown, J. S. Stevenson, W. J. Gulland, Dr. Gray, J. Paul, W. Tait.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 77, by T. T. Gray, in December, 1893.

HONESTAS GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1883.

Entrance Fee, Five Shillings; *Annual Subscription*, Seven Shillings.

Club Prizes.—Crandles Cup (scratch), and Handicap Medals on third Thursday of February, May, August, and November.

The nine holes of Musselburgh links are a capital test of the golfer's abilities. The first teeing ground is opposite the grand stand at the head of the racecourse straight, and two full drives should land you on the putting green of the "Graves," so called because of the numerous small mounds surrounding the hole. Frequently done in four, five is not to be despised. Two good straight drives and an iron shot are required to bring you to the "Barracks Entry" hole, but a pulled ball will be punished in a bunker, and one hit off the heel will find a resting place on the road (penalty, lift and count two) a good hole in five. A well lofted drive will land you short of four or five dangerous looking bunkers on the road to "Mrs. Forman's." Your second, with a brassy or cleek, will bring you within a wrist shot of the hole, which should be holed in five. This is the turning point for home. A raker on the line will take you close to the "Sea" hole, for which four is steady play. Driving to the "Table," far and sure is the order of the day to carry the formidable bunker called "Pandy," about one hundred and twenty yards in front of you. A brassy second should take you to the foot of the plateau on which the hole is placed, and a run up with the putter should make five a certainty. A fair stretch of turf lies before you, driving to the "Bathing Coach" hole, which is a steady hole in five. To the "Hole before the Gas" a firmly hit drive will land on the putting green, leaving you a chance of a three or four at the most. A strong tee shot is required for the "Gas" hole to surmount safely a large bunker, about the right distance in front of the tee to trap a topped ball, and a half-iron shot will run close up to the hole, which should never take more than five. A cleek shot well lofted will land hole high at the "Home" hole, but, if not, it may be trapped in a bunker short of the putting green, and almost in the line. Occasionally done in one, and frequently in two, three or even four is quite good enough for this hole. The record for the round is 33, by Bob Ferguson and Willie Park, jun. The par score is 36. The order of starting is now regulated by the issue of numbered tickets, and a charge of one shilling per day is exacted from visitors who are not members of clubs contributing to the up-keep of the links. Inhabitants are free from charge.

MYSORE.

MYSORE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1880.

The course, which is situated in the compound of the Residency, consists of eighteen holes, and the bunkers and hazards are numerous and of a very sporting nature. Some of the holes have to be played twice in order to make up the eighteen, but this does not occasion any crossing. The nature of the ground in some parts is very stony, necessitating the use of irons. There is a magnificent view of the low-lying surrounding country towards the north, whilst in the south Chamundi Hill, which rises 1000 feet above the town, adds considerably to the picturesqueness of the view.

NAGPUR.

NAGPUR GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1888.

The course consists of twelve holes.

NAIRN.

NAIRN GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED SEPTEMBER 14TH, 1887

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 300. *President*—Earl Cawdor. *Captain*—W. C. Newbigging. *Vice-Presidents*—Major Rose, R. B. Finlay, Colonel M. A. Clarke, H. Mackintosh, A. T. Lawrence, J. F. Pullar, General Macdonnell. *Committee*—A. F. Steele, W. Laing, J. D. Lamb, G. Bain, H. T. Donaldson, J. Leslie. *Hon. Secretary and Treasurer*—A. Robertson, Solicitor, 34, High-street, Nairn. *Greenkeeper and Professional*—J. Dalgleish.

Club Prizes.—Pullar Medal (handicap), on second Saturday of every month; Finlay Cup (handicap), on Saturday after Easter Day; Cawdor Cup (scratch), on August 31st; Jackson Cup (scratch), on Saturday before Northern Meetings; Lawrence (boys') Cup on August 30th; Pullar Miniature Gold Medal (aggregate), and seven Club Prizes.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Finlay Cup: G. Bain, 90—12=78. Cawdor Cup: T. Mackay, 84. Jackson Cup: D. Young, 91. Lawrence Cup: I. Macgregor. Pullar Miniature: J. J. Annan.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 84, by T. Mackay, on August 25th, 1894.

Records for Green as extended (1) professional, 74, by J. Dalgleish, in September, 1894; (2) amateur, 75, by H. G. Hutchinson, in August, 1894.

The par of the round is 73.

The links are situated along the shores of the Moray Firth, partly on the estate of Newton, and partly on an adjoining estate. The course of eighteen holes is about three miles in length, having been extended last year. The hazards are mostly whins, with a sand bunker and some broken and undulating ground, and the course is deservedly classed as among the finest in Scotland. The Railway Station is about a mile from the course, and conveyances meet all trains. The town of Nairn contains plenty of accommodation for visitors, in the shape of villas near the course, and various public and private hotels, while sea bathing, boating, tennis, bowling, and free fishing in the Nairn may be enjoyed. The rainfall is said to be the smallest in Scotland. A clubhouse has recently been presented to the club by Mr. R. B. Finlay, Q.C., which visitors have the use of.

NAIRN LADIES' GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1890.

Annual Subscription, Seven Shillings and Sixpence.

The Club is managed by the Nairn Golf Club, and there is no separate executive. The ladies have, however, an excellent nine hole course of their own four minutes' walk from the town.

In the season there are regular competitions, for the most part open to visitors, and also mixed foursomes.

NASIK.

ROYAL WESTERN INDIA GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED APRIL 22ND, 1889.

Entrance Fee, Five Rupees; *Annual Subscription*, Six Rupees. *Hon. Secretary*—W. G. Betham, Divisional Forest Officer, Nasik.

Nasik Station is five miles from the green, which consists of nine holes.

NEWBIGGIN-BY-THE-SEA.

NEWBIGGIN-BY-THE-SEA GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JULY, 1884.

EASTCLIFF (FORMERLY NEWBIGGIN-BY-THE-SEA MECHANICS') GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MARCH, 1885.

These clubs were founded by Dr. Proudfoot, who was then the resident medical practitioner. The course, of nine holes, is laid out on the moor—a wide extent of admirable golfing ground situated on the north side of the village. As the moor contains nearly a hundred acres, there is plenty of room for a full eighteen-hole course should that ever be determined on. The putting greens are natural, and simply perfection. Starting from the Church Point, which is the most easterly point in Northumberland, and which forms a well-known landmark to all who pass from Leith to London by steamer, the course runs along the seaside until the end hole is reached, situated at the Fairy Rocks. Here it turns inland, and returns parallel to the outward course. The grass is absolutely perfect for golfing purposes. On the journey out there are capital bunkers formed by the ravages of the sea, in the shape of numerous sandy ravines. The homeward journey is a little too easy until the end hole is reached, where treacherous sand pits yawn on all sides. This hole brings many a good score to grief. The scenery all the way along is very fine, comprising views of the far-distant Coquet Island on the one side, and Tynemouth and Shields on the other; while the woods of Cresswell form an agreeable foreground. There is an admirable club-room in the Old Ship Hotel.

Newbiggin is situated about twenty miles from Newcastle and nine miles from Morpeth. The railway station is about half a mile from the golfing course. It is a favourite resort for Newcastle and Morpeth visitors, and contains admirable lodging accommodation both at the hotel above-named and in numerous private houses. For bathing purposes, Newbiggin has the smoothest and finest of sands in all states of the tide.

NEW BRIGHTON.

NEW BRIGHTON GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1890.

Entrance Fee, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 11*s.* 6*d.*; *Number of Members*, 70 (the limit), and 20 Lady Associates. *Captain*—J. Barber. *Hon. Treasurer*—H. B. Muir. *Committee*—C. Brettargh, sen., C. Crichton, H. E. Hiles, W. Danger, G. A. Leah. *Hon. Secretary*—J. Montgomery, jun., Laurel Villa, Rowson-street, New Brighton, Cheshire. *Green*—Wallasey. *Greenkeeper*—T. Robinson.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Captain's Prize: Dr. Craigmile. Ravenscroft Prize: H. Bell. Cooke Prize: W. Danger. Hiles Prize: H. Bell. Tournament (1) W. Bell; (2) Dr. Craigmile.

The *Record for Green* is 32, by J. Ball (2), a member of Leasowe Club.

The course of nine holes is splendidly situated about five minutes' walk from Wallasey Station on the Mersey Railway, and abounds in hazards. Terms for visitors, 7*s.* 6*d.* per week.

NEWBURGH (ABERDEENSHIRE).

NEWBURGH GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1888.

Hon. Secretary—J. Ritchie, Udny Arms Hotel, Newburgh.

YTHAN GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JULY, 1893.

Annual Subscription, Two Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, 32. *Captain*—J. Christie. *Hon. Secretary and Treasurer*—J. McIntosh, Newburgh.

Club Prizes.—Silver Medal on every Tuesday or Saturday in each month, and other prizes.

The course of nine holes is situated close to the River Ythan, so much famed for its sea trout fishings, and in close proximity to the sea, the village, and hotel. The distance from Aberdeen is twelve miles and a half; route, 'bus direct, or rail to Ellon, where, on receipt of telegram or letter, conveyances are waiting. Telegraphic address: Ritchie, Newburgh, Aberdeen.

NEWBURY.

DONNINGTON GOLF CLUB. INSTITUTED 1889.

The course of nine holes is laid out in undulating pasture land, intersected with fences, &c., and is about one and a half miles long.

NEWCASTLE.

COUNTY DOWN GOLF CLUB. INSTITUTED MARCH, 1889

Entrance Fee, 5*l.* 5*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 350. *President*—Earl Annesley. *Vice-President*—Lord Arthur Hill, M.P. *Captain*—T. Dickson. *Committee*—H. C. Kelly, H. J. Johnston, E. Young, G. Combe, J. H. Moore-Garrett, J. Henderson, H. Herdman, J. MacCormac, H. Gregg, A. T. Herdman, C. Brownlow, P. T. Trowsdale. *Hon. Treasurer*—Major Wallace. *Hon. Secretary*—R. Magill, Newcastle, co. Down. *Club Maker*—D. Stevens.

Club Prizes.—Club Monthly Handicap, on third Saturday of every month; Captain's Cup (final by tournament); Lowry-Corry Cup (handicap); Annesley Cup (handicap-holes); Easter (open), Summer, Autumn, and Christmas Meetings.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Club Prizes: January, G. S. Clarke, 103—10=93; February, H. Morell, 114—26=88; March, Major Wallace, 100—12=88; April, R. Magill, 104—18=86; May, R. Kelly, 105—26=79; June, C. Brownlow, 109—30=79; July, H. Agnew, 97—18=79; August, A. T. Herdman, 104—20=84; September, H. C. Weir, 108—20=88; October, R. Kelly, 102—20=82; November, W. H. Smiles, 115—14=101; December, P. T. Trowsdale, 113—30=83. Lowry-Corry Cup: A. T. Herdman, 104—20=84. Annesley Cup: C. Brownlow. Ladies' Prize: W. J. MacGeagh. Captain's Prize: S. C. Kelly and H. C. Kelly, tied twice. Railway Cup: J. Woodside. Open Stroke Competition, Easter (two rounds): J. Turnbull, 219—44=175. Foursomes (open): G. M. Shaw and H. T. Henderson. Christmas Foursomes: E. Young and A. S. Matier. Championship Meeting.—Consolation: T. Hughes. Open Handicap: T. S. Stewart, 102—16=86.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 79, by A. Stuart, on September 12th, 1893.

Record for Green—76, by F. G. Tait, on January 17th, 1894.

The course is quite close to the Newcastle Station of the Belfast and County Down Railway. It contains all the essentials for a first-class course, and the round is now a complete one of eighteen holes, with plenty of bunkers and sand-hills (one of the latter,

aptly named the Matterhorn, is about forty feet high), and, stretching as it does along the shores of Dundrum Bay, with the view on the homeward journey of the majestic Slieve Donard, towering some three thousand feet above the level of the sea, there certainly is no course anywhere with more beautiful surroundings. Newcastle is a favourite seaside resort, and excellent accommodation for visitors is afforded by the Annesley Arms and Bellevue Hotels, both of which are large and well managed. There is also an excellent refreshment room on the station platform, the *cuisine* of which is very superior.

COUNTY DOWN LADIES' GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MAY, 1894.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 89. *President*—Countess of Annesley. *Captain*—Mrs. J. F. N. Hodges. *Treasurer*—Miss L. Brush. *Committee*—Mrs. Taylor, Mrs. Pim, Miss Magill, Miss D'Arcy, Miss MacLaine, Miss MacCausland, Miss M. Tyrrell, Miss E. De Wind, Mrs. Carlisle. *Hon. Secretary*—Miss Tyrrell, Fairleigh, Newcastle, co. Down. *Greenkeeper*—W. Laird.

Club Prizes.—MacLaine Prizes (handicap), in January; the Silver Challenge Cup (handicap) presented by the Co. Down Club, to be kept by the lady winning it three times in succession, in April and October; Gold Medal (handicap), on first Tuesday of each month; Captain's Prize (handicap), in April, for winners and runners-up in the monthly medal competitions; Co. Down Railway Company Prize (handicap), in July, in eight preliminary competitions.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Gold Monthly Medal: May, Miss Tyrrell, 153; June, Miss A. De Wind, 146; July, Miss Magill, 127; August, Miss Magill, 130; September, Miss Magill, 119; October, Miss Tyrrell, 135; November, Miss M. Tyrrell, 129; December, Miss M. Tyrrell, 115. Club Prizes (holes handicap): Miss N. Graham and Miss A. Gregg. Mixed Foursomes: Mr. Richardson and Miss MacCausland. Mrs. Haliday Prize: Miss MacLaine. A Ladies' Foursomes: Miss Rolland and Miss Carr. Silver Challenge Cup: October, Miss Nellie Graham. Miss MacCausland's Prize: Miss MacLaine.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 119, by Miss Magill, in September, 1894.

The ladies play over the County Down course of eighteen holes.

NEWCASTLE-ON-TYNE.

CITY OF NEWCASTLE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED OCTOBER 1ST, 1891.

Entrance Fee, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 300. *Captain*—J. B. Radcliffe.

Hon. Treasurer—W. P. Cochrane. *Committee*—A. H. Marsh, Dr. W. G. Black, F. Smith, Dr. W. T. Wilson, A. Richardson, J. W. Robson, A. M. Criswell, N. S. Green, S. F. Bates. *Hon. Secretary*—A. E. Birch, 33, Gladstone-street, Newcastle-on-Tyne. *Professional*—A. Sommerville.

Prize Winner in 1894.—Pease Medal (scratch): J. B. Radcliffe.
Lowest Scratch Score in a club competition.—82, by R. T. Thomson, at Autumn Meeting, 1893.
Records for Green.—(1) Professional, 76, by J. Allan, in Autumn, 1892; (2) amateur, 82, by R. T. Thomson, as above.
The course, of eighteen holes, is on Newcastle Town Moor, and is about 3¼ miles in length. The greens are improving. There is an excellent clubhouse close to the first tee.

NEWCASTLE UNITED WORKMEN'S GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JUNE 4TH, 1892.

Annual Subscription, Three Shillings and Sixpence. *President*—H. C. Smith. *Captain*—W. A. Hood. *Committee*—J. G. Scott, J. Baynes, P. Finlay, A. Strath. *Hon. Secretary*—J. McLean, 92, Croydon-road, Newcastle-on-Tyne.

Club Prizes.—President's Prize, and Scott Gold Medal.
By permission of the City of Newcastle Club, members play over the Town Moor course.

NEWCASTLETON.

NEWCASTLETON GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MAY, 1894.

Annual Subscription—Two Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, 65. *Hon. President*—T. Houghton. *President*—Rev. W. Vassie. *Vice-Presidents*—A. D. Robson and T. Cavers. *Captain*—A. Thomson. *Hon. Secretary*—J. B. Johnstone, British Linen Company Bank, Newcastleton.

Club Prizes.—Patron's Prize; President's Prize; Annual Scratch Competition, Gowan Cup and Medal, on first Saturdays of April and May, final in September; Monthly Medal (handicap), on first Saturday of each month.
Prize Winners in 1894.—Gowan Medal: J. B. Johnstone. President's Prize: A. Thomson. Golf Bag: J. Edgar.
The course of nine holes is laid out on the Holm Hill, about one hundred yards from the railway station. The hazards are a quarry, three bunkers, heather, and rough grass. The longest hole is 354

yards, and the shortest 134, the par of the round being 31. An extensive view of the Border district is to be had from the course. There are two good hotels in the village, and private lodgings can also be obtained. Newcastleton is two hours' journey from Edinburgh (North British Railway) and one from Carlisle, and besides golf there is excellent fishing to be had in the rivers Liddle and Hermitage.

NEWHAVEN.

NEWHAVEN GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1889.

The course is situated across the river, and within a quarter of a mile of Newhaven Wharf Station. There are several good hotels in the town.

NEWPORT (U.S.A.)

NEWPORT GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JANUARY 12TH, 1893.

Entrance Fee, One Hundred Dollars; *Annual Subscription*, Thirty Dollars; *Number of Members*, 78. *President*—T. A. Havemeyer. *Vice-President*—R. Gorlet. *Treasurer*—O. H. P. Belmont. *Committee*—H. M. Brooks, W. R. Trauss, H. Oelrichs, B. Winthrop, L. Spencer, H. A. E. Taylor, F. W. Vanderbilt, G. P. Witmore. *Hon. Secretary*—R. J. Gammell, Providence, R.I. *Greenkeeper*—W. F. Davis.

Prize Winners in 1894.—W. G. Laurence and Miss Anna Sands.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 46, by H. M. Brooks, which is the amateur record for the green, the professional being 36, by W. F. Davis.

The course of nine holes is laid out on the shores of the Atlantic, about three miles from Newport. A large clubhouse is in course of erection.

NEW QUAY.

NEW QUAY GOLF CLUB.

The links are situated at the end of the town, close to the seashore, and from them a fine view is obtained of the two rugged headlands, which jut out into the sea and inclose the bay, along which the course lies. It has nine holes, about three miles long, and an extra nine short holes, which are called the Ladies' Links, though used to make a complete round of eighteen holes. The hazards are sand bunkers, hillocks, and one or two stone walls. The turf is very good, but the putting greens and teeing grounds require attention. Visitors' tickets can be obtained at the Bank, in the High-street, for 5*s.* a week, or 10*s.* a month.

NEWTONMORE.

NEWTONMORE CLUB, INSTITUTED MAY 15TH, 1894.

Number of Members, 40. *President*—C. J. B. Macpherson. *Committee*—S. McDonald, R. Sellar, A. Macpherson, R. Forbes, J. Macpherson. *Hon. Secretary*—W. Cattanach, Newtonmore.

Green Record, 37, by J. Mackenzie.

The course of nine holes is about five minutes' walk from the station. There is an excellent hotel in Newtonmore, and private lodgings are also to be had. The scenery is about the finest in Scotland.

NEWTOWN.

MONTGOMERYSHIRE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED NOVEMBER, 1893.

The green is about three and a half miles from Newtown Station, and traps can be had at the Bear Hotel at special rates. It is about half an hour's walk from Moat Lane Station. There is a club-room close to the green, and visitors have the privileges of membership on payment of Five Shillings per week; ladies, Two Shillings and Sixpence. There is excellent accommodation in Newtown.

NEW YORK.

ST. ANDREW'S GOLF CLUB OF YONKERS, INSTITUTED NOVEMBER 18TH, 1888. INCORPORATED APRIL 18TH, 1894.

Entrance Fee, Sixty Dollars; *Annual Subscription*, Thirty Dollars; *Number of Members*, 150 (the limit). *President*—J. Reid. *Vice-President*—W. D. Baldwin. *Treasurer*—W. R. Innis. *Captain*—W. E. Hodgman. *Committee*—H. Holbrook, A. L. Livermore, J. B. Upham, Dr. H. Moffat. *Hon. Secretary*—H. O. Tallmadge, 35, Lake-avenue, Yonkers-on-Hudson, N.Y. *Greenkeeper*—S. Tucker.

Club Prizes.—Reid Medal (scratch) and Club Championship, on November 5th; Club Tournament, Singles, Foursomes, and Professionals, in October; Monthly Handicaps on Saturday nearest the 15th of each month, from May to October inclusive; Hon. Secretary's Prize (handicap), on May 30th; Fourth July Handicap; Officers' Prize, on September 4th; Thanksgiving Handicap, on November 28th.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Reid Medal: D. G. Henderson. Handicap Prize: G. E. Armstrong.

Records for Green.—(1) Professional, 36, by S. Tucker, on October 4th, 1894. (2) Amateur, 43, by L. B. Stoddart, on October 11th, 1894. This score was made in the second round for the Amateur Championship of the United States, which was won by L. B. Stoddart.

The course and clubhouse are situated in the fourth ward of the City of Yonkers, upon the Sawmill River Valley-road. They can be reached *via* New York Central and Hudson Railway (New York and Putnam Division) Station at 155th Street, New York City, terminus Sixth and Ninth-avenue Elevated Railroads, to the club station, St. Andrew's, which is situated upon the grounds. The course can also be reached *via* New York Central and Hudson Railway, from 42nd Street Grand Central Station to Yonkers, which station is about twenty minutes' drive from the course. Trains run hourly upon the New York and Putnam Railway, and about half-hourly upon the New York Central and Hudson Railway. The course is one of nine holes, and is about 3000 yards in length, measured in a direct line from tee to hole. The clubhouse and course are open only to members and persons introduced by members.

HOHOKUS GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1894.

The course is at Hohokus, N.J.

HOLLYWOOD GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1894.

The course is at Hollywood, N.J.

LAKEWOOD GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1894.

The course is at Lakewood, N.J.

MEADOWBROOK HUNT GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1894.

The course is situated at Hempstead, Long Island. There is a ladies' section.

GOLF CLUB OF MONTCLAIR, INSTITUTED 1894.

Hon. Secretary—A. Shroeder, P.O. Box 56.

The course is at Montclair, N.J.

MORRIS COUNTY GOLF CLUB.

Number of Members, Over 400, more than one-half of whom are Ladies. *Hon. Secretary*—Miss Field, Morristown, N.J.

ORANGE LADIES' GOLF CLUB.

Hon. Secretary—Miss E. van Rensselaer, Orange, N.J.

OTSEGO GOLF CLUB.

Hon. Secretary.—L. B. Strong, Otsego, New York.

RICHMOND COUNTY COUNTRY CLUB, INSTITUTED 1894.

President—L. F. Whitin. *Golf Captain*—G. Hunter. *Golf Secretary*—W. B. Thomas, Produce Exchange, New York.

The course of nine holes is situated at the Country Club, Staten Island, and is one and a half miles in length. Distance from New York, one hour, which will be shortened soon by introduction of trolley cars running near to club. Route, South Ferry, New York, to Staten Island.

ROCKAWAY HUNT GOLF CLUB.

The course is at Cedarhurst (L.I.).

SHINNECOCK HILLS GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1890.

Number of Members, 75 (the limit). *President*—T. H. Barber. *Hon. Secretary*—S. L. Parrish, 44 and 46, Broadway, New York City. *Greenkeeper and Professional*—W. Dunn.

The course is at Southampton (L.I.), where there is a sumptuous clubhouse.

STATTSBURG GOLF CLUB.

The course is at Stattsburg (N.Y.).

TUXEDO GOLF CLUB.

Hon. Secretary—A. Seton, jun., 11, Pine-street, New York City.

WESTCHESTER COUNTRY CLUB.

The course is at Westchester (N.Y.).

NIAGARA.

NIAGARA GOLF CLUB.

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NIGG.

CASTLECRAIG GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1893.

The course of nine holes is close to Nigg Station.

NORFOLK.

NORFOLK GOLFING UNION, INSTITUTED 1894.

Hon. Secretary—J. J. W. Deuchar, 9, Surrey-street, Norwich.

A County Championship is held annually, the qualification being residence or birth. Play extends over two days, the first day being devoted to a two round stroke competition, and on the second day the four lowest scorers play by holes over one round, the winner being champion for the year. Last year's competition was held at Norwich, P. M. Lucas being the winner. This year the Championship will be played at Yarmouth, probably in September.

NORTHAMPTON.

NORTHAMPTON GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JULY 1ST, 1893.

Entrance Fee, 3*l.* 3*s.*; half for Country Members; *Annual Subscription,* 2*l.* 2*s.*; half for Country Members; *Number of Members,* about 75. *President*—Earl Spencer, K.G. *Vice-Presidents*—C. C. Becke, H. E. Randall. *Captain*—N. Dawson. *Vice-Captain*—W. C. Henderson. *Committee*—F. Bostock, E. R. Bull, J. Haviland, B. Muscott, R. G. Scriven, T. G. Turner. *Hon. Treasurer*—W. G. Hobbs *Hon. Secretary*—F. Hill, London and Midland Bank, Northampton. *Greenkeeper*—J. Walker.

Club Prizes.—Monthly Medal, Half-yearly Medal, and Annual Challenge Cup.

The old course at Abingdon proved quite useless last summer owing to the growth of grass, and as the club were unable to agree with the landlords as to mowing rights, play was virtually at a standstill for quite six months. The club have now got an excellent course over capital country, laid out by Tom Morris in December last. It is about two and a half miles from L. and N.W.Ry. Station, but trams run from the station to within half a mile. The cab fare is 2*s.*

NORTH BERWICK.

NORTH BERWICK GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MAY 8TH, 1832.

Annual Subscription, 1*l.* 1*s.* *Captain*—Major J. D. Buchanan Hay. *Hon. Secretary*—D. McCulloch, North Berwick.

Club Prize.—Club Gold Medal (scratch), in September.
Winner in 1894.—Col. Brown, 79, after a tie with Col. Anderson at 81.
Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition.—72, by J. E. Laidlay.

NEW CLUB, INSTITUTED 1880.

Entrance Fee, 10*l.* 10*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 2*l.*; *Number of Members*, 200. *Captain*—Capt. J. G. Baird Hay. *Hon. Secretary*—C. L. Blaikie, The Clubhouse, North Berwick.

Club Prizes.—Spring Meeting: Moncrieff Gold Cross (scratch), and Club Silver Medal (handicap); Autumn Meeting: Club Gold Medal (scratch); Sir Hew Dalrymple's Silver Cup (handicap).
Prize Winners in 1894.—Moncrieff Gold Cross, and Club Silver Medal: L. S. Anderson, 83. Club Gold Medal: J. E. Laidlay, 72. Dalrymple Cup: J. E. Laidlay, 72 + 4 = 76.
Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition.—72, by J. E. Laidlay.
The clubhouse is close to the first tee.

TANTALLON GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED SEPTEMBER 17TH, 1853.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.*; *Annual Subscription*, Fifteen Shillings; New Members after March, 1894, 1*l.*; *Number of Members*, 300. *President*—Sir W. H. Dalrymple, Bart. *Captain*—G. Dalziel. *Hon. Secretary and Treasurer*—W. G. Bloxsom, 25, St. Andrew-square, Edinburgh. *Committee*—J. R. Whitecross, P. Brodie, J. Law, B. H. Blyth, T. D. Thomson. *Greenkeeper*—T. Anderson.

Club Prizes—Brodie Medal (scratch) and Aitchison Medal (handicap), at spring meeting on April 6th; Chambers Cup (scratch), and Croall Medal (handicap), at summer meeting on June 6th; Club Medal (scratch), and Jubilee Cup (handicap), at autumn meeting on September 14th; Whitecross Gold Medal (scratch), for two best scores at the three meetings.
Prize Winners in 1894.—Brodie Medal: R. T. Boothby, 80.

Aitchison Medal: H. White, 82−8=74. Chambers Cup: A. Wallace, 80. Croall Medal: D. N. Cotton, 91−16=75. Club Medal: A. M. Ross, 81. Jubilee Cup: A. C. Robertson, 96−16=80. Whitecross Medal: A. M. Ross, 81+81=162.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition..—74, by John Forrest, on October 11th, 1890.

BASS ROCK GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED APRIL 24TH, 1873.

Entrance Fee, Four Shillings and Sixpence; *Annual Subscription*, Ten Shillings; *Number of Members*, 50. *Captain*—A. C. Hutchison. *Hon. Secretary*—G. Tait, 10, Victoria-road, North Berwick.

Club Prizes.—Three trophies on the first Saturday on every month, except July, August, and September; Club Prizes on April 20th. Fyshe Medal on May 18th; Scratch Medal on October 28th.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 70, by J. Forrest, on July 1st., 1893.

North Berwick Golf Course is situated about a quarter of a mile from the railway station, and consists of eighteen holes, which are probably the most sporting in the world. The greater portion of the course is held on lease, each club contributing to its up-keep, and the charge to visitors who are not members of contributing clubs has, in view of the expense attending the extension of the round beyond the burn, been raised to £1 per annum. Before these lines are in print, it is probable that the old course will have been superseded by the new, so a description of the alterations may fitly be given here. The first and second holes will be unchanged, but the old third or "Dyke" hole will be dispensed with, and the present "Trap" hole will be the third instead of the fourth hole. The "Angle" hole will be dispensed with, the wall which skirted the wood to the "Low Bent" taken down, and play will be to the "Low Bent" instead of the "Angle" as formerly; the putting green will, however, be to the left of the old green, a portion of the wood having been taken in here and trees cut down. Then play will skirt the wood to what is at present the "Hole Across," or eighth hole, part of the wood on the way being taken in, and some trees on the line cut down. The "Quarry-out" will be as formerly; but it will, of course, be the sixth instead of the ninth hole. The seventh hole will be on the west instead of the east side of the burn, a portion of the wall here being taken down and a large stretch of additional ground taken in beyond the burn. The eighth hole will be one of the two longest holes on the links, and play will be along the south side of the newly added ground, beyond the cottages to the wall past the plantation. The ninth hole will run right across the new ground from south to north, and, turning for home, the line for the tenth will slope to the middle of the field. The eleventh hole will be just short of the burn, there being thus four complete holes added within the ground west of the burn. The tee for the "Quarry-in" hole, now

the twelfth, will be on the west side of the burn, but the play to the "Pit" will be as formerly. There will then be a radical change, the "High Bents" hole being dispensed with, and play going on to "Perfection." For the old green, however, there will be substituted a table on the north side of the wall, the line of play being to the left from the "Pit" tee. The four remaining holes will remain as before. The following are the approximate distances of the holes: First, 330yds.; second, 466yds.; third, 440yds.; fourth, 240yds.; fifth, 300yds.; sixth, 270yds.; seventh, 330yds.; eighth, 510yds.; ninth, 250yds.; tenth, 270yds.; eleventh, 300yds.; twelfth, 360yds.; thirteenth, 260yds.; fourteenth, 380yds.; fifteenth, 260yds.; sixteenth, 380yds.; seventeenth, 540yds.; eighteenth, 300yds. The course, calculating from hole to hole, thus extends over a distance of about three and a half miles, and the par will be about 78. The par of the old course was 68, and Bob Ferguson's record 65, while the amateur record was 68, by J. E. Laidlay. By the extension some ten strokes have been added to the par of the round, and anything under 90 will be real good golf.

The North British Railway run a splendid service of trains from Edinburgh to North Berwick, while those who wish a trip by sea can go from Leith by one of the Galloway Saloon Steam Packet Company's steamers, which ply between Leith and North Berwick during the summer months. Excellent hotel accommodation may be had at the Royal, Marine, and Commercial Hotels, and elsewhere throughout the town. Caddies are now licensed, and their tariff is one shilling for a whole or any part of a round.

NORTH BERWICK LADIES' GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JUNE, 1888.

Entrance Fee, Two Shillings and Sixpence; *Annual Subscription*, Five Shillings; *Number of Members*, 300. *Committee*—Sir W. H. Dalrymple, Bart., B. H. Blyth, G. Dalziel, D. A. Stevenson, W. G. Bloxsom. *Hon. Secretary*—C. L. Blaikie, North Berwick.

Club Prizes.—Gold Medal (scratch), annually in August; and also competitions on the last Friday of each month, from June to September inclusive.

The ladies have an excellent nine-hole course, close to the Marine Hotel, the principal hazard being a stone wall. The green record is 27, but anything below 34 is good.

RHODES GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1894.

Captain—Sir W. H. Dalrymple, Bart. *Committee*—J. B. Balfour, R. F. Shaw-Stewart, J. Oswald, G. Dalziel, B. H. Blyth. *Joint Hon. Secretaries*—R. M. McKechnie, and C. L. Blaikie.

The course of nine holes is laid out on the Rhodes links to the East of the town, the ground having been leased from Sir W. H. Dalrymple. The round is an extremely sporting one, and the consequences are dire if the line be not kept religiously. The lengths of the holes are as follows: First, 305yds.; second, 235yds.; third, 300yds.; fourth, 230yds.; fifth, 254yds.; sixth, 170yds.; seventh, 120yds.; eighth, 476yds.; ninth, 220yds. The par of the round is 35. The view from the course is magnificent, the Bass Rock being close at hand. The green is private, but visitors are allowed to play upon certain conditions on application to the secretaries.

NORTHWOOD.

NORTHWOOD GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MARCH, 1891.

Entrance Fee, 5*l.* 5*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 4*l.* 4*s.*; *Number of Members*, 135 (limit, 150). *President*—Right Hon. A. J. Balfour, M.P. *Vice-Presidents*—H. H. Coles and W. W. Nooth. *Captain*—H. Dane. *Hon. Treasurer*—C. C. F. Dickson. *Committee*—E. H. Coles, J. Law, E. W. F. Stiven, F. J. Walker, and L. W. Webster. *Hon. Secretary*—H. Chipp, 51, Dynham-road, West Hampstead, N.W. *Greenkeeper*—J. Hogg.

Club Prizes.—Captain's Prize (scratch), for lowest aggregate of three scores made on Medal days during the twelve months; Monthly Prize (Bogey), on third Saturday in each month; Monthly Medals (Senior and Junior), on first Saturday in each month; Edwards Cup (limited to 18 strokes, match play), in the spring; Foursome Challenge Goblets (limited to 18 strokes, match play), at Easter.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Edwards Cup: W. L. Mansergh. Senior Medal: J. Law. Junior Medal: W. M. Colles. Bogey Prize: R. H. Barlow. 1895—Foursome Challenge Goblets: W. L. Mansergh and S. Price-Williams.

Record for Green, 40, by Franklin Ross, in July, 1894.

The Bogey score is 45. There is accommodation for visitors at the Northwood Hotel, and in private lodgings in the neighbourhood. See the special article, "The Northwood Golf Links," for a description of the green.

NORWICH.

ROYAL NORWICH GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED NOVEMBER 8TH, 1893.

Entrance Fee, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 11*s.* 6*d.*; *Number of Members*, over 400. *Patron*—H.R.H. the Duke of York. *President*—J. J. Colman, M.P. *Vice-Presidents*—S. Hoare, M.P., J. Penn, M.P., The Mayor, Sir H.

Bullard, J. H. Gurney, S. G. Buxton, A. R. Chamberlin. *Captain*—Col. Dawson. *Vice-Captain*—J. J. W. Deuchar. *Committee*—E. T. Boardman, H. C. Bolingbroke, Capt. Roberts, T. Ireland, P. Gabbett, A. G. Howlett, R. Jewson. *Hon. Secretary*—C. Steward, King-street House, King-street, Norwich. *Hon. Treasurer*—E. G. Buxton. *Greenkeeper and Professional*—R. Kelly.

Club Prizes.—Colman Challenge Cup (scratch), 36 holes, at anniversary (Autumn) Meeting; Gold Medals (scratch), and Gold Medals (handicap), at Easter, Midsummer, and Autumn Meetings; Silver and Bronze Medals, Monthly.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Colman Cup: J. J. W. Deuchar. Captain's Medal, match play (handicap), J. J. W. Deuchar. Gold Medal (scratch): Easter, J. J. W. Deuchar; Midsummer, J. J. W. Deuchar; Autumn, H. C. Hardy. Gold Medal (handicap): Easter, W. S. C. Wilcox; Midsummer, T. Ireland; Autumn, H. L. Mellersh.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 90, by F. J. Hope (Yarmouth), in the Norfolk Amateur Championship Competition, September, 1894.

The course of eighteen holes is about three miles round, and is situated on a rising ground ten minutes' walk from Hellesdon Station, on the Midland and Gt. Northern joint line (five minutes from Norwich City Station). The hazards are mostly gorse and sand bunkers. A periodical brake runs from the Market Place, Norwich, to the clubhouse, where meals may be obtained.

NOTTINGHAM.

NOTTINGHAMSHIRE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED NOVEMBER, 1887.

Entrance Fee, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 168. *Captain*—J. Hall. *Vice-Captain*—J. Johnstone. *Treasurer*—J. Hall. *Committee*—A. T. Ashwell, J. Bowes, A. N. Bromley, R. F. Carey, J. Doleman, J. Harris, C. R. Hemingway, J. McMeeking, R. D. Oswald, J. C. Warren. *Joint Hon. Secretaries*—E. A. Coutts, and T. G. Mellors, 2, Victoria-street, Nottingham. *Greenkeeper*—J. Griffin.

Club Prizes.—Challenge Cup (scratch) and Handicap Prizes for first and second divisions, in May and October; Monthly Medal on last Thursday and Saturday of each month.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Challenge Cup: Spring, A. T. Ashwell,

96; Autumn, J. Hall, 92. Handicap Prizes: Spring (under 16), E. A. Coutts, 100−10=90; (over 16), G. A. Smith, 130−36=94. Bogey Competition: A. T. Ashwell. Handicap Prizes: Autumn (under 16), J. Harris, 96−8=88; (over 16), J. Bright, 103−18=85. Aggregate Prize (scratch): J. Hall, 103+92=195. Aggregate Prize (handicap): E. Williamson, 110+104=214−28=186. Monthly Medal: January to June, E. A. Coutts (first division), J. Bright (second division); July to December, E. C. Barnes (first division), F. G. Mellors (second division).

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 86, by J. C. Warren, on October 25th, 1894.

Records for Green: (1) Professional, 83, by W. Aveston, Cromer, on October 10th, 1894; (2) Amateur, 86, by J. C. Warren, October 25th, 1894.

Originally consisting of nine holes, the course, which is situated in Bulwell Forest, about three miles from Nottingham, is now an eighteen hole one and, is an excellent inland green. Bulwell Forest Station (Great Northern Railway) adjoins the pavilion. Other stations, Basford (G. N.), and Bulwell (Midland Ry.), and tram and 'bus. These last three are about half a mile from the green. There is no hotel accommodation at Bulwell, but plenty at Nottingham.

BULWELL FOREST ARTISAN GOLF CLUB, Instituted November 11th, 1893.

Entrance Fee, Two Shillings and Sixpence; *Annual Subscription*, Two Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, 45. *President*—W. F. M. Webb. *Captain*—E. Williamson. *Vice-Captain*—S. Austin. *Hon. Secretary*—S. Anthony, 27, Hart-street, Bulwell, Nottingham. *Green*—Bulwell Forest.

Club Prizes.—Club Cup (scratch), half-yearly, and four Monthly Medals.

Prize Winner in 1894.—Club Cup: S. Austin, 91, this being the lowest scratch score in a club competition.

PLUMTREE GOLF CLUB, Instituted 1892.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, about 40. *Captain*—T. A. Hill. *Vice-Captain*—J. T. Perry. *Committee*—E. F. Bradley, J. T. Perry, C. J. Lewis, F. Woodward, F. B. Lewis. *Hon. Secretary and Treasurer*—F. T. Perry, Clumber-crescent South, The Park, Nottingham.

The course of nine holes is situated at Plumtree, a village a few miles from Nottingham.

OAKHAM.

OAKHAM GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JULY 12TH, 1892.

Annual Subscription, 1*l.* 1*s.*; Ladies, Fifteen Shillings; *Number of Members*, 70. *President*—Earl of Lonsdale. *Captain*—H. Callander. *Committee*—B. A. Adam, Rev. H. W. Fitch, R. Tryon, B. Furley, Rev. E. V. Hodge, E. Hanbury, A. W. Tuck, Rev. C. J. B. Scriven, A. H. Marsh, G. H. Finch, M.P. *Hon. Secretary*—I. L. Grist, 4, Jermyn-terrace, Oakham. *Green*—Oakham Pastures. *Greenkeeper*—A. Davey.

Club Prizes.—President's Challenge Cup (handicap) for ladies, and Captain's Prize (Silver Driver) (handicap), in March and November; and Monthly Medals.

The course is a mile from Oakham Station.

OBAN.

OBAN GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED APRIL 1ST, 1890.

Hon. Secretary—W. Rankin, 13, Stafford-street, Oban.

The course of nine holes is situated at Polámhinister on Glencruiten Estate, within ten minutes' walk of the town. Cards are issued to visitors for short periods on very reasonable terms. An endeavour is, however, being made to secure ground for an eighteen hole course at Ganavan Sands, about a mile from Oban.

OLDHAM.

OLDHAM GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JUNE, 1893.

The course of eighteen holes is situated at Lees, near Oldham, about a mile from Lees Station (L. and N. W. R.). The turf is rather rough, and the hazards are trees, walls, and a glen.

OLTON.

OLTON GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED NOVEMBER, 1893.

Entrance Fee, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Number of Members*, 50, and 18 Ladies. *President*—F. Hoskins. *Captain*—W. F. Haydon. *Treasurer*—G. Godfrey. *Committee*—E. Bond, F. Feeney, J. P. Heaton, E. Rowlands. *Hon. Secretary*—W. M. Cox, Dodona, Olton, near Birmingham. *Greenkeeper*—W. McKinlay.

Club Prizes.—Captain's Prize (handicap), in September; Monthly Medals (handicap); Club Trophy (handicap), lowest aggregate of six net Monthly Medal scores.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Club Trophy: E. Rowlands, 106−22=84. Ashford Cup: E. Bond, 111−21=90.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 85, by A. E. W. Browne, in September, 1894.

Records for Green.—(1) Professional, 35, by W. McKinlay; (2) Amateur, 38, by A. E. W. Browne; both in 1894.

The course of nine holes is about 1¼ miles in length, and has hazards in the shape of water, trees, and hedges. It is one mile from Olton Station (G. W. R.), which is five miles from Birmingham.

ORKNEY.

ORKNEY GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1888.

Annual Subscription, Ten Shillings; *Number of Members*, 40. *President*—Sheriff Thoms. *Captain*—Sheriff Armour. *Vice-Captain*—A. Gold. *Treasurer*—A. Buchanan. *Hon. Secretary*—A. Walls, National Bank, Kirkwall. *Green*—Pickaquoy. *Greenkeeper*—D. Towers.

Club Prizes.—Club Medals (scratch and handicap) in May and October.

The green is within ten minutes' walk of Kirkwall.

OTTAWA.

OTTAWA GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED APRIL 20TH, 1891.

Annual Subscription, Six Dollars; *Number of Members*, 80, and 25 Ladies and 12 Boys. *President and Captain*—Lieut.-Col. D. T. Irwin. *Vice-Presidents* — C. Magee, Lieut.-Col. J. Macpherson. *Committee*—W. L. Marler, S. H. Fleming, Capt. Urquhart, A. L. Jarvis, A. Z. Palmer. *Hon. Secretary and Treasurer*—A. Simpson, c.o. Ontario Bank, Ottawa. *Greenkeeper and Professional*—A. Ricketts.

Club Prizes.—Club Championship Medal and Gilmour Cup (scratch), on second and fourth Saturdays in each month, lowest aggregate of three scores winning; President's and Vice-Presidents' Cups (handicap); and other prizes.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Gilmour Cup and Championship Medal: A. Simpson, 89, 91, 93, average 91. President's Cup: A. Simpson. Ladies' Championship and Brooch: Miss S. Sparks. Boys' Championship: G. Gibson.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 89, by A. Simpson, on September 8th, 1894.

Records for Green (1), Professional, 37, by A. Ricketts, in October, 1894; (2) Amateur, 40, by A. Simpson, on April 28th, 1894.

The course of nine holes is an exceedingly difficult one, being intersected in all directions by heavy bunkers, hills, roads, and rough ground. Ottawa is two miles from the green, and there are first-class hotels there.

OXFORD.

OXFORD UNIVERSITY GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1875.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 10*s.*; *Number of Members*, 200. *President*—Rev. Dr. Boyd. *Captain*—R. H. Mitchell. *Treasurer*—R. R. Marett. *Committee*—W. R. Hardie, Professor H. F. Pelham, R. W. Macan, F. L. Richardson, G. Montagu, A. B. Sanders, F. J. Hope. *Hon. Secretary*—P. A. Lushington. *Assistant Secretary*—J. W. Gynes, 19, Boulter-street. *Professional*—H. Kirkcaldy.

Club Prizes and Winners in 1894.—Kirkcaldy Medal (Bogey handicap, limited to eighteen): R. B. R. Mair. Gold Medal (scratch): R. H. Mitchell. Inter-Collegiate Silver Iron: Queen's, R. B. R. Mair and G. M. T. Smyth. St. Andrew's Cross (handicap): H. G. B. Ellis. Club Tournament (handicap): G. M. T. Smyth. Club Challenge Cup: H. G. B Ellis.

During 1894 the Club won nine matches and lost eight.

An annual match is played with Cambridge. Oxford won last year by thirteen holes, but Cambridge won this year's match at Sandwich in March by three holes.

The course consists of eighteen holes, and is open all the year round. It is situated on high ground above South Hinckesey, and can be reached from town in about thirty-five minutes, frequent tramcars running nearly half the distance; or in less than half an hour by brakes, leaving daily at 1.30 and 1.45 p.m. There is a small club-house, with lockers, &c. (rent 5*s.* annually), on the green.

There is also a supplementary course of nine holes on Cowley Marsh, within easy distance of town.

PAINSWICK.

PAINSWICK GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JANUARY 1ST, 1892.

The course of nine holes is situated about one mile from Painswick, and four miles from Stroud.

PARAMÉ.

PARAMÉ GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1893.

Entrance Fee, 25 francs; *Annual Subscription*, 25 francs.

The course of eighteen holes is situated at La Guirndrais, near Paramé, and there is a clubhouse, where lunch can be obtained. A brake leaves the Hôtel de la Plage for the course on Mondays and Thursdays. Wednesday is the ladies' day.

Members of any recognised golf club may play for three days on being introduced. The charges for visitors are 5 francs per week, 15 francs a month, and 30 francs for six months. Ladies 5 francs per week, and 15 francs for any longer period up to a year.

PAU.

PAU GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1856.

Captain—J. Mellor. *Hon. Secretary*—H. G. Ross.

With the exception of Blackheath, this is one of the oldest Golf Clubs out of Scotland. The course is situated on the Plaine de Billère, about one mile from the centre of the town; cab fare, one franc. The golfing season commences on 1st October and ends 1st June. The green now consists of eighteen holes, with capital hazards. The view from the course of the snowy range of the Pyrenees is one of the finest in Europe. There is an excellent clubhouse, where members can lunch and dine, and which is connected by telephone with the English Club. tennis court, and hunting stables.

PAU LADIES' GOLF CLUB.

This is in reality only a section of the Pau Golf Club, but is managed by a separate committee.

The ladies' course consists of nine holes, and the hazards are walls, bunkers, and bushes.

PEEBLES.

PEEBLES GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED OCTOBER 11TH, 1892.

Annual Subscription, Ten Shillings; Artisans, Five Shillings. *Number of Members*, 240. *Captain*—T. R. Smith. *Vice-Captain*—W. Bertram. *Committee*—W. Thorburn, H. Ballantyne, jun., R. S. Anderson, G. A. D. C. Fergusson, W. Macqueen, P. Masterton. *Hon. Secretary*—W. Lyon, Solicitor, Peebles.

Club Prizes.—Championship Medal (scratch), by holes during summer; Monthly Medal (handicap), on first Saturday of each month.

Records for Green.—(1) Professional: 36, by J. Duncan; (2) Amateur: 36, by W. Lyon.

The course of nine holes is fully a mile in length. It runs over the Morning Hill, about a mile to the south of the town. From the hill, which at one time formed part of the town's possessions, one of the finest panoramic views is to be had of the town and the valleys of the Tweed and Eddlestone Water. The Hill contains thirty-three acres, and has been in pasture and well grazed for sixteen years, with the result that the turf is well adapted for golfing. There are a number of natural hazards in the shape of whins, quarry holes, rough ground, boundary walls, wood and water. The North British and Caledonian Railway Stations are within fifteen minutes' walk.

PEMBREY.

ASHBURNHAM GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MARCH 25TH, 1894.

Entrance Fee, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; Ladies, five Shillings and Threepence; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1s.; Ladies, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, 70. *President*—Earl of Ashburnham. *Vice-President*—Sir A. Stepney. *Captain*—W. J. Wilson. *Treasurer*—W. Griffiths, Metropolitan Bank, Llanelly. *Committee*—W. W. Bedlo, G. B. Elkington, E. N. Jones, H. Nevill, W. D. Rock, H. Stead, E. Trubshaw. *Hon. Secretary*—E. S. Seymour, Ashburnham Villa, Burry Port, R.S.O., Wales. *Clubhouse*—Ashburnham Hotel, Pembrey.

Club Prizes.—Gold Medal (scratch), annually; and Silver Medal (handicap), monthly.

Prize Winner in 1894.—Gold Medal: F. L. Richardson, 106.

Lowest Scratch Score, 106, by F. L. Richardson, in 1894.

The course of nine holes is about three-quarters of a mile from Pembrey and Burry Port Station. The round measures some 2600 yards, the longest hole being 433 yards and the shortest 183. The hazards are a railway embankment crossed thrice, sand bunkers, ditches, and rushes. The ground is undulating for the most part. The par of the round is 36. The Ashburnham Hotel, which is close to the green, affords good accommodation for visitors.

PENANG.

PENANG GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED AUGUST, 1887.

Entrance Fee, 10 dols.; *Annual Subscription*, 12 dols.; *Number of Members*, 150 Gentlemen and 50 Ladies. *President*—Dr. Ker. *Captain*—D. Brown. *Hon. Treasurer*

—J. Greig, Chartered Bank of India. *Committee*—G. F. Adamson, A. R. Adams, F. Wreford. *Hon. Secretary*—E. Prior, Penang Golf Club, Penang.

Club Prizes.—Scratch: Straits Championship and the Warren Shield, at Singapore and Penang alternately at Christmas; Penang Championship, played for in March. Handicap: Sydney Cup and Calcutta Medal at Autumn Meeting; Ladies' Championship, in March.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Straits Championship, Warren Shield, Penang Championship, and Sydney Cup: D. Brown, +2. The Calcutta Medal: H. T. Haughton, 27. Ladies' Championship: Mrs. J. A. Brown.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 42, by W. Greig, Christmas, 1894.

Record for Green, 41, by D. Brown.

The course of nine holes is 2800 yards in length. There is also a short nine hole course for ladies. Members of any recognised club are put up as visiting members for one month.

PENARTH.

GLAMORGANSHIRE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED OCTOBER, 1890.

Entrance Fee, 3*l.* 3*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 11*s.* 6*d.*; *Number of Members*, 170, and 30 ladies. *Captain*—H. W. Flint. *Committee*—T. M. Barlow, J. F. F. Common, J. Hunter, F. Mason, E. Nicholls, J. W. Pyman, S. B. Reid, C. B. Stoddart, W. H. M. Tucker. *Hon. Secretary*—A. M. Ingledew, 57, Mount Stuart-square, Cardiff. *Greenkeeper*—J. Brown.

Club Prizes.—Club Cup, and three Monthly Medals, for ladies and gentlemen.

The course of nine holes is situated about a mile from Penarth Station, and four miles from Cardiff. It is rapidly improving in consequence of the lavish outlay made upon it. Visitor's fee, one shilling a day, or two shillings and sixpence a week. There is good accommodation to be got at the Esplanade Hotel, close to the station. The Hon. Secretary will be pleased to give any information.

PENRITH.

INGLEWOOD GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1890.

Annual Subscription, 1*l.*; *Number of Members*, 50. *President*—Earl of Lonsdale. *Vice-President*—Col. Westmorland. *Hon. Treasurer*—R. B. Neville, The Bank.

Penrith. *Hon. Secretary*—Rev. J. A. Legh, Wordsworth-street, Penrith.

The course of nine holes is situated on the racecourse, about two miles from Penrith, and commands extensive views of the lake district. It has been greatly improved of late, and is now in good order. There is accommodation in the George Hotel for visitors.

PERSHORE.

PERSHORE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1893.

The green is situated about two miles from Pershore Station, but a 'bus will land the visitor within ten minutes' walk of the first teeing ground. Good accommodation may be had at the Three Tuns and Angel Hotels. The course of nine holes is prettily situated on a breezy upland overlooking the river Avon. The chief hazards are ponds, roads, ditches, hedges, and a steep, rough bank, studded with hawthorn and gorse bushes. The greens are small, but well looked after, and with more play the lies through the green will no doubt improve greatly. Visitors are charged one shilling per day, two shillings and sixpence per week, or five shillings per month.

PERTH.

ROYAL PERTH GOLFING SOCIETY AND COUNTY AND CITY CLUB, INSTITUTED APRIL 5TH, 1824.

Entrance Fee, 10*l.* 10*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Number of Members*, 200. *Captain*—Lord Balvaird. *Committee*—T. W. Greig, W. MacLeish, Major Middleton, Sir A. M. Mackenzie, T. Richmond, M. Jameson, jun., Gemmell, Miller, Colonel Richardson, Colonel J. Campbell. *Hon. Secretary*—R. Kinloch, W.S., Perth. *Green*—North Inch. *Greenkeeper*—J. Raleigh.

Club Prizes.—Spring Meeting, Society's Gold Medal (scratch); Pitfour Silver Medal (scratch); St. Martin's Cross (handicap); Autumn Meeting, Buccleuch Gold Medal (scratch); Bombay Silver Medal (scratch); Atholl Cross (handicap).

KING JAMES VI. GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1859.

No particulars forthcoming.

PERTH ARTISAN GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED APRIL 25TH, 1879.

Captain—G. Martin. *Treasurer*—W. Robson. *Hon. Secretary*—J. Whittet.

PERTH LICENSED VICTUALLERS' GOLF CLUB.

No particulars forthcoming.

The game at Perth is played over the North Inch, a lovely expanse of turf on the border of the River Tay. Like all inland greens, play is confined to the spring and autumn months. For a long time, but more especially on Saturday afternoons, the course was in such a crowded condition that it was hardly possible to enjoy a good game. Accordingly a number of the prominent golfers took the matter in hand, and they succeeded in securing from Mr. Morton, of the Muirton Farm, the large field at the top of the North Inch, on which five new greens were laid, besides an additional hole on the Inch, thus extending the course to eighteen holes. The total length is now 4523 yards, and the par of the round is 66.

Further particulars of an interesting nature, about Perth and its golfing green, will be found in the special article, "An Ancient Green."

PETERBOROUGH.

GORDON GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1894.

Number of Members, over 100.

The course is a nine hole one, and with attention the putting greens will become very fair, but the lies through the green will not be to be depended upon for some time. *The Green Record* is 38, by D. H. Hurry, the professional, on March 21st last.

PETERHEAD.

PETERHEAD GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1841.

Entrance Fee, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Annual Subscription,* Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members,* 150. *President*—Col. Ferguson. *Vice-Presidents* R. Gray and W. Mitchell. *Captain* — R. B. Crabb. *Treasurer* — J. Pyper. *Committee*—A. W. Robertson, J. Milne, W. Mackay, C. F. Wills, W. Martin, G. Yule. *Hon. Secretary*—W. L. Scott, 21, Queen-street, Peterhead. *Green*—Craigewan. *Greenkeeper*—A. Ritchie.

Club Prizes.—Club Gold Medal (scratch); Gray Silver Medal (scratch); Town Council's Cup; Ballingal Medal; and Merchant Maiden Hospital Medal (handicap), at Spring and Autumn Meetings.

Prize Winners in 1894.—J. Milne, W. Lumsden, J. Gibson, and R. B. Crabb.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 82, by A. W. Robertson, on October 10th, 1894.

Record for Green, 37, by A. W. Robertson, on above date.

The par of the round is 36.

The present course, of nine holes, was opened in September, 1892, and as a great part of it is reclaimed ground, it is improving every day. It is about three-quarters of a mile from Peterhead Station. There are three hotels in the town, at all of which capital accommodation can be got.

Visitors are charged 1*s.* per day, 2*s.* 6*d.* per week, and 5*s.* per month. There is a good clubhouse.

PETERSFIELD.

PETERSFIELD GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MAY, 1892.

Entrance Fee, Ten Shillings; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.*; *Number of Members*, 60. *President*—J. Bonham-Carter. *Captain*—L. G. Bonham-Carter. *Hon. Secretary*—J. A. Perkin, Castle House, Petersfield. *Greenkeeper*—E. Milner.

A Monthly Medal Competition is held on the third Monday of each month.

Record for Green, 44, by H. E. Christy, in June, 1894.

The course of nine holes is laid out on the heath about half a mile from Petersfield Station. The Dolphin Hotel is four minutes' walk from the green.

PIETERMARITZBURG.

PIETERMARITZBURG GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1890.

No particulars forthcoming.

PITLOCHRY.

PITLOCHRY GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1895.

The course is laid out on ground belonging to Mr. Buttar, of Faskally, which he has leased to the club at a very moderate rent.

PHILADELPHIA (U.S.A.).

BELMONT GOLF CLUB.

Hon. Secretary—49th Street, Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA CRICKET CLUB GOLF SECTION.

Headquarters at Wissahickon Heights, Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA COUNTY GOLF CLUB.

No details.

DEVON GOLF CLUB.

No details.

RITTENHOUSE GOLF CLUB.

No details.

PHILADELPHIA UNIVERSITY GOLF CLUB.

No details.

PLEASINGTON.

PLEASINGTON GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED OCTOBER, 1890.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Number of Members*, 46. *President*—W. H. Hornby, M.P. *Captain*—Dr. Lonsdale. *Treasurer*—J. Wilding. *Committee*—W. H. Brewer, F. T. Marwood, H. T. Parke, R. Spencer, G. W. Stones, W. Taylor. *Hon. Secretary*—D. Hamer, 9, York-terrace, Blackburn. *Greenkeeper*—J. Carson.

Club Prizes and Winners in 1894.—Wilding Medal: Dr. Hunt. Club Cup: F. T. Marwood. Captain's Prize: Dr. Hunt.

The course is situated within two minutes' walk of Pleasington Station, and consists of nine holes, the round being about a mile and a half. The putting greens are good, and the hazards varied. The clubhouse is commodious and convenient. Pleasington is close to Blackburn.

PORT ELIZABETH.

PORT ELIZABETH GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED SEPTEMBER 1ST, 1890.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 11*s.* 6*d.*; *Number of Members*, 107. *President*—Sir C. F. Blaine. *Vice-President*—J. T. Keith. *Captain*—O. R. Dunell. *Committee*—H. R. Kuhr, R. D. Macvean, S. F. Wimble, L. F. Penny, D. D. Nisbet, P. Heugh. *Hon. Secretary*—W. C. Thomson, 45, Perkins-street, Port Elizabeth, P.O Box 177. *Greenkeeper and Professional*—J. Johnstone, from North Berwick.

Club Prizes.—Dunell Cup (handicap), half-yearly; Ashford Cup (handicap), monthly, final by holes for possession of cup; Club Championship (scratch), in August.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Club Championship: O. R. Dunell. Dunell Cup: D. D. Nisbet. Aggregate Prize (handicap): R. D.

Macvean. Bogey Competitions: Nisbet and Mackenzie, and Murray and Macvean.

An Open Meeting is held annually at Easter, when the following competitions take place: Foursome Competition, couples to be nominated by their respective clubs. South African Team Challenge Cup (by holes), open to teams representing any South African Golf Club prize, South African Challenge Cup, with Medal to each member of winning team. Port Elizabeth Handicap (two rounds). Championship of South Africa (scratch), by strokes, two rounds; winner to hold Challenge Cup presented by Union Steamship Company for one year. Farewell Handicap. Captain's Aggregate Prize (handicap).

Records for Green: (1) Professional, 78, by J. Johnston; Amateur, 82, by O. R. Dunell.

The par of the round is 69.

The course is one of eighteen holes, about 4626 yards in length, and the hazards are gravel pits, roads, whins, long grass, fences, pits, and water. It is about one and a half miles from town, and the clubhouse and hotel are close to the green.

PORTHCAWL.

PORTHCAWL GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JUNE, 1891.

Entrance Fee, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 150, and 35 Ladies. *Captain*—Rev. D. Davies. *Vice-Captain*—Dr. D. R. Paterson. *Committee*—W. S. Vivian, H. Forester, J. Tate, L. Jenkins, C. Ward, E. Breppit, E. T. Collins, Dr. E. Williams. *Hon. Secretary*—H. C. Vivian, 6, Exchange-buildings, Cardiff. *Greenkeeper*—A. Pittock.

The course of nine holes is situated on the sea shore, about a mile from the railway station, where conveyances during the summer months meet all trains. Excellent accommodation may be had at the Esplanade and Porthcawl Ocean Hotels.

PORTMAHOMACK.

PORTMAHOMACK GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1894.

The course consists of nine holes.

PORTOBELLO.

PORTOBELLO GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1856; RESUSCITATED 1883.

Entrance Fee, Seven Shillings and Sixpence; *Annual Subscription*, Seven Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of*

Members, 93. *Captain* — T. Wood. *Vice-Captain* — Provost Brand. *Hon. Treasurer*—E. Suding. *Committee* —H. B. Ferrier, J. Smart, G. Smith, J. Herriot, D. Crawford, H. Calder, J. S. Stevenson, J. Shepherd, H. S. Smart. *Hon. Secretary*—W. A. Purves, 170, High-street, Portobello. *Green*—Musselburgh.

Club Prizes.—Gold Medal (scratch) and Wood Silver Cup (handicap), in April; Gray Silver Medal (scratch) and Craig Silver Medal (handicap), in September; Christian Silver Medal (handicap), in October; and Melville Silver Cup (aggregate).

Prize Winners in 1894.—Gold Medal: H. B. Ferrier, 89. Wood Silver Cup: T. Hunter, 89 − 8 = 81. Gray Silver Medal: J. H. P. Paton, 86. Craig Silver Medal: D. Crawford, 90 − 12 = 78. Christian Silver Medal: J. Gibsone, 95 − 8 = 87. Melville Aggregate Silver Cup: J. Duncan.

PORTOBELLO LADIES' GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MAY 2ND, 1893.

President—J. Smart. *Treasurer*—Miss Smart. *Hon. Secretary*—Mrs. D. Crawford, Bank Buildings, Portobello.

The ladies play in the Recreation Park, where a short course has been laid out.

PORTRUSH.

ROYAL PORTRUSH GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1888.

Entrance Fee, 5*l.* 5*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 520. *Captain*—H. Adair. *Hon. Treasurer*—H. A. Macaulay. *Committee*—J. S. Alexander, W. H. Mann, W. G. Lawrence, H. H. M'Neile, Colonel G. Beresford-Knox, D. M'Laughlin, R. A. Taylor, Dr. J. H. Carson, J. S. Exham, Captain M'Calmont, M.P., C. J. Webb, J. R. Eccles, R. A. Collingwood, S. Wilson. *Hon. Secretary* — J. M. Russell, 25, Mark-street, Portrush, Co. Antrim. *Greenkeeper*—Sergeant-Major Arnold.

Club Prizes.—Hole and Stroke Competitions on first and second weekdays in January; Corry Cup, Open Hole Competition, and M'Calmont Cup (holes) on third Saturday and following Monday and Tuesday of June; Foursomes (open), on first Saturday in August; Mixed Foursomes on first Saturday in September; Portglenone Cup (open hole competition), and Open Stroke Competition, on first Saturday and following Monday in October; Monthly Competitions (handicap) on second Saturday and fourth Saturday of each month, the latter open.

Prize Winners in 1894.—M'Calmont Cup: T. Dickson. June Competition: (1) J. B. Black, 79; (2) J. R. McDonald, 84. Annual Cup: J. S. Exham, 80. Corry Cup: Dr. J. T. Creery, 80. Mixed Foursomes: Miss O'Brien and B. O'Brien. Portglenone Cup: J. Woodside. October Competition: (1) W. H. Webb, 68; (2) P. Watson, 78.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 74, by W. H. Webb, on October 8th, 1894.

The *Record for the Green* is 71, by T. Gilroy, on January 28th, 1893.

Portrush, sixty-seven miles north-west of Belfast, is the nearest railway station to the Giant's Causeway, eight miles distant. The station is two minutes' walk from the links, and there is ample accommodation for visitors in hotels and private houses. The Northern Counties Railway Hotel is one of the largest and best in Ireland. The course is one of eighteen holes, about three miles in length, with fine natural bunkers and excellent turf. It is the leasehold property of the club, but visitors are allowed to play at a moderate charge. A new club-house was erected in 1892 at a cost of 1500*l.*, and in 1893 an addition (including billiard-room, baths, &c.), was made at a further outlay of 700*l.*

ROYAL PORTRUSH LADIES' GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED NOVEMBER, 1891.

Entrance Fee, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Annual Subscription*, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, 250. *Captain*—Mrs. Adair. *Hon. Secretary*—Mrs. Mann. *Hon. Treasurer*—Miss Cox. *Committee*—Mrs. Magill, Mrs. Russell, Mrs. Hezlet, Miss Patrick, Miss A. Hamilton, Miss L. M'Keown, Miss Grimshaw.

Club Prizes.—Monthly Competition, on second Friday of each month; Midsummer Meeting, on fourth Saturday and preceding Friday in June; Hole Competition, last Saturday in July; Autumn Meeting, Tuesday following October Meeting of Gentlemen's Club; New Year's Meeting, second Saturday in January; Easter Meeting, Tuesday following meeting of Gentlemen's Club.

Prize Winners in 1894.—May 19th (holes): Mrs. Russell. June: (1) Mrs. Russell, 82 – 11 = 71; (2) Miss E. Brownrigg, 84 – 12 = 72. Magill Cup (holes): Miss M. Hezlet. Annual Cup: Miss E. Hamilton, 88 – 12 = 76. Knockvarre Shield (holes): Miss Patrick. Children's Competition (holes): (1) Miss Ruth Macaulay; (2) Miss M. Magill.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 81, by Miss Cox and by Miss E. McKeown, on September 14th, 1894.

The ladies have a separate eighteen hole course of their own, and also a clubhouse handsomely furnished.

PORTSALON.

PORTSALON GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1891.

Annual Subscription, 1*l.* 1*s.*; half to members of other Irish clubs; *Number of Members*, 34. *Captain*—Colonel Barton. *Committee*—Hon. R. O'Neill, M.P., Gen. Warren, Rev. W. A. Dickson, R. A. Collingwood, B. O'Brien. *Hon. Secretary* — H. C. Hart, Carrablagh, Portsalon, Letterkenny, co. Donegal. *Greenkeeper*—P. Gallagher.

Club Prizes.—Challenge Cup (by holes handicap) and Cup (strokes handicap), in July; and other prizes.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Challenge Cup: R. R. Gilroy. Cup: J. S. Moore, jun.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 82, by R. R. Gilroy, at summer meeting, 1894.

Green Record, 78, by H. B. Tristram, Royal Musselburgh Golf Club, on April 15th, 1895.

The course of eighteen holes, of excellent golfing quality, was fully described in the special article, "Portsalon Golf Links," which appeared in last year's ANNUAL.

An excellent hotel is within two minutes' walk of the first tee. Portsalon is reached by rail from Derry to Fahan, thence (Tuesdays and Fridays) steamer to Portsalon; every day steam-ferry to Rathmullen, thence by car to Portsalon.

PORTSMOUTH.

UNITED SERVICE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JANUARY, 1886.

Annual Subscription, 1*l.*; *Number of Members*, 200. *Presidents*—Admiral Salmon, General Davis. *Captain*—Colonel Wynne, R.A. *Treasurer*—Colonel J. Selby-Walker. *Custodian of Course*—Dr. Reid, R.N. *Committee*—Major Saltmarshe, R.A., Colonel Wright, R.M.L.I., Commander C. Harding, Captain Quinton, R.A., Captain Langley, R.A., Captain Churchill, R.N., Commander Baker, R.N., Commander Denison, R.N., Major Swinburne, Captain Poynder, R.N., Surg.-Colonel P. Hayes, Colonel H. Stuart, Captain W. Sealey-Vidal, R.E., Major Swinburne, R.M.A. *Hon. Secretary* — Commander E. Payne, R.N., Lonsdale Lodge, Nelson-road, Southsea. *Greenkeeper*—C. Calloway.

Club Prizes.—Chalmers Thistle Medal, on April 30th; Monthly Medal, first Saturday in each month; also prizes at Spring, Summer, and Autumn Meetings.

Records for Green.—(1) Professional, 33, by C. Calloway; (2) Amateur, 36, by Dr. W. Reid.

The green is beautifully situated at Haslar, on the shores of the Solent, opposite the Isle of Wight, and near Gosport and Portsmouth. It is a roomy course of nine holes, abounding in excellent hazards, chiefly formed by the earthworks and ditches round Fort Monckton. The nearest railway station is Stokes Bay, about half a mile from the club-house; but the course is also easily accessible from Gosport, Gosport Road, and Portsmouth stations.

LADIES' UNITED SERVICE GOLF CLUB.

No details forthcoming.

POTCHEFSTROOM.

POTCHEFSTROOM GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JUNE, 1891.

No particulars forthcoming.

PRESTON.

PRESTON GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED NOVEMBER, 1892.

Annual Subscription, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 98 and 50 Ladies. *President*—S. A. Hermon. *Vice-Presidents*—Mayor of Preston, Sir M. White Ridley, Bart., M.P., W. E. M. Tomlinson, M.P., R. W. Hanbury, M.P. *Committee*—W. W. Galloway, R. Trimble, J. E. Garner, J. P. Muspratt, J. J. Johnson, E. C. C. Firth. *Hon. Treasurer*—J. Sill. *Hon. Secretary*—W. S. Edelston, 7, Winchley-street, Preston. *Greenkeeper*—J. Whitehead.

Club Prizes.—President's Cup, Mayor's Prize, Galloway Cup, Club Prize and Monthly Medal (handicap), Garner Prize for Ladies.

Prize Winners in 1894.—President's Cup: Dr. Garner. Mayor's Prize: R. Sykes. Galloway Cup: J. M. Rea. Club Prize: Dr. Hardy. Garner Prize: Miss M. Cotton.

Record for Green, 34, by G. Lowe, the St. Anne's professional.

The course of nine holes adjoins the Preston Pleasure Gardens, at the east side of the town. There is ready means of access to it by the tramway from the Town Hall, and a quarter of an hour's ride puts the members down within two minutes' walk from the ground.

FULWOOD GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1894.

The course of nine holes was laid out at Fulwood, near Preston, last September, by G. Lowe, of St. Anne's, who reports favourably on its capabilities as an inland green.

PRESTONPANS.

THORNTREE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED DECEMBER 22ND, 1856.

Entrance Fee, Ten Shillings; *Annual Subscription*, Ten Shillings. *Captain*—F. Cadell. *Vice-Captain*—C. Lamb. *Treasurer*—J. Dewar. *Joint Secretaries*—G. Hunter and E. Johnston. *Committee*—J. M'Kerron, D. Adams, G. Clark, J. Sandilands, A. Inglis, J. Kay, T. Hare, T. M'Walter, Provost Edgar.

Two fields have been acquired contiguous to the old six hole green, and the round extended to nine holes. Special terms will be fixed for summer visitors.

PRESTWICK.

PRESTWICK GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1851.

Entrance Fee, 15*l.*; *Annual Subscription*, 2*l.*; *Number of Members*, 400. *Captain*—W. H. Dunlop. *Hon. Secretary and Treasurer*—H. Hart, Sunnyside, Ayr. *Greenkeeper*—C. Hunter.

Club Prizes.—Club Gold Medal (scratch), in Spring; Eglinton Gold Medal (scratch), in Autumn; St. Andrew's Cross (handicap), in Spring and Autumn; Monthly Gold Medal (handicap).

Prize Winners in 1894.—Club Gold Medal: W. S. Wilson, 86, after a tie with T. Anderson. Eglinton Gold Medal: F. A. Fairlie, 83. St. Andrews Cross: Spring—J. D. Hedderwick, 113−30=83; Autumn —A. Birrell, 88−9=79.

Prestwick Links take high rank among the golfing courses of the United Kingdom. Situated three miles from Ayr, on the shore of the Firth of Clyde, they command magnificent views of Arran, Ailsa Craig, the Carrick Hills, and the Bay of Ayr. The course consists of eighteen holes, and of hazards there are plenty and to spare, while the putting greens are beautifully kept. One great advantage of Prestwick is that the links are private, and none but members, or gentlemen who have been introduced by members, are allowed to play. Golf was played at Prestwick prior to the formation of the present club, by the late Lord Eglinton, Mr J. O. Fairlie, Colonel Gillon of Wallhouse, and others; and there is even a legend that, to settle a deadly feud, a match at golf took place on "Ye Links atte Air" several hundred years ago, "for his nose, between a Monk of Crossraguel and a Lord of Culzean." The links at that time are, however, supposed to have been south of Ayr. The record for the green is 71, by Willie Campbell, professional; and the par of the round is 74.

PRESTWICK ST. NICHOLAS GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1851.

Entrance Fee, 7*l.* 7*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 5*l.* 5*s.*; *Number of Members*, 370. *Captain*—A. J. Larke. *Vice-Captain*—A. Y. Peattie. *Committee*—J. Andrew, J. Howat, A. Boon, W. Beaton, D. M. Alexander, D. Fergusson, D. Templeton, A. Crawford, W. H. Griffin, W. J. C. Blaikley, A. Wyllie. *Hon. Secretary and Treasurer*—D. Caldwell, 5, Queen's-terrace, Ayr. *Club Maker*—J. Allan. *Greenkeeper*—J. Ferguson.

Club Prizes.—Club Medal (scratch) and Captain's Prize (handicap, 12 limit), on January 1st; Wilson Medal (handicap), in January, March, June, and October; Kilmarnock Trophy and 1st and 2nd Ayr Trophies (handicap), on March 30th; Eglinton Medal (scratch), Smith Medal (handicap, limit 12), and Gold Badge (handicap, above 12), on June 1st; Arrol Cup (open to members of West of Scotland clubs), in August; Hess Prize (handicap), Armour Medal (handicap, limit 12), and Gold Badge (handicap, above 12), in October; Aggregate Prize (handicap), for lowest three scores for Wilson Medal.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Club Medal: R. Andrew, 83. Handicap Medal: D. Meikle, 90—10=80. Armour Medal: M. Smith, 101—16=85. Vice-Captain's Prize: J. Andrew, 85. Paton Prize: A. J. Larke, 92—10=82. Eglinton Medal: E. D. Prothero, 82. Ayr Trophy: A. Reid, 101—20=81. Arrol Cup: W. Blake, Dumfries, 82. Hess Prize: A. Reid, 97—20=77. Armour Medal: F. W. Kennedy, 90—10=80.

The course of eighteen holes stretches along the sea to the south of the Prestwick course, the railway forming the eastern boundary. The ground is finely diversified, and the hazards are numerous and formidable. The turf is old pasture, and in many places is similar to that on the Prestwick green. The total length of the round is about two miles and a half, and the par may be set at 68. The green record is 73, by J. Allan and J. Hunter. The clubhouse accommodates 500 members, the ground floor being occupied by the general room, 36ft. by 17½ft., fronting the seashore, the dining-room, 20ft. by 12ft., looking to the railway and turnpike road, and the kitchen, &c. The first floor comprises two large dressing rooms, reading room, committee room, and club keeper's apartments.

ST. NICHOLAS LADIES' GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED SEPTEMBER, 1893.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.*; *Annual Subscription*, Seven Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, 150. *Captain*—Mrs. A. J. Larke. *Vice-Captain*—Miss Wilson. *Committee*—Mrs. Ker, Mrs. Richards, Miss Bell, Miss B. Tayler. *Hon.*

Secretary—Miss M. Allison, Up Manse, Prestwick.
Treasurer—D. Caldwell, 5, Queen's-terrace, Ayr.

Club Prizes and Winners in 1894.—July Competition (one round): Miss A. M. Griffin, 68−16=52; and Miss K. Gilfillan, 56−4=52, tied. Captain's Prize: Miss F. Lamb, 96. Rogers Prize for Lofting: Mrs. E. C. Miller. Shearer Prize: Miss Leisk, 56−12=44. Foursome Competition: Miss F. Lamb and A. J. Larke, 93.

Green Record—45, by Miss F. Lamb.

The Club play over the old St. Nicholas green of nine holes.

PRETORIA.

PRETORIA GOLF CLUB.

No details.

PRIDE'S CROSSING (U.S.A.).

PRIDE'S GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1894.

The course is at Pride's Crossing (Mass.).

PWLLHELI.

SOUTH BEACH GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JUNE 26TH, 1891.

Pwllheli, North Wales, is a seaside resort, situated on the shores of Cardigan Bay, in South Carnarvonshire, and is fast developing into one of the most fashionable summer and health resorts on the coast. The bay in front of the new parade at the south beach is one of the best adapted for boating and bathing in the United Kingdom, and there is also a magnificent natural harbour, formed between two embankments. Between the harbour and the sea there is a sandy common, on which the course has been laid. The circumference is about three miles, and it contains nine holes, about 200 or 250 yards apart.

PYECOMBE.

PYECOMBE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1894.

Number of Members, over 120. *Chairman*—H. W. Campion. *Captain*—C. W. Campion. *Committee*—Major Campbell, C. Gordon, Rev. R. Helme, H. de Paravicini, P. Willett, H. Woods, G. Loder, M.P., B. Wentworth, M.P. *Hon. Treasurer*—A. J. Bridge. *Hon. Secretary*—F. Campion, Danny Park, near Hassocks, Sussex. *Assistant*

QUEENSTOWN (SOUTH AFRICA).

QUEENSTOWN GOLF CLUB.

No details.

QUILON.

QUILON GYMKHANA GOLF CLUB,

Subscription, Ordinary Members, Five Rupees Monthly; Members residing outside twenty miles radius, One Rupee Monthly. *Committee*—Major Preston, G. H. Davey. *Hon. Secretary and Treasurer*—D. G. Cameron. *Golf Secretary*—R. B. Ferguson.

The course consists of nine holes, the total length of the round being 2318 yards.

RAMLEH (EGYPT).

RAMLEH GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JANUARY, 1893.

Entrance Fee, Five Shillings; *Annual Subscription*, Fifteen Shillings; *Number of Members*, 60. *President*—His Excellency Morice Pasha, C.M.G. *Committee*—Mr. Justice Sandars, Peake Bey, S. H. Carver, A. Joseph. *Hon. Secretary and Treasurer*—W. S. Charteris Bey.

Club Prizes.—Crosby Silver Monthly Medal (handicap) and Crosby Silver Annual Medal (scratch), to become the property of anyone winning it three years consecutively.

The links are situated near Bulkeley Station, which is about three and a half miles from Alexandria. There is a frequent service of trains throughout the day. The course is a nine hole one, laid out on the desert and on the sand hills close to the sea shore, thus ensuring a cool breeze at all times of the year. There are no crossings. The hazards consist of a railway embankment and a number of bunkers. Part of the course occupies a site held by the British Forces in 1882, and one of the entrenchments then thrown up is now used as a hazard. Officers of H.B.M.'s Army and Navy are charged collectively as follows:—Ships, per month, 10*s.*; Regiments, 15*s.* Visitors introduced by members, 2*s.* 6*d.* per month.

RANDALSTOWN.

SHANES PARK GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JANUARY, 1890.

Annual Subscription, Ten Shillings; *Number of Members*, 56. *Captain*—C. J. Webb. *Hon. Treasurer*—

E. McManus. *Hon. Secretary*—W. H. Webb, Randalstown, co. Antrim. *Greenkeeper*—T. McFadden.

Club Prizes.—Monthly Cup, final in March; Open Cup, in April; Club Cup, in May; Ladies' Foursomes, in April; Club Matches, in August and December.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Monthly Cup: Dr. McKee. Open Cup: W. H. Webb. Visitors' Prize: E. McManus. November Club Prize: Rev. T. L. Swain.

Record for Green, 71, by W. H. Webb on April 5th, 1892.

The course is situated in Shanes Castle Park, about five minutes' walk from Randalstown Station, and is one of the best inland courses in Ireland, the ground being of a sandy nature, and grazed by sheep for over twenty years.

RANGOON.

RANGOON GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1887.

Entrance Fee, Ten Rupees; *Annual Subscription*, Twenty-four Rupees; *Number of Members*, 210. *Captain*—A. W. Binning. *Hon. Secretary*—J. O. Hewitt. *Hon. Treasurer*—W. S. Nicholls. *Committee*—H. S. Lemon, D. J. Morrison, J. Gillespie, W. B. Thomson.

Club Prizes.—Gold Medal (scratch) and Calcutta Silver Medal (scratch), annually; Jameson Silver Medal (handicap); Gordon Silver Medal (handicap), monthly; Captain's Prize (handicap).

Prize Winners in 1894.—Gold Medal: J. Reid, 92. Calcutta Medal: J. Gillespie, 84.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 38, for one round, by F. E. Dempster; and 79 for two rounds, by H. S. Lemon.

The course is situated among extremely picturesque surroundings at the base of the Great Shway Dagon Pagoda, &c., &c.

The course consists of nine holes, and is about 2400 yards in length. Previously the putting greens were made of laterite sprinkled over with sand, but during the past few months great attention has been paid to laying down grass putting greens, which have just recently been opened for play. The experiment so far has been fairly satisfactory.

RATHCONEY.

RATHCONEY GOLF CLUB.

No particulars forthcoming.

RATHMULLEN.

OTWAY GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED DECEMBER, 1892.

Annual Subscription, 1*l*. *President*—W. E. George, *Captain*—Major Butt. *Hon. Secretary*—Dr. Loughman, Rathmullen, co. Donegal.

The course of nine holes is situated on the shore of Lough Swilly, and hazards are numerous. Rathmullen is twelve miles from Londonderry, where train may be taken to Fahan, and from there by steamer to Rathmullen. The links are two miles from Rathmullen. The Hon. Secretary will be pleased to answer any inquiries.

RAYLEIGH.

BULLWOOD GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED AUGUST, 1893.

Annual Subscription, 1*l.* 1*s.* *President*—T. H. Ashton, M.F.H. *Captain*—W. H. M. Grimshaw. *Hon. Secretary*—C. O. Gillbanks, Bullwood Golf Club, Hockley, Essex. *Committee*—G. H. Baxter, H. Browne, R. P. Newham, T. J. Williams, H. M. Winearls.

The course is situated at a considerable elevation above sea level, on the ridge of hills separating the valleys of the Thames and Crouch, and within sight of the sea. It is of an undulating character, and consists of eighteen holes, varying from 180 to 400 yards, occupying an area of 104 acres. Bogey, 84. The hazards comprise hedges, ditches, plantations, whins, water, &c., and it is intended to construct a few bunkers, for the formation of which the sandy subsoil gives every facility. Play is permitted throughout the year, *Sundays included.*

The clubhouse is, *via* Bull-lane, within one and half miles of Rayleigh Station, on the Great Eastern Railway, and members can, on production of their cards of membership, obtain tickets at Liverpool-street at reduced rates.

Vehicles are obtainable from Mr. W. Page, Golden Lion, Rayleigh:—One person, 2*s.*; two persons, 2*s.* 6*d.*

Accommodation is to be found at the following houses:—Crown Hotel, Rayleigh; Golden Lion Inn, Rayleigh (bed and breakfast, 4*s.* 6*d.*); Miss Deeley's, Rayleigh; Mr. Dare's, Rayleigh.

Light refreshment is to be had at the clubhouse (Upper Park Gate Farm House) as per tariff, and at a few hours' notice more substantial fare can be provided.

Caddies (tariff 6*d.* per round, or 1*s.* per day) should be ordered one day in advance from the greenkeeper, F. Brown, Rose Cottage, Hockley, Essex.

REAY.

REAY VILLAGE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED DECEMBER 27TH, 1893.

Entrance Fee, One Shilling; *Annual Subscription*, One Shilling; *Number of Members*, 32. *President*—T. Pilkington. *Vice-President*—J. D. Pilkington. *Captain*—D. Innes. *Committee*—N. McNicol, D. Campbell,

C. McKay. A. Morrison. *Hon. Secretary*—A. S. Manson, Burnside, Sandside, Reay, Thurso.

Club Prizes.—Sandside Challenge Cup (handicap), in August, to be won outright after three times; and a variety of prizes on New Year's Day. The Cup was won last year by T. D. Pilkington, 128.

Green Record, 48, by W. Smith, professional, Carnoustie.

The course, formerly of nine holes, has now been extended to twelve. It is in good order, and there are numerous bunkers and other hazards. Thurso is eleven miles distant; conveyance by mail and passenger coaches. There is a hotel in the village. The green is private, but visitors may play with the sanction of the club.

REDCAR.

CLEVELAND GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MAY, 1887.

Entrance Fee, £1 1*s.*; Ladies, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; Ladies, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, 164. *President*—T. D. Ridley. *Vice-Presidents*—J. Rutherford, A. J. Dorman, Hon. G. E. Lascelles, C. D. Mackenzie, Dr. Lennard, J. Lambert, H. Bell. *Captain*—A. O. Cochrane. *Hon. Treasurer*—J. M. Meek. *Committee*—T. C. Davison, T. W. Ridley, H. Smurthwaite, R. F. Helm, A. Mackinlay, S. Cradock. *Hon. Secretary*—J. W. Kyle, 3, St. Vincent-terrace, Coatham, Redcar. *Greenkeeper*—J. Taylor.

Club Prizes.—Club Cup on first Saturday of each month; Cochrane Cup on third Saturday of January, March, May, July, September, and November; Ridley Trophy (Bogey), on last Saturday of each month, winners to play off for final possession; Ladies' Prize, on first Wednesday of each month (all handicap); Subscription Prize (scratch), on second Saturday of each month, from February to November inclusive; March Prize (Bogey, scratch), on second Wednesday of same months, lowest aggregate of three scores to win.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Cochrane Cup: January, S. Cradock; March, T. H. Wynn; May, M. Bell; July, J. F. Wethey; September, W. Huddart; November, T. Hurst. Club Tankard: January, no competition; February, J. L. Scott; March, T. W. Ridley; April, C. E. Scott; May, F. J. March; June, H Smurthwaite; July, A. H. Arden; August, W. T. Mackay; September, A. C. Cochrane; October, A. P. Whitwell; November, J. L. Scott; December, C. E. Scott; final, J. L. Scott. Ridley Trophy: January, C. D. Mackenzie; February, J. L. Scott; March, J. Lambert; April, R. F. Helm; May, W. Young; June, J. F. Wethey; July, J. Harrison; August, A. McKinlay; September, W. Harkess; October, F. J. March; Novem-

ber, W. Huddart; December, R. J. Robson. Ladies' Prize: April, Mrs. T. Ridley; May, Miss Robson; June, Mrs. S. Cradock; July, Miss Ridley; August, Miss North; September, no competition; final, Mrs. S. Cradock. Inter-Club Matches were played with the following results:

Beverley	...	22 holes up	Return—	Cleveland	75 holes up
Ilkley	...	16 „ down			
Durham	...	16 „ down	„	Cleveland	30 holes down
Seaton	...	2 „ down	„	Cleveland	19 holes down
Scarborough	...	23 „ down	„	Cleveland	16 holes down

Green Records: (1) Professional, 74, by J. Kay, Seaton Carew; (2) Amateur, 80, by S. Cradock.

The par of the round is 70.

The course, which is within five minutes' walk of Redcar Station, consists of eighteen holes, making a circuit of fully three miles, and embracing every variety of hazard. Recently the greens have been altered and the course much improved. The lengths of the holes are as follows: (1) 367yds.; (2) 307yds.; (3) 149yds.; (4) 201yds.; (5) 213yds.; (6) 352yds.; (7) 333yds.; (8) 366yds.; (9) 237yds.; (10) 327yds.; (11) 330yds.; (12) 315yds.; (13) 319yds.; (14) 277yds.; (15) 271yds.; (16) 191yds.; (17) 187yds.; (18) 234yds. Visitors are allowed to play for a subscription of five shillings per week. The charge for the professional is one shilling per round, and for caddies sixpence per round. A commodious clubhouse was erected in 1892. Redcar is a well-known seaside resort, and there is ample accommodation for visitors.

REDDITCH.

IPSLEY GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED FEBRUARY, 1891.

The course of nine holes is two miles from Redditch.

REIGATE.

REDHILL AND REIGATE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED NOVEMBER 10TH, 1888.

Entrance Fee, 3*l.* 3*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Number of Members*, 210. *President*—Sir T. Lawrence, Bart. *Captain*—H. S. Stone, M.D. *Hon. Treasurer*—H. D. Tucker. *Committee*—T. H. D. Berridge, F. P. Browne, G. H. Emmet, A. H. Eve, L. Horner, Ll. Howell, J. C. Tucker. *Hon. Secretary*—C. J. Trevarthen, The Clubhouse, Earlswood, Redhill, Surrey. *Greenkeeper*—G. Smith. *Professional*—W. H. Tucker.

Record for Green.—(1) 73, by W. H. Tucker (club professional), on August 25th, 1893; (2) Amateur, 74, by A. Schacht, on April 25th, 1891.

Earlswood Station (L.B. & S.C.R.), twenty-one miles from London, is only three minutes' walk from the clubhouse. Redhill Junction (S.E.R.) is about a mile distant. Both railway companies issue special cheap return tickets to members from London available for eight days. Visitors can avail themselves of all the conveniences of the club and course upon the introduction of a member, excepting on medal and prize days, charge five shillings a week. The full round of eighteen holes is now in good playing order. The charge for caddies is ninepence a round for badge boys, and sixpence a round for other boys, with an additional penny for the greenkeeper, through whom they should be engaged. Locker rent, five shillings each per annum.

RHYL.

RHYL GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MARCH 1ST, 1890.

Entrance Fee, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 168. *President*—Col. Mainwaring. *Vice-President*—Capt. R. Conroy. *Captain*—J. D. Miller. *Treasurer*—J. Y. Strachan. *Committee*—B. H. Brown, W. W. Griffith, J. Briscoe, H. G. Stock, W. A. Watts, H. T. Birley, E. W. Keatinge, T. E. R. Johnson. *Hon. Secretary*—J. Wild, Golf Club, Rhyl, North Wales. *Greenkeeper*—W. Butler.

Club Prizes.—Stock Cup (scratch), for best scratch score at Spring Meeting; Members' Challenge Cup (holes), at Autumn Meeting (match); Pickop Dutton Cup and Bogey Cup, at Spring Meeting; Platt Cup and Visitors' Cup (handicap), at Autumn Meeting.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Stock Cup: P. Plunkett, 90. Members' Cup: H. G. Stock. Pickop Dutton Cup: F. Jagger. Bogey Cup: J. Wild. Platt Cup: J. Wild, 91.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 83, by J. Ball, jun., in September, 1894.

The course of nine holes is a good one, two new greens having recently been laid so as to obviate the crossing which used to occur at the old sixth and ninth holes. The putting greens are well kept and not too level. There is a separate course for ladies.

Rhyl railway station is ten minutes' walk from the green. Capital accommodation can be obtained at the hotels and numerous lodging-houses. Visitors (introduced) are allowed to play over the green free for two days, thereafter at a charge of five shillings per week. There is an excellent clubhouse, where luncheon can be obtained.

RICHMOND (YORKS).

RICHMOND GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED NOVEMBER 1ST, 1892.

Annual Subscription, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 56. *President*—Marquis of Zetland. *Vice-President*—Captain G. Walker. *Captain*—Lieut.-Col. B. Kennett. *Committee*—Major Fraser, Archdeacon Danks, Commander Gray, R.N., B. Hunton. *Hon. Secretary* — Captain Cotesworth, Newbiggin, Richmond, Yorks. *Greenkeeper* —W. L. Mitchison.

Club Prizes.—Monthly Medal (handicap), on second Wednesday of each month; Silver Challenge Bowl (handicap, limit 18), presented by Officers 3rd Battalion Yorkshire Regiment, March and September.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Challenge Bowl: Captain Cotesworth, 96.

Records for Green: (1) Professional, 39, by W. L. Mitchison; (2) Amateur, 41, by Captain Cotesworth.

The round of nine holes is laid out on the racecourse, about a mile from Richmond Station. It lies high, and commands a grand view of the surrounding country.

There are good hotels in Richmond.

RIPON.

STUDLEY ROYAL GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED DECEMBER, 1891.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 10*s.*; *Number of Members*, 50. *Captain*—F. St. Quintin. *Hon. Treasurer*—Major Busfield. *Hon. Secretary*—O. H. Wade, Studley Park, Ripon. *Greenkeeper*—F. Weston.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 94, by G. St. Quintin.

Record for Green, 36.

The course of nine holes is laid out in Studley Park, about two and a quarter miles from Ripon Station.

ROBERTON.

ROBERTON GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JULY, 1892.

Annual Subscription, Three Shillings.

The course of nine holes is situated on pasture land about two and a half miles from Lamington Station, South Lanarkshire, and four miles from Abington. There is accommodation in the village for summer visitors.

ROBIN HOOD'S BAY.

ROBIN HOOD'S BAY GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JANUARY 24TH, 1895.

Entrance Fee, Five Shillings; *Annual Subscription*, Ten Shillings. *President*—E. W. Beckett, M.P. *Vice-President*—G. S. Gibb. *Committee*—Captain Mills, J. Rickinson, W. Russell, J. Bedlington, R. Wellburn. *Hon. Secretary*—A. Wilson, 29, Falsgrave-road, Scarborough.

The course of nine holes is laid out on the portion of Bay Ness Farm between the railway and the sea, and is within three minutes' walk of Robin Hood's Bay Station. Robin Hood's Bay is near Whitby, and plenty of accommodation is to be had in hotels and private lodgings.

ROCHDALE.

ROCHDALE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MAY 17TH, 1888.

Entrance Fee, for both greens and for King's-road alone, 3*l.* 3*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, for both greens, 2*l.* 2*s.*; for King's-road, 1*l.* 11*s.* 6*d.*; for Lobden, 1*l.* 1*s.*; Ladies, for both courses, 1*l.* 1*s.*, and 1*l.* 1*s.* entrance fee; for Lobden, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, 122 and 42 ladies. *Hon. President*—J. Griffith-Dearden. *Hon. Vice-Presidents*—The Archdeacon of Manchester, Col. Royds, R. Slack, A. Brierley, J. H. Lancashire, J. A. Bright, M.P. *Acting Vice-President* — A. Stevens. *Captain*—A. H. Crowther. *Treasurer*—A. Bell. *Committee*—J. Broadbent, E. B. Petrie, W. A. Scholes, T. T. Kenyon, E. Healey, B. Schofield. *Hon. Secretary*—W. S. Petrie, Falinge-road, Rochdale. *Greens*—Lobden, near Whitworth; and King's-road, Rochdale. *Greenkeepers*—At Lobden, J. Mitchell; at King's-road, E. Cobb.

Club Prizes and Winners in 1894.—Hon. President's Silver Challenge Cup: F. G. Padwick, 87. Captain's Silver Cup (three best net scores in the monthly competitions at King's-road): S. Thackeray, 82, 85, 84—251. King's-road (monthly competitions)—February, Class I., Wm. A. Scholes, 105—13—92; Class II., Ed. Rothwell, 127—32—95; March, T. H. C. Mackenzie, 107—24—83; April, G. D. McLennan, 96—14—82; May, Alfred Leach, 113—24—89; June, R. Godby, 95—13—82; July, T. H. C. Mackenzie, 96—16—80; August,

James Elliott, 101−18=83; September, G. D. McLennan, 95−12=83; October, Class I., G. D. McLennan, 94−10=84; Class II., R. G. Heape, 105−14=91. Lobden (*monthly competitions*)—March, F. Pilling, 101−16=85; April, Wm. S. Petrie, 91−9=82; May, John Jackson, 95−20=75; June, Wm. A. Scholes, 87−6=81; July, E. Healey, 99−21=78; August, E. B. Petrie, 95−7=88; September, Leonard Shawcross, 108−20=88; December, R. G. Heape, 96−13=83. Stevens Shield (quarterly, at Lobden): F. Pilling, W. A. Scholes, L. Shawcross, R. G. Heape. *Ladies' Competitions*—Captain's Prize: Miss Maud Petrie. Monthly Competitions—May, Mrs. Bell; June, Miss K. A. March; July, Miss Maud Petrie; September, Mrs. Bell. Boys' Competition: N. H. Brierley, 113−10=103.

The competitions for this year have not been fixed, but the President's Silver Challenge Cup and the Stevens Shield at Lobden, and other prizes at Lobden and King's-road, will be competed for.

The Club played home and home matches with the Bolton and Timperley Clubs, and one match with the Manchester Anglers' Club at Disley: the result being that Rochdale won four matches and lost one.

The Lowest Scratch Scores in Competitions during the year are as follows—King's-road, W. S. Petrie, 85; Lobden, F. G. Padwick and W. A. Scholes, 87.

The Professional Record for the King's-road course is 75, by E. Cobb.

The green at King's-road has proved an unqualified success, and has been largely taken advantage of. A spacious pavilion has been erected, and also a workshop for the professional. The course of nine holes is one mile from the Town Hall, and trams pass every twenty minutes.

The course of nine holes at Lobden is still held by the Club, but separate subscriptions are fixed for each, so that members may elect to play on either or both as desired. The latter course is reached by rail from Rochdale to Whitworth, distant about four miles, and is twelve minutes' walk from station. Good refreshments may be had at the Red Lion, mid-way between the course and the railway station. The ground is improving rapidly, and is in one of the finest situations imaginable. There is a small wooden pavilion.

ROCHESTER.

ROCHESTER GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED APRIL 21, 1891. *Entrance Fee*—3*l.* 3*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Number of Members*, about 80, and 60 temporary members from Garrison. *President*—Earl of Darnley. *Captain*—C. Lake. *Treasurer*—W. J. Upton, London and County Bank. *Committee*—Hon. Ivo Bligh, J. Holroyd, A. W. Booth, B. H. Latter, A. H. Atkin, T. Winch, E. Woodgate, R. P. Smyth, Captain Cotterill, R.M.L.I. *Hon. Secretary*

—G. K. Anderson, Hollywood, near Rochester. *Greenkeeper*—G. Pearson.

Club Prizes.—Midsummer Medal (scratch), on June 23rd; Monthly Medal Winners' Challenge Shield (handicap), on May 14th; Winch Cup (handicap, 18 limit), on June 2nd; Darnley Challenge Cup (Bogey, handicap), on June 9th and October 6th; Oakleigh Challenge Cup (handicap), on August 6th.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Midsummer Medal: C. Lake, 80. Monthly Medal Winners' Competition: Rev. B. Boyd, 87−7=80. Winch Cup (36 holes): C. Lake, 187−10=177. Darnley Cup: June, R. Winch, one down; October, T. M. Winch, one down. Oakleigh Cup: R. A. Gordon, two down.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 80, by C. Lake, in June, 1894.

Records for Green.—(1) Professional, 75, by G. Pearson, on July 11th, 1894; (2) 80, by A. Schacht, on March 24th, 1894.

The course, which has been considerably improved, is situated at Oakleigh, Higham, within easy distance of Maidstone, Gravesend, Sheerness, and other places in Kent. In addition to its central position it has the advantage of being situated in an attractive part of Kent, and, moreover, commands a splendid view of the shipping on the Thames. The ground possesses natural hazards, as there are streams, reeds, ditches, and trees dotted all over it; the circuit is one of nearly three miles, with eighteen holes, and there is no crossing. The course is three-quarters of a mile from Higham Station (South-Eastern Railway), and four miles from Rochester. There is a good clubhouse, which has been recently enlarged. Visitors are received, on introduction of a member, for a weekly term. Officers of Thames and Medway district are received as temporary members at subscription of 1*l.* 1*s.* for six months.

ROCHESTER LADIES' GOLF CLUB.

Number of Members, about 50. *Committee*—Mrs. Anderson, Mrs. Budden, Miss Pound, Miss F. E. Cobb, Miss Gertrude Cunliffe. *Hon. Secretary*—Mrs. Lake, Oakleigh, Higham.

The ladies have a separate course of nine holes.

ROCK.

SAINT ENODOC GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1890.

Entrance Fee, Five Shillings; *Annual Subscription*, Ten Shillings; *Number of Members*, 34. *Captain*—D. Stephens. *Committee*—E. M. Bannerman, H. Young-Jamieson, Rev. W. P. Matthews, L. Campbell. *Hon. Secretary*—M. Sandys, Lanarth, Wadebridge, Cornwall.

A Silver Challenge Cup (handicap) is played for in April. It was won last year by L. Campbell, 158—30=128.

The course is a sporting one of twenty-seven holes, the first nine holes out being more or less over sandhills, and the next nine near the sea shore. The hazards are bunkers, sandhills with benty grass, stone quarries, stone walls, with tamarisk trees, Bray Lake, and roads. The hotel at Rock is about five minutes' walk from the first tee. The nearest railway station is at Wadebridge, distant six miles.

ROMFORD.

ROMFORD GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED FEBRUARY 9TH, 1894.

Annual Subscription, 2*l.* 2*s.*

The course of eighteen holes is practically that of the Golfers' Club, London. It is situated one mile from Romford Station, on the Great Eastern Railway, to which there are frequent fast trains from Liverpool-street and Fenchurch-street Stations. Conveyances meet the trains.

Sunday play is allowed, and there is a comfortable clubhouse, stabling, &c.

ROSSALL.

ROSSALL GOLF CLUB.

No details forthcoming.

ROSSENDALE.

ROSSENDALE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED APRIL 27TH, 1894.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*, Ladies, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*, Ladies, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members* 43, and 13 Ladies. *President*—E. Ashworth. *Committee*—J. A. Coutts, M.D., W. Edmondson, M.R.C.V.S., A. A. Hargreaves, H. K. Thomson, R. Worswick, jun. *Hon. Secretary*—L. Duncan, Bank House, Waterfoot, near Manchester.

Club Prizes.—Club Prizes (scratch), in February; and Monthly Competitions (handicap).

Green Record, 48, by R. Anderson, professional.

The course of nine holes is situated on elevated ground above Newchurch, and is about a quarter of an hour's walk from Waterfoot Station, close to which is a good hotel. The course was formally opened on June 12th, 1894, and the ground, which was then very

rough indeed, has considerably improved with play. The feature of the round is the fact that seventeen stone walls, ranging from four to six feet in height, have to be crossed. A small but comfortable corrugated iron hut has been provided for members. The greens are not yet in very good condition, but it is hoped to improve them during the current year.

ROSTREVOR.

ROSTREVOR GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JUNE, 1892.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*, Ladies and Juveniles, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, 90 and 42 ladies. *Captain*—Major R. Hall. *Hon. Secretary and Treasurer*—Dr. T. A. Vesey, Knapton, Rostrevor.

Club Prizes.—Narrow Water Challenge Cup (limited handicap), in April and September; Monthly Medal (handicap) Bogey Competitions, and other prizes; Great Northern Railway Challenge Cup, in bi-monthly competitions for six months, final (by holes), in September.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Narrow Water Challenge Cup: April, R. S. Martin, 84—10=74; September, J. G. Ramage, 105—24=81. Great Northern Railway Challenge Cup: R. S. Martin beat H. C. Kelly by five up and four to play.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 84, by R. S. Martin, in September, 1894.

The course, which formerly consisted of twelve holes, has been altered to nine. It is situated at Ballyedmond, about two miles from Rostrevor, co. Down, at the foot of the Mourne Mountains, and along the shores of Carlingford Lough. The round is a sporting one, and is over a mile and a half in length. Excellent accommodation may be had at the Rostrevor, Mourne, and Central Hotels. Conveyances run to the course in summer and autumn.

ROTHBURY.

COQUETDALE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED DECEMBER, 1891.

The course of nine holes is situated upon Wolves' Haugh, about ten minutes' walk from Rothbury, and the hazards are the River Coquet, marshy land, whins, and broken ground.

ROTHESAY.

ROTHESAY GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JUNE 20TH, 1892.

Annual Subscription, 1*l.* 1*s.*

Club Prizes.—Milloy Medal (handicap), on last Saturday of each month: and other prizes.

The course of nine holes is situated on Westland Farm, a little over a mile from Rothesay. Rothesay is a favourite Clyde watering place, and there is excellent accommodation of all sorts.

ROWINGTON.

ROWINGTON GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED DECEMBER, 1891.

The course is situated about a mile and a half from Kingswood Station (G.W.R.). The principal hazards are hedges. Play is practically impossible from May to September, owing to the length of the grass.

ROYSTON.

ROYSTON GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MAY, 1892.

Entrance Fee, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, about 150. *Hon. Secretary*—G. F. Phillips, Royston, Herts. *Greenkeeper*—R. Hepburn.

Club Prizes.—Monthly Medal; Captain's Prize at Whitsuntide Meeting.

Records for Green.—(1) Professional, 75, by A. Kirkcaldy; (2) Amateur, 76, by W. Welsh.

The course of eighteen holes is laid out at Royston Heath (Herts). The heath, which is about eight minutes' walk from Royston Station (G. N. Ry.), is two and a half miles long, and about half a mile broad, comprising upwards of 450 acres, from 213 to 400 feet above the sea level, with natural bunkers, good greens, and, owing to the peculiarity of the heath land, play can be kept up all the year round. There is an excellent service of trains from London, express trains making the journey in an hour. The clubhouse is ten minutes' walk from station, Flys meet all trains. There is good accommodation at the Bull Hotel. Reduced fares are allowed from King's Cross and Cambridge and all intermediate stations on members producing their member's tickets.

RUTHWELL.

RUTHWELL GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MAY, 1893.

The course of eighteen holes is two miles from Ruthwell Station, and lies along the Solway shore, near the Brow Well Spa. The hazards are mainly ditches and inequalities in the ground, and the circuit is nearly four miles.

RYE.

RYE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1893.

Entrance Fee, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Number of Members*, 215. *President*—F. A. Inderwick, Q.C. *Captain*—Hon. A. Lyttleton. *Committee*—W. Carless, A. M. S. Graeme, R. Blomfield, J. S. Vidler, R. P. Burra, J. O. Scott, D. Skinner, Rev. Ramus, Rev. J. L. Bates. *Hon. Secretary*—H. S. Colt. *Greenkeeper*—D. Rolland.

Club Prizes.—Scratch Prize, at Easter; Silver Challenge Cup and Silver Challenge Cleek, quarterly; Colt Medal, at Whitsuntide and in Autumn; Monthly Medal.

The course of eighteen holes is situated on the Camber Hills, close to Rye Harbour, and about twenty minutes' drive from Rye Railway Station, from which a brake runs to the links; a steam tram will probably be put on this year. The ground has been leased for twenty-one years at a moderate rent. The course is sheltered from the prevailing winds by a range of sandhills extending for some two miles along the sea shore, and affording a grand series of hazards, which have been very carefully utilised. Inland there is a fine stretch of good golfing ground with turf affording excellent lies. This ground is undulating and bounded by water dykes, which cause straight driving to be necessary, and crossing this stretch of ground there are smaller ridges which form natural hazards. Holes of good length are the rule and not the exception, and blind holes have been avoided as far as possible. Rye Station is on the South-Eastern Railway, between Hastings and Ashford, 12 miles from the former and 16 from the latter, and not many miles from the Littlestone Links, which the Camber sandhills in some respects resemble. Accommodation may be had at the Royal William Hotel, at the links, and the Cinque Ports Hotel, Rye; and there are various lodging-houses in Rye and a few in Camber.

RYTON-ON-TYNE.

TYNESIDE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1879.

Entrance Fee, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 160. *President*—J. Tennant. *Vice-President*—W. Whyte. *Committee*—Dr. G. W. Ridley, W. Farr, J. Hiddleston, T. W. Bourn, T. A.

Hutton, C. A. Ridley, M. P. Ismay. *Hon. Secretary*—G. F. Charlton, Causey House, Gosforth, Newcastle-on-Tyne. *Greenkeeper*—R. Collins.

Club Prizes.—Reid Belt and Whyte Jubilee Cross (scratch), and Thomson Medal and Temperley Cleek (handicap), at Spring and Autumn Meetings in April and September; also Bi-Monthly Handicap Competitions on the first and third Thursdays in each month.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Reid Belt: J. B. Radcliffe, 82. Whyte Jubilee Cross: J. B. Radcliffe, 90. Thomson Medal: W. Douglass, 86 (net). Temperley Cleek: W. E. Stephenson, 77 (net.)

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 80, in 1892, by Dr. G. W. Ridley.

Record for Green, 36, by J. B. Radcliffe, in August, 1893.

Ryton is six miles from Newcastle-on-Tyne, on the Hexham and Carlisle section of the North-Eastern Railway, and there is an excellent service of trains. A commodious clubhouse is situated close to the railway station and the course. Visitors, on being introduced by a member, are allowed to play and to make use of the clubhouse at a charge of 2*s.* 6*d.* per week. The charge for caddies is 4*d.* per round of nine holes, and 1*s.* for a professional. For description of green, which is a nine hole one, see the GOLFING ANNUAL for 1888-9.

RYTON WORKING MEN'S GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1891.

No particulars forthcoming.

SAFFRON WALDEN.

CHESTERFORD PARK GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED OCTOBER 15TH, 1893.

Green Record, 35, by J. White, professional.

The course of nine holes, varying in length from 120 to 480 yards, is laid out on undulating ground considerably above sea level, about two miles from Great Chesterford Station on the Great Eastern Railway's main line to Cambridge. The circuit is about two and a quarter miles, and the hazards are hedges, ditches, plantations, and artificial bunkers.

ST. ABB'S.

ST. ABB'S GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED, 1894.

The course of nine holes is situated near the picturesque village of St. Abb's, Berwickshire, close to the bluff promontory called St. Abb's Head.

ST. ANDREWS.

ROYAL AND ANCIENT GOLF CLUB OF ST. ANDREWS, INSTITUTED MAY 14TH, 1754.

Entrance Fee, 15*l.*; *Annual Subscription*, 3*l.* *Number of Members*, 850—exclusive of those abroad, and also exclusive of those admitted in virtue of a resolution in 1877. *Patroness*—Her Majesty the Queen. *Patron*—H.R.H. the Prince of Wales. *Captain*—Rt. Hon. A. J. Balfour, M.P. *Hon. Chaplain*—Rev. A. K. H. Boyd, D.D. LL.D. *Committee*—D. I. Lamb, R. A. Hull, A. E. Henderson, W. Maitland-Dougall, R.N., W. Logan, E. J. Jackson, Col. J. M. Kerr, Professor A. S. Butler, T. T. Oliphant, W. Gordon, Rev. G. Angus. *Hon. Secretary*—C. S. Grace, W.S., St. Andrews. *Greenkeeper*—Tom Morris.

Club Prizes. Silver Cross of St. Andrew (scratch), and Bombay Medal (scratch), on first Wednesday of May; Royal or King William IV. Medal (scratch), and Club Gold Medal (scratch), on last Wednesday of September; George Glennie Medal (lowest combined scores at the two meetings); Calcutta Cup (handicap), first week in August; Queen Victoria Jubilee Vase (handicap), first week in September.

Prize Winners in 1894. Silver Cross: F. G. Tait, 83. Bombay Medal: L. Balfour-Melville, 84. Royal Medal: F. G. Tait, 78; Club Gold Medal: J. E. Laidlay, 80. George Glennie Medal: F. G. Tait, 161. Calcutta Cup: F. G. Tait. Jubilee Vase: C. Hutchings.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 78, by F. G. Tait, in September, 1894.

As a history of this club, with a complete list of the captains and principal prize winners since the formation of the club in 1754, and a full description of the links have appeared in previous ANNUALS, it will not be necessary to repeat this information here.

The record for the green is held by F. G. Tait, who, on 5th February, 1894, went the round in 72 strokes, made up as follows:

Out	5 4 4 3 5 4 5 3 3=36	=72
In	3 3 3 5 5 4 4 5 4=36	

The brothers Hugh and Andrew Kirkcaldy previously shared the record at 73. The par of the round is 76.

A register of caddies, in alphabetical order, approved by the committee, will be found in the clubhouse, and members, in accordance with the resolution of the club at the general meeting in September, 1890, are required to select their caddies from it. (If no particular

MR. F. G. TAIT, WINNER OF THE AUTUMN MEDAL COMPETITION, MAKING HIS LAST PUTT.

selection be made the caddies are to be employed in the order of the register.)

If at any time it be found necessary to have an additional temporary register of caddies, the permanent one must be exhausted before the supplementary is resorted to.

Tariff for Caddies.

1. During the months of July, August, and September :—1*s.* 6*d.* for each round or part of a round.

2. During the rest of year :—1*s.* 6*d.* for first round or part of a round, 1*s.* for second round or part of a round, and 1*s.* 6*d.* for each subsequent round or part thereof.

N.B.—The spring and autumn meeting weeks are excepted from the above.

3. During the spring and autumn meeting weeks, exclusive of the medal round :—2*s.* for each round or part of a round.

4. For the medal round, 5*s.*

5. For whole medal week inclusive of the medal round, 25*s.*

TARIFF FOR PROFESSIONALS.—Playing with a member, 2*s.* 6*d.* for each round, or part of a round, and his caddie's fee. Teaching a member, 2*s.* 6*d.* for each round or part of a round.

Members may make special arrangements for lengthened periods with registered caddies, provided the club tariff be not exceeded.

The committee reserve power to suspend a registered caddie for misconduct for a period to be determined by them, and in grave cases to remove a caddie's name from the register.

The following are the resolutions of the Royal and Ancient Golf Club as to the caddies' benefit fund :—

I.—*Objects.*

1. The relief of caddies, or professional golfers, who from old age, illness, accident, or other unavoidable causes, are deprived of regular work.

2. The temporary assistance of the widows and children of caddies or professional golfers who have been left destitute.

II.—*Funds.*

1. The benefit fund shall consist of such annual grant as the club may make at any general meeting.

2. Donations and subscriptions from members and others.

3. One-tenth of the whole amount collected in handicap matches and golfing sweepstakes (the papers of which are exposed on the club table).

III.—*Membership.*

1. Only those whose names are on the authorised club register shall receive aid from the benefit fund.

2. All caddies on the register must be contributors to the fund ; and shall be entitled during illness, old age, or temporary deprivation of

work, to receive such assistance as the Committee after inquiry may see fit to grant.

3. A caddie whose name is from any cause removed from the club register, shall receive no grant from the fund, but, in the event of his name being restored to the register, his privilege in connection with the fund shall be restored also.

4. Any registered caddie, who wishes to take his name off the register may, if the Committee see fit, get repayment of the contributions standing to his credit; but if subsequently re-admitted, he must refund the sum so withdrawn within two months of his re-admission, otherwise his name will be again removed from the register.

IV.—*Caddies' Contribution.*

1. The amount which the caddies themselves contribute shall be at the rate of 2*d.* per week, from October 1st to June 30th, and 4*d.* per week during July, August, and September.

2. This amount to be paid each Saturday to the officer of the club; but in the event of any caddie being unable to pay regularly, from want of work, or other sufficient reason, his payments may be deferred with the sanction of the committee: and in the event of any caddie wishing to pay his contributions in advance, he may do so.

A shelter has been erected adjoining the clubhouse for the use of the caddies during wet or snowy weather. The following rules have been approved by the committee:—

1. The shelter to be used only by caddies whose names are entered on the registered list, and to be open only in wet or snowy weather. The club officer, or any member of the caddies' committee of the club, to determine when it shall be opened. The key to be kept by the club officer.

2. A committee of three of the caddies on the registered list, elected by themselves (subject to the approval of the caddies' committee of the club), to act as caretakers of the shelter, to keep order in it, to see that no damage is done, and to be responsible for its tidiness.

3. This committee to hold office for two months, after which a new committee to be chosen (or the old one re-elected) at a meeting of all the registered caddies, which meeting may be held in the shelter.

4. Any caddie acting in a disorderly manner, or damaging the shelter, or its furniture, to be reported at once, by a member of this committee to the club officer; and on conviction, the name of said caddie to be removed from the register, and himself excluded from the shelter at the discretion of the committee of the club.

5. Caddies may read, smoke, and play games of draughts, dominoes, or cards in the shelter, *all gambling being strictly prohibited.*

In November, 1893, the club acquired the whole links from the proprietor, Mr. Cheape, with the view of laying out a relief course, but immediately thereafter the Commissioners of the Burgh promoted a Bill in Parliament, the chief object of which was to acquire the links for behoof of the citizens. This Bill was opposed by the club, Mr. Cheape, and sundry ratepayers and owners of property, but

the club withdrew their opposition before the Select Committee of the House of Commons, who passed the preamble of the Bill, subject to the insertion of a clause confirming the following agreement between the Corporation and the club :—

That the club should, on payment of 5000*l.*, being the price paid by them to Mr. Cheape, duly convey to the Commissioners of the burgh the links of St. Andrews under and for the purposes of the said Bill. That the old golf course and the new golf course to be laid out and kept up by the Royal and Ancient Golf Club shall be managed by the club, who shall have power to turf and repair the golf courses, to decide the situation of the holes, to make and fill up bunkers, to regulate the play, to provide for the order of starting, &c., subject to the approval of the Corporation, which is not to be arbitrarily refused. That the club shall in all time coming, at their own expense, maintain both courses. That the old (or present) course shall be always open to all members of the public free of charge. That the new golf course shall be open to the public free of charge in all months of the year except in the months of July, August, and September. In these months the new course shall be open (first) to members of the Royal and Ancient Golf Club; (second) to ratepayers of St. Andrews and their children; (third) to the proprietor of Strathtyrum (Mr. Cheape), his family and guests; (fourth) to persons provided with tickets of admission from the Green Committee, such Committee to issue tickets at the rate of 2*s.* 6*d.* a day, 8*s.* 6*d.* a week, or 1*l.* a month, to such number of the public as shall not overcrowd the course. That for the right of play during the above three months the club shall pay to the Commissioners the sum of 125*l.* yearly for the period of sixty years, but the club during the said period shall be entitled to all fees levied upon persons using the new golf course.

The eighteen hole relief course is now open for play. It has been laid out upon that part of the links on the far side of the Swilcan burn lying between the present course and the sea, and the ground available has been utilised to the best advantage. When a start was made with the work whins abounded, but they were soon up-rooted where it was deemed necessary, and their erstwhile dwelling-places returfed. In the returfing of these places and the making of the putting-greens thousands of yards of turf have been used, but the very common mistake of having level putting-greens has been rightly avoided. The original lie of the ground has been retained in all cases, and "borrowing" is just as essential as on the old green alongside. In fact, in many respects the old and the new greens closely resemble each other. Long driving will of a surety be rewarded on the new green as on the old, but the approaching will require to be even more accurate. The circuit of the new course is 3 miles 1160 yards, or about 120 yards more than that of the old, and the par of the round will ultimately be recognised as 78, as against 76 for the old course. In addition to those which nature had provided, a few bunkers have been cut, but these will not be added to until it is seen where others can be judiciously laid down. The lengths of the

various holes are as follows:—(1) 310 yards, (2) 400, (3) 510, (4) 320, (5) 190, (6) 440, (7) 350, (8) 500, (9) 280, (10) 440, (11) 330, (12) 440, (13) 170, (14) 400, (15) 280, (16) 490, (17) 210, (18) 380. The management of both courses is vested in a Green Committee, consisting of five members of the club and two members nominated by the Corporation, but all regulations as to play, &c., are to be subject to the approval of the club committee. If approval be withheld, the Green Committee have the right of appeal either to the Sheriff of the County of Fife or the Lord President of the Court of Session.

The following rules for the regulation of play on both courses were recently framed, but in all probability some slight alterations may be made, on them in deference to local opinion.

1. The starter will be present from 9 a.m. till noon, and from 1 p.m. till 6 p.m., and shall start the players in accordance with the times in the time-table.

2. Applications for order of starting must be made by card, which must be placed in the starter's box, or in a box at the post-office, not later than 4 p.m. on the previous day, and, for a Monday, not later than 4 p.m. on the previous Saturday. Application may also be made by post cards, which will be treated in the same way as the cards. The cards and post cards shall each afternoon be mixed and balloted, and effect given to the hour applied for, in the order in which they come out of the ballot. Should the hour named be already taken, the nearest disengaged one will be allotted, either before or after, as directed.

3. Applicants, whether singles or foursomes, must enter their opponents' names as well as their own on the cards and post cards. In the case of foursomes, three names shall be sufficient.

4. A list of the order of starting for each day will be posted at the starter's box and at the post office on the previous evening about 6 o'clock.

5. Any party not ready to start immediately when its number is called loses its turn, and must wait for the first vacancy.

6. In the event of unpropitious weather, or other accidental circumstances, rendering it impossible to adhere to the time as entered in the list, the starter is empowered to despatch matches in rotation by their numbers only, and the regulations as to time will be cancelled.

7. Any dispute which may arise must be left to the decision of the starter.

8. A player without an opponent cannot have a number allotted to him, nor can he be recognised as having any standing on the green. Parties playing three or more balls must allow two-ball matches to pass them.

9. No special arrangements will be made for stranger clubs coming to St. Andrews for their club competitions.

10. The Green Committee reserve the right to suspend or alter any of the above rules, and to make special arrangements for medal days, championships, and important local competitions.

Note.—The above rules shall apply to both the old course and the new one, except that, in the months of July, August, and September,

applications for numbers on the new course can only be made by members of the Royal and Ancient Golf Club, ratepayers of St. Andrews (including their children), the proprietor of Strathyrum and his family and guests, and persons provided with a ticket of admission from the Green Committee.

Application cards can be had from the starter, and are also to be found in the club, at the different hotels, the various club-makers' shops, and at the post office.

ST. ANDREWS GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED SEPTEMBER 29TH, 1843.

Entrance Fee, Four Shillings and Sixpence; *Annual Subscription,* Five Shillings. *Hon. Secretary*—J. Stewart, St. Andrews.

Club Prizes.—Two Charms in March and one in April; also a Charm on last Saturday of each month from March to October inclusive; Spring and Autumn Medals (scratch); Cross Clubs (handicap), in May; Handicap Medal in October; Jubilee Cup in May, June, and July.

ST. ANDREWS GUILD GOLF CLUB.

The Captaincy is played for annually in May, and a Gold Medal monthly.

MADRAS COLLEGE GOLF CLUB, REVIVED 1871.

Membership is confined to pupils.

THISTLE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JUNE 13TH, 1865.

Entrance Fee, Two Shillings and Sixpence; *Annual Subscription,* Four Shillings. *President*—R. Niven. *Vice-President*—C. Grubb. *Hon. Secretary*—J. Kirk, St. Andrews.

ST. ANDREWS UNIVERSITY GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1854.

Membership is confined exclusively to present Students of the University.

ST. ANDREWS LADIES' GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED PRIOR TO 1868.

Entrance Fee, Seven Shillings and Sixpence; *Annual Subscription,* Two Shillings and Sixpence. *Hon. Secretary*

—Capt. G. M. Boothby, Balnacarron House, St. Andrews.
Greenkeeper—Tom Morris.

Club Prizes.—Spring Medal; Challenge Putter (American tournament); Tod-Stewart Medal; Jubilee Plate (tournament); Autumn Medal; Annual tournament; Captain of Royal and Ancient's Prizes; Monthly Medal from May to October inclusive.

The club leases a portion of Pilmour Links, north-west of the Swilcan Burn, and the members only have a right to play golf there, though the green is otherwise open to the public. The green is terribly crowded during the summer months. Members do not pay their subscriptions unless they are actually in St. Andrews. Visitors are not allowed to be introduced during August and September.

ST. AUGUSTINE (U.S.A.).

ST. AUGUSTINE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1894.

Hon. Secretary—Mrs. A. B. Coxe, St. Augustine, Florida.

A very successful handicap tournament was held on March 5th, J. W. Pepper, Philadelphia, taking first prize with a score of 45 – 15 = 60.

ST. FAGANS.

ST. FAGANS GOLF CLUB.

No particulars forthcoming.

ST. FILLANS.

ST. FILLANS GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1894.

President—Colonel Stewart. *Hon. Secretary*—Rev. Mr. Armstrong, St. Fillans.

Club Prizes—Ardvorlich Medal, and other prizes.

The course of six holes is situated on the grounds of Western Dundurn Farm, a little to the east of St. Fillans. It is still a little rough, but will prove an additional attraction to this Perthshire village.

ST. HELENS.

ST. HELENS AND DISTRICT GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JUNE, 1891.

No particulars forthcoming.

ST. JEAN DE LUZ.

ST. JEAN DE LUZ GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED NOVEMBER, 1893.

Terms of Subscription—For One Person: Season, 40 francs; Month, 15 francs; Week, 5 francs; Day, 1 franc. For Family not exceeding three: Season, 75 francs; Month, 30 francs; Week, 12 francs. (N.B.—Daily Tickets may be obtained at the Hotel d'Angleterre.) *President*—J. P. Lilburn. *Treasurer*—H. B. Clarke. *Member of Committee*—C. Dimsdale. *Hon. Secretary*—W. Lilburn, Ducontenia, St. Jean de Luz.

Record for Green, 45, by Lord Kilmaine, in January, 1893.

The course of nine holes is dry and sandy, and the hazards are, with one exception, natural. The links are situated on heights overlooking the Bay of Biscay, with a view over the Pyrenees to landward, and Biarritz and the Spanish coast to the left. The course can be extended if found necessary. St. Jean de Luz Station is ten minutes' walk from the green. There is a room for members at a house in the centre of the green, and a clubmaker on the premises sells balls and clubs, and plays. Players are requested to employ caddies wearing badges. The Hotel d'Angleterre is within half a mile of the green, and there are first-class hotels in the town.

ST. NEOTS.

ST. NEOTS GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED OCTOBER, 1890.

Annual Subscription, 1*l.* 1*s.* *Hon. Secretary and Treasurer*—A. McLish, St. Neots.

Club Prizes.—Gold Medal (handicap) for best score over 54 holes; Hillyer Prize (handicap, 18 and over); Bogey Medal; Monthly Medal.

The course consists of nine holes, with gravel pits, ditches, and the river for hazards. St. Neots Station is a mile from the course.

ST. NEOTS LADIES' GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1892.

Annual Subscription, Ten Shillings and Sixpence.

A Monthly Medal is played for.

The course is a short one of nine holes.

SALISBURY.

SOUTH WILTS GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED OCTOBER, 1894.

Annual Subscription, Ten Shillings; *Number of Members*, 50. *Patron*—Earl of Pembroke. *Vice-Patrons*

—Viscount Folkestone, M.P., E. H. Hulse, M.P. *Hon. Secretary*—D. J. K. Macdonald, The Priory, Salisbury. *Greenkeeper*—F. Harris.

Club Prizes.—Club Medal, Monthly; Club Cup, on St. Andrew's Day; and a Ladies' Brooch, annually.

This club has been formed by the members of the Homington Down Golf Club, now defunct. The course of eighteen holes has been laid out on the racecourse by J. H. Taylor, who pronounces it to be one of the finest inland courses in the South of England. Cart tracks, roads, and whins are the principal hazards. Salisbury is four miles distant, and excellent accommodation can be had there in the Cathedral Hotel.

SALTBURN.

SALTBURN GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JULY 19TH, 1894.

Annual Subscription, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, over 100. *Patron*—Marquis of Zetland. *President*—A. J. Dorman. *Vice-Presidents*—Major Elwon, E. Hamilton, Rev. B. Irvin, W. I'Anson, G. B. Jackson, T. N. Mackinnon, W. J. Moscrop, W. H. Panton, A. Pease, F. Samuelson, R. C. Yeoman, E. R. Turner, W. E. Walker, J. Walton, A. H. Whipham, W. Whitwell. *Captain*—J. F. Whitwell. *Committee*—A. H. Arden, Dr. Burnett, A. T. Griffin, R. MacCurrach, Dr. Stainthorpe, W. F. Whitwell. *Hon. Treasurer*—J. T. Walton. *Hon. Secretary*—T. N. Muller.

A Monthly Medal (handicap) is played for on the second Saturday of each month.

Green Record, 38, by J. Kay, the Seaton Carew professional, on December 11th, 1894.

The course of nine holes is situated on the most picturesque part of the coast, between Saltburn and Marske, about a quarter of a mile from Saltburn Station. Visitors can drive from the station, or walk by the beach. Accommodation for visitors is excellent, both as regards hotel and private lodgings. A clubhouse has been erected on the links. Visiting members cards may be obtained at the principal stationers, Rapp and Son, or H. Hamilton, or from the hon. secretary.

SALTERTON (BUDLEIGH).

BUDLEIGH SALTERTON GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1894.

Annual Subscription, Family Ticket (3), 2*l.* 2*s.*; Single, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 53. *Committee*—Captain

Astley Cooper, T. G. Evans, V. F. Leese, A. P. Percival, F. C. Shaw, Colonel Walker, Captain Toswill, Miss Porter, Miss J. Hutchins. *Hon. Secretary and Treasurer*—W. W. Rhoades, East Budleigh, Budleigh Salterton, Devon.

The course is a nine hole one, and is about a mile and a half round. The nearest railway station is at Exmouth, from which 'buses run daily to Budleigh Salterton. The green is about fifteen or twenty minutes' walk up the valley of the Otter from Budleigh Salterton. The course stands nearly 200ft. above the sea, with a view extending from Start Point on the one side to the white cliffs of Beir Head on the other. There is excellent accommodation in Budleigh Salterton.

SANDWICH.

ST. GEORGE'S GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MAY 23RD, 1887.

Entrance Fee, 15*l.* 15*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 3*l.* 3*s.*; *Number of Members*, 500 ordinary, and 100 provisional. *Captain*—J. L. Ridpath. *Committee*—G. P. Leach, J. C. Wadham, A. D. Blyth, R. Clutton, Capt. Tattersall, R. C. Want, T. R. Mills, A. Gray, Hon. Ivo Bligh, H. J. Hope. *Hon. Secretary* — W. Rutherford, 3, Plowden-buildings, Temple, London. *Greenkeeper*—Ramsay Hunter.

Club Prizes.—Captain's Medal (scratch), for the four best aggregate scores of the year; Lamb Memorial Medal (scratch), for the actual best score of the year; Club Medal (scratch); Spring Medal (scratch); Sidgwick Cup (handicap Foursome Tournament); Club Cup (handicap); Saunders Bowl (handicap); Mills Cup (handicap aggregate), at Spring Meeting; St. George's Champion Grand Challenge Cup (scratch); Cinque Ports Gold Medal (scratch); Club Cup (handicap); Carr Prize (handicap second half round); and Club Cup (handicap), at Whitsuntide Meeting; August Cup and St. George's Cross (match handicap, singles tournament), at August Meeting; Franklin Adams Gold Medal (scratch); Club Medal (scratch); Club Cup (handicap); Carr Prize (handicap second half round); and Corporation Cup (handicap), at Autumn Meeting.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Spring Meeting—Spring Medal: A. D. Blyth, 80. Club Medal: J. Oswald, 93. Sidgwick Cup (handicap), Foursome Tournament: Hon. Ivo Bligh and F. T. Welman. Club Cup: Hon. T. W. Legh, M.P., 97−11=86. Saunders Bowl: H. L. Forbes, 91−9=82. Mills Cup: H. L. Forbes, 90+82=172. Whitsuntide Meeting—Cinque Ports Gold Medal: A. D. Blyth, 79. Club Cup: M. Tomson, 97−8=89. Carr Prize: J. G. Fowler, 48−4=44. Club Cup: T. Glover, 89−8=81. August Meeting—August Cup and St. George's Cross: F. H. A. Booth. Autumn Meeting: Franklin Adams Gold Medal: A. D. Blyth, 82. Club Medal: A. D. Blyth, 82.

Corporation Cup: J. C. Wadham, 92−12=80. Carr Prize: Captain Austin, 45−2½=42½. Club Cup: A. D. Blyth, 82+3=85. Lamb Memorial Medal: A. D. Blyth, 80. Captain's Medal: A. D. Blyth, 80+84+84+82=330.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 80, on April 3rd, 1893, by A. D. Blyth and C. E. Hambro.

Records for Green: (1) Professional, 78, by J. H. Taylor, on June 15th, 1894; (2) Amateur, 79, by F. A. Fairlie, on May 10th, 1892.

For a capital description of the links, which consist of eighteen holes of a most sporting character, see the ANNUAL for 1888-9. See also the special article, "Sandwich," page 28.

Sandwich Station (S.E.R.) is within one mile and a half from the links. Cabs meet every train, and there is also a 'bus. The Bell Hotel has every convenience for visitors, and is strongly recommended.

SAN MATEO (U.S.A.).

SAN MATEO GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1893.

The course is much too hard in summer, and even when rain has made the green in better condition, play is not prosecuted with much enthusiasm.

SANQUHAR.

SANQUHAR GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED SEPTEMBER 26TH, 1894.

Annual Subscription, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, 36. *President*—J. J. McConnel. *Captain*—W. Murray. *Hon. Secretary*—J. Young, 134, High-street, Sanquhar.

The course of eighteen holes is laid out on the farms of Castlebraes and Greenhead, about ten minutes' walk from Sanquhar. The longest hole is 250 yards and the shortest 125, and the par of the round is 63. The hazards are walls, a burn, a deep rut, and long grass. Eleven holes are situated on Greenhead farm, where the turf is short, but on Castlebraes the grass grows long in summer.

SCARBOROUGH.

SCARBOROUGH GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MAY, 1891.

Entrance Fee, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 124 gentlemen, and 36 ladies. *President*—Sir C. Legard, Bart. *Captain*—C. G. Broadwood. *Vice-Captain*—E. Hodgson. *Hon. Treasurer*—C. W. Woodall. *Committee*—R. S. Backhouse, L. P. Edwards, W. E.

Fell, Capt. F. E. Freeth, Rev. W. Swayne, W. H. W. Taylor. *Hon. Secretary*—F. Bedwell, 32, Queen-street, Scarborough. *Greenkeeper*—R. Bird.

Club Prizes.—Filmer-Bennett Challenge Cup (handicap), in August; Beeforth Challenge Cup (handicap, holes), in September; Scarborough Open Challenge Cup (handicap), in Autumn; Monthly Medal; and Captain's Prizes.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Filmer-Bennett Cup: C. G. Broadwood, 78−4=74. Beeforth Cup: C. G. Broadwood (scratch). Scarborough Open Challenge Cup: W. H. Taylor, 92−16=76.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 78, by C. G. Broadwood, on August 25th, 1894.

The record for the new course is 79, by C. G. Broadwood, on December 21st, 1894. The record for the old course, also by C. G. Broadwood, was 78.

The course consists of eighteen holes, and is a little over three miles in length. It is within 200 yards of Ganton Station, and the North-Eastern Railway run convenient trains from Scarborough, a distance of nine miles. The clubhouse, which has been very considerably enlarged during the winter, affords every accommodation for visitors.

SCHIEHALLION.

The course was opened in August, 1891. The grass is short, and the hazards are burns, heather, &c.

SCORTON.

WYRESDALE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED APRIL, 1893.

The course of nine holes is situated at Scorton, about five minutes' walk from the station. There is a clubroom in the village. The course is of average length, with hazards of hedges, rushes, gorse, a ravine, and the mill stream, which is crossed twice.

SEAFORD.

SEAFORD GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED SEPTEMBER, 1887.

The links, which consist of eighteen holes, are situated on the undulating ground to the east of Seaford, and are nearly three miles in length. The greens are exceptionally good, and there are plenty of natural hazards in the shape of gorse bushes, chalk pit, sand pit, ponds, and ruts, together with numerous artificial bunkers. A green fee of ten shillings covers play for a week. There is a good pavilion on the links, where lunch may be obtained, and there are club-rooms at the Bay Hotel, within two minutes' walk of the station. The club tariff at the Bay Hotel is ten shillings and sixpence per day in summer, and nine shillings and sixpence a day

at other times. The links are a quarter of an hour's walk from the railway station, Seaford Station being under two hours from London Bridge and Victoria. The L. B. and S. C. Ry. make a reduction of about 25 per cent. to members of the club.

SEAFORD LADIES' GOLF CLUB.

No particulars forthcoming.

SEASCALE.

SEASCALE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JANUARY 9TH, 1893.

Annual Subscription, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 110. *President*—Lord Muncaster. *Vice-Presidents*—Earl of Erroll, Earl of Lonsdale, Sir H. Pottinger, Bart., D. Ainsworth, M.P. *Captain*—J. R. Walker. *Vice-Captain*—N. N. Thompson. *Committee*—Canon Bell, Rev. H. M. Fairlie, S. L. B. Lindow, H. W. Jefferson, W. B. Turner, G. H. W. Harrison, J. D. Watson, W. Whittle, Rev. K. M. Pinglie. *Hon. Secretary*—H. Braithwaite, Park House, Seascale. *Greenkeeper*—C. C. Anderson (of Carnoustie).

The course of nine holes, is within two minutes' walk of Seascale Station, and commands a fine view of the Scawfell range. The hazards are bunkers, bents, and bracken. Visitors are charged one shilling per day, or fifteen shillings per month, for the use of the links. There is plenty of accommodation in Seascale, which is within easy access of the Lake District.

SEATON.

AXE CLIFF GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED FEBRUARY, 1894.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 80. *President*—S. Stephens. *Treasurer*—H. A. Pattinson. *Committee*—A. W. Oakley, G. Evans, W. Evans, W. H. Mayo, J. T. Scarbrough, Rev. T. J. Rosser. *Hon. Secretary*—Rev. R. A. Brackenbury, Beyrout, Seaton, Devon.

Club Prizes.—Stephens' Challenge Cup (handicap), in May and November; Monthly Medal (handicap), on last Saturday of each month.

The course of nine holes is about two miles round, and the hazards are hedges, walls, banks, pits, &c. There is an excellent clubhouse about a quarter of a mile from Seaton Station (L. & S.W.R.), and there is plenty of hotel accommodation.

SEATON CAREW.

SEATON CAREW GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1874.

Entrance Fee, 3*l.* 3*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Number of Members*, 142. *Patron*—Marquis of Londonderry, K.G. *President*—Major M. Gray. *Vice-Presidents*—P. Wood, C. Cooper, Alderman T. Richardson. *Captain*—S. Walker. *Committee*—W. Ropner, H. Simpson, R. P. A. Swettenham, E. W. Walker, J. F. Wilson, W. S. Wooduviss, R. Elliott, G. Newby, F. W. Purvis. *Hon. Secretary*—C. J. Bunting, Seaton Carew, R.S.O. *Hon. Treasurer*—O. K. Trechmann, West Hartlepool. *Greenkeeper*—J. Kay.

Club Prizes.—Gray Trophy (handicap), on the first Saturday in every other month during the year, to be won thrice; Bogey Competition (handicap), on the second Wednesday in every month, from January to October inclusive; Club Cup (handicap), on the fourth Saturday in every month, from January to September inclusive; Thompson Medal (handicap, limit 18), on July 20th; Captaincy of the Club and Club Prize, eight best gross scores in the above, or any other medal or stroke competitions held under the auspices of the Club between this date and the annual meeting in October next.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Gray Trophy: Won outright by R. P. A. Swettenham, 91 + 92 = 183 − 18 = 165. New Year's Day Prizes: S. Strover and O. K. Trechmann. Club Cup (final): G. Pyman, 88 − 6 = 82. Thompson Medal: S. Walker, 90 + 86 = 176 − 16 = 160. Captain's Prize, and Captaincy of the Club for 1895: S. Walker average 90⅛.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 81, by F. W. Purvis, J. B. Dale, and James Tennant.

Records for Green.—(1) Professional, 68, by J. Kay; (2) Amateur, 77, by R. Balfour.

Seaton Carew Station is on the Stockton and Hartlepool Branch of the North-Eastern Railway, and can be reached by express train from Darlington and Newcastle in an hour to an hour and a half. The station is a quarter of an hour's walk from the clubhouse, and cabs meet most of the trains. There are two hotels close to the links—Woods' Temperance Hotel and the Seaton Hotel, where good accommodation can be found. There are also many comfortable lodging houses in the village. The clubhouse has recently been enlarged at considerable expense, and now has a large smoking room, dining room, dressing room, ladies' room, and lavatory, &c. The links are 3½ miles in length, and are admitted to be in the very front rank of golfing greens. The bathing facilities are excellent, and there are fine sands.

SECUNDERABAD.

SECUNDERABAD GYMKHANA GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED SEPTEMBER, 1883.

Members of the Gymkhana are *ipso facto* members of the Golf Club.

SELKIRK.

SELKIRK GOLF CLUB. INSTITUTED 1883.

Entrance Fee, Five Shillings; *Annual Subscription*, Five Shillings. *President*—R. J. Lang. *Captain*—W. H. Robson. *Hon. Secretary*—D. C. Alexander, Selkirk.

Club Prizes.—Paterson Medal, Challenge Shield, and Muir Trophy (holes) (scratch), all annually; Turnbull Medal, annually; Hastie Medal, twice a year; Mackintosh Cup, half yearly; and Monthly Medal (handicap).

The green is nearly a mile and a half round, consists of nine holes, and can be played on all the year. It is considered by experts to be one of the best of our inland greens, the par being 34. The railway station is a little over a mile from the course. There is good accommodation for visitors, who may have the use of the clubhouse on payment of 2*s.* 6*d.* per week, or shorter period.

SEVENOAKS.

WILDERNESSE GOLF CLUB.

No particulars forthcoming.

SHANDON.

There is a golf course of nine holes in connection with the Shandon Hydropathic Establishment, Gare Loch, on which shareholders and residents in the Hydropathic may play free of charge, while feuars in the district have the right of play on payment of 1*l.* 1*s.* a year. The course is laid out on the hill pasture land behind the Hydropathic, and the hazards are fences, a burn, the railway, heather, &c. The par of the round is 31, the longest hole being 400 yards, and the shortest an easy iron shot.

SHAWFORD.

TWYFORD AND SHAWFORD GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MAY 21, 1890.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.* *President*—Col. S. Bates. *Captain*—Rev. E. P. Spurway.

Hon. Treasurer—H. Strahan. *Member of Committee*—Dr. Roberts. *Hon. Secretary*—Gen. G. A. Laughton, Mount Pleasant, Shawford, Hants. *Greenkeeper*—E. Titheridge.

Club Prizes.—Monthly Medal (handicap), on first Thursday in each month; President's Cup (handicap), on second Thursday in May and November; Half-yearly average, three best net medal scores, on third Thursday in May and November.

Prize Winners in 1894.—President's Cup: Gen. White, 101 − 22 = 79; Rev. M. R. Bethune, 87 − 13 = 74. Half-yearly: Gen. Laughton, 263 + 91 = 354; and 245 + 85 = 330.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 80, by E. H. Buckland, on December 3rd, 1891.

Record for Green, 39, by E. H. Buckland, on above date.

Shawford Station (L. & S.W.Ry.) is within 50 yards of the course of nine holes. The club room is in Bridge Inn, close to the station, and there is excellent accommodation to be had there. The number of caddies is very limited.

SHEFFIELD.

SHEFFIELD AND DISTRICT GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED OCTOBER, 1891.

Entrance Fee, 3*l.* 3*s.*; Ladies, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, Ordinary Members, 2*l.* 2*s.*; Hon. Members, 1*l.* 1*s.*; Ladies, Ten Shillings and Sixpence. *Number of Members*, 192 and 63 ladies. *President*—Lord Galway. *Vice-President*—Commander H. P. Smith. *Captain*—H. H. Littlejohn. *Hon. Treasurer*—W. B. Esam. *Committee*—T. P. Lockwood, J. Wortley, R. Smith, Dr. W. S. Kay, T. W. Sorby, H. Hughes, R. Benson, H. W. Leader. *Hon. Secretary*—J. G. Rouksley, 8, Sale-hill, Sheffield. *Greenkeeper*—J. Forrest (of North Berwick).

Club Prizes.—Hemingway Medal (scratch), on April 6th; Jessop Cup (Bogey handicap), on last Saturdays in April and October; Monthly Medals (first and second class), on first Saturday in each month; Hemingway Cup (handicap), for aggregate of two rounds of the green, in December and February; Hutton Prize, to second class player having the best aggregate for any six net scores in the first ten competitions for the second class medal.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Jessop Cup: April, J. G. Ronskley (15), one down; October, W. Robinson (15), one down. Captain's Cup (final): E. W. Hodgkinson. Monthly Medal (final): R. Benson.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 93, H. W. Leader, on August 18th, 1893.

Record for Green, 93, by H. W. Leader, on August 18th, 1893.

The course is situated on Lindrick Common, about fifteen miles from Sheffield, and three and a half from Worksop, the centre of the "Dukeries." A run of half an hour from the Victoria Station, Sheffield, brings you to Shirecoaks Station, from whence a walk of about a mile, or a drive of about ten minutes, lands you at the club pavilion and first teeing ground. The course of eighteen holes, covers rather over two and three-quarter miles, and the hazards consist of ponds, quarries, roads, fences, and whins. Visitors may be introduced by a member to all the privileges of the club, except competition for prizes, for seven days in one year without payment. For any longer period the sum of 5*s.* per week or part of a week will be payable, or 10*s.* 6*d.* in advance for a month.

SHERINGHAM.

SHERINGHAM GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED DECEMBER, 1891.

Entrance Fee, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Number of Members*, 200. *President*—H. M. Upcher. *Captain* — Major H. Stopford. *Lady Captain* — Mrs. Stopford. *Hon. Treasurer* — Captain R. Eden. *Hon. Secretary*—W. J. E. Sumpter. *Secretary*—H. R. Johnson. *Committee*—G. F. Browne, W. Cremer, H. F. Eden, Rev. H. C. Fitch, W. B. Monement, Rev. H. C. Rogers, J. W. Scott, Rev. A. H. Upcher. *Clubmaker and Professional*—W. T. Macdonald.

Prize Winners in 1894. Easter—Rev. H. C. Rogers, 108 – 10 = 98; P. M. Lucas, 85 + 2 = 87; W. Cremer, 115 – 20 = 95. Whitsun—H. F. Eden, 91 – 10 = 81; Rev. A. H. Upcher, 95 – 12 = 83; Dr. W. Sumpter, 119 – 25 = 94. Autumn—G. E. S. Davis, 96 – 16 = 80; Dr. G. Guinness, 95 – 14 = 81, 86 – 12 = 74; C. M. Baker, 103 – 18 = 85; F. T. Simpson, 96 – 15 = 81.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 79, at 1894 Easter Meeting, by P. M. Lucas.

Record for Green, 35.

Sheringham is an ancient and picturesque Norfolk fishing village, situated four miles west of Cromer, and standing some 200 feet above sea level, with a cliff almost perpendicular, and the German Ocean in front. A sandy beach stretches almost as far as the eye can see in either direction, and at the back is a range of hills running as far as Cromer, studded thickly with Scotch fir, larch, ash, &c. The course, which is close to the railway station, consists of nine holes, and the turf is like velvet. The hazards are bunkers, whins, hedges, ditches, &c., and the most prominent feature is the extent of undulating ground. There are good hotels within 100 yards. Cheap tickets are issued to Sheringham from King's Cross (G.N.R.) and provincial towns.

SHETLAND.

SHETLAND GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED AUGUST, 1891.

Annual Subscription, Twelve Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, 70. *Captain*—J. Bruce. *Committee*—Sheriff Shennan, C. D. Laurenson, J. B. Anderson, D. Morrison, J. Clark. *Hon. Secretary and Treasurer*—A. A. Porteous, Ravenscourt, Lerwick. *Greens*—Maryfield, Bressay; and Annsbrae, Lerwick.

Club Prizes.—Monthly Competitions, first Wednesday of each month; Sheriff's Star, Twagios Prize, Sumburgh Prize, Zetland Club Trophy (all handicap), in May, June, July, and August.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Monthly Medal: A. L. Laing. Sheriff's Star: J. Clark, 71. Twagios Prize: J. W. Laurenson, 84—10=74. Sumburgh Prize: G. G. Key, 91—15=76. Zetland Trophy: R. S. Bruce.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 71, by J. Clark.

Record for Green, 34, by J. Clark, on June 21st, 1894.

The club are the fortunate possessors of two greens—the one of nine holes on the Island of Bressay, about half a mile by boat from Lerwick, and the other, of six holes, at Annsbrae, five minutes' walk from the town. The par score for the Annsbrae course is 19, and the hazards are a cemetery, walls, ditches, the coastguard inclosure, and the sea. There is excellent accommodation in Lerwick.

SHOEBURYNESS.

SHOEBURYNESS GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JULY, 1884.

Monthly Subscription, One Shilling and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, Fluctuating.

The Club is limited to Royal Artillery Officers and their friends. The course consists of six holes, the ground between which is in many places rough, and is cut up by small ditches, roads, and paths. Wet ditches, broken ground, and patches of long grass are the principal hazards.

SHREWSBURY.

SHREWSBURY GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MARCH 9TH, 1891.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; Ladies, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; Ladies, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; Family, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Number of Members*, 66. *Hon. Treasurer* — W. E. Evans. *Committee* — Capt. G. W.

Freeman, E. B. Moser. A. Graham. W. D. Haydon. W. Deedes. R. D. Thomson. *Hon. Secretary* — C. J. Baker, The Schools, Shrewsbury.

Club Prizes.—Silver Challenge Cup (handicap), at the Summer Meeting, and Club Prizes: Silver Medals (handicap), for gentlemen and ladies, every two months.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Challenge Cup: G. H. Lock. Scratch Prize: W. Deedes. Ladies' Prizes: Scratch, Mrs. Evans; Handicap, Mrs. Colvill.

The course of nine holes at Meole Brace is about two miles from the General Station, Shrewsbury, and is open all the year. The chief hazards are hedges, the lies through the green are fair, and the putting greens good. The longest hole is 450 yards, and the shortest 90 yards. Visitors are charged 1*s.* per day, 2*s.* 6*d.* per week, or 5*s.* per month, and must be introduced by members.

SIDCUP.

SIDCUP GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED OCTOBER, 1891.

Entrance Fee, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Number of Members*, 58. *President* — Sir J. Pender, G.C.B., M.P. *Vice-President*—Capt. E. Blanks. *Captain and Hon. Treasurer* — M. Hewitt. *Hon. Secretary* — J. Crombie, M.B., Sidcup. *Greenkeeper*—W. Thomson.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Hole Competition (scratch): H. J. Donaldson. Captain's Prize (handicap): W. S. Fisher.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 89, by M. Hewitt, in November, 1893.

Record for Green, 34, by W. Thomson, in June, 1894.

The course is one mile from Sidcup Station (S.E.R.), which is half an hour's journey from London. It consists of nine holes, with fair hazards. The professional is always in attendance.

SIDMOUTH.

SIDMOUTH GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED OCTOBER 18TH, 1889.

Entrance Fee, £1 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*, and green money, 10*s.* 6*d.*; *Number of Members*, 60. *President* — G. Scott. *Hon. Treasurer* — W. J. D. Whitaker. *Committee*—Dr. Williams, Rev. C. E. Everitt, Rev. W. V. Vickers, Rev. E. W. South, W. H. Hastings. *Hon. Secretary* — W. A. Newman, 5, Myrtle-terrace, Sidmouth. *Greenkeeper*—Mitchell.

Club Prizes. Subscription Challenge Cup; Monthly Medals for ladies and gentlemen: and various competitions for medals, &c.

The course of nine holes has as hazards gorse bushes, rushes, hedges, marshy ground, &c. The greens have been recently enlarged and improved, and a pavilion erected. The course is about a mile inland from Sidmouth. The nearest hotel is the Knowle. The other hotels are the York and Bedford, and numerous good lodgings are also available. Sidmouth has a mild bracing climate, and is much recommended for many classes of invalids. It is one of the most perfectly sheltered places in England.

SINGAPORE.

SINGAPORE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JANUARY, 1891.

Entrance Fee, Two Dollars; *Annual Subscription*, Twelve Dollars; *Number of Members*, 150 (limited). *President*—J. McRitchie. *Captain*—A. W. Stiven. *Hon. Treasurer*—J. D. Taylor. *Committee*—J. B. Robertson, C. Stringer, A. B. Hinde, P. A. Gillespie, W. G. Taylor. *Hon. Secretary*—J. W. B. Maclaren, Singapore.

Club Prizes. Scratch Straits Championship (the winner gets a Gold Medal, and holds the Sir Charles Warren Challenge Shield) alternately at Singapore and Penang; Singapore Championship (the winner holds the Sir John Goldney Gold Medal for the year); Handicap—Monthly Medal (winners play off for special prize annually); Johnston Cup; President's Cup, in November; Spring Cup; Autumn Cup.

Prize Winners in 1894. Straits Championship: D. Brown (Penang). Singapore Championship: Surg.-Capt. Hinde. Spring Cup: H. E. Daunt. Autumn Cup: A. W. Stiven (scr.) Final of Monthly Medal: A. W. Stiven (scr.) John Little Prize: Dr. Fowlie. Finlayson Prize: A. W. Stiven. Garrison Cup: J. B. Robertson (scr.). President's Cup: P. A. Gillespie.

Records of Green.—One round, 39, by A. W. Stiven, on March 6th, and by J. B. Robertson, on April 13th, 1894. Two rounds, 84, by J. B. Robertson, on June 2nd, 1894; and by A. W. Stiven on November 3rd, 1894.

For further particulars, see special article "Golf at Singapore."

SKEGNESS.

SKEGNESS GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1895.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 100. *President*—Earl of Scarbrough. *Vice-Presidents*—Lord Willoughby D'Eresby, M.P., C. F.

M. Mundy. *Captain*—Major C. A. Swan. *Treasurer*—W. L. Claypon. *Committee*—Rev. R. Barrow, B. C. Garfit, C. F. Grantham, E. A. Jackson, B. R. Langton, F. W. Thimbleby, H. V. Tippet, Capt. C. A. Staniland, M. Staniland, C. G. E. Wilby. *Hon. Secretary*—Rev. C. P. Disbrowe, Skegness, Lincolnshire. *Greenkeeper*—G. K. Wilson.

The course of nine holes is situated close to the sea, about three-quarters of a mile from Skegness Station. The turf is of first-class quality, the ground is undulating, and there are plenty of natural hazards. The club's headquarters are in the Vine Hotel, about thirty or forty yards from the first tee. The Great Northern Railway issue cheap return tickets to Skegness during the summer months, and the issue of Friday to Tuesday cheap return tickets is continued during the winter. In addition to these facilities, return tickets (first and third class) at a single fare and a quarter—minimum fare, 9*d.* for each passenger—from Grimsby, Boston, and intermediate stations, to Skegness and back, will be issued to members on producing their cards of membership.

SKELMORLIE.

SKELMORLIE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED SEPTEMBER 11TH, 1891.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 130. *Patron*—S. Clark. *President*—J. C. Burns. *Captain*—J. Gardner. *Committee*—Rev. J. Lamond, E. Payne, J. McInroy, D. R. Graham, M. Jamieson, J. Whyte, G. Smith. *Hon. Secretary*—B. R. Tennant, Woodbourne, Wemyss Bay. *Greenkeeper*—W. Noon.

Club Prizes.—Club Championship (scratch); Captain's Medal (handicap), on first Saturday of each month; President's Cup (handicap); Monthly Medal (handicap) for ladies, on first Wednesday of each month; Boys' Prizes (Seniors and Juniors).

Prize Winners in 1894.—Captain's Medal: E. Payne, 92. President's Cup: J. Mullin.

Green Record, 37, by J. F. Shaw.

The course of nine holes is laid out on the farm of Beithglass, Skelmorlie. The greater part is hilly, but the pasture is very old and firm, and the putting greens are improving with play. Three new holes were made last year. The nearest railway station is at Wemyss Bay, about a mile distant. Wemyss Bay Hydropathic is within a quarter of a mile of the green, and there is an excellent hotel in Wemyss Bay.

SLIGO.

COUNTY SLIGO GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED OCTOBER, 1894.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*, increasing 1*l.* 1*s.*, with every additional 50 members; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; Ladies, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, 100, and 25 Ladies. *President*—Colonel Cooper. *Vice-Presidents*—Sir H. W. Gore-Booth, Bart., Rt. Hon. E. Ashley, O. Wynne, Captain Cooper, R.A. *Committee*—Lieut. Colonel Campbell, W. R. Fenton, G. Hewson, A. Jackson, C. A. L'Estrange, A. Lyons, R. S. Robinson, J. A. Brabazon, Colonel Coffey, L. Creery, J. Fitzgerald, H. H. Handcock, Dr. Martyn, A. Mayer, Dr. MacDowel, Dr. Petit, J. C. Quin, W. T. Vernon, Major Robinson, Hon. F. Spring-Rice. *Hon. Secretary*—H. C. Perry, The Hermitage, Sligo. *Greenkeeper*—R. Thomson (from North Berwick).

The course of nine holes is situated at Rosse's Point, about five miles from Sligo, but as there is plenty of ground available it will before long be extended to eighteen holes. The turf is of first rate quality, and the hazards are bunkers, sandpits, bents, a quarry, a wall, a road, and broken ground. There is no crossing. The par of the round is 38. During summer cars run to and from Sligo several times daily, and a small steamer plies on the river. There are good hotels in Sligo, and two or three smaller ones at Rosse's Point, where comfortable lodgings can be had. There is good sea fishing and bathing to be enjoyed, the scenery is splendid, and the air bracing.

Visitors' tickets may be had on application to the caretaker at a charge of 5*s.* per week, or 15*s.* per month of four consecutive weeks. These tickets do not entitle the holders to the use of the clubhouse, or to the use of the ground on match days.

SOLIHULL.

ARDEN GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1891.

Entrance Fee, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Number of Members*, 50 (the limit). *President*—H. H. Chattock. *Captain*—H. W. Bainbridge. *Hon. Treasurer*—F. W. Lindner. *Committee*—O. Airy, F. A. Bainbridge, J. C. Lord, M. C. Lord, A. G. Tonks, C. T. Wade, Rev. Dr. Wilson, H. H. Wright, J. F. Wright. *Hon. Secretary*

—A. E. W. Browne, 34, Ludgate-hill, Birmingham. *Greenkeeper* J. Cunningham.

Club Prizes. Monthly Cup: Bogey Competition; Foursomes (handicap): Wright Cup (handicap), in Spring: Chattock Cup (handicap), in Autumn: Captain's Prize (six best net scores).

Prize Winners in 1894.—Foursomes: A. E. and W. P. W. Browne. Captain's Prize: H. W. Bainbridge. Prize for six best net scores for Monthly Cup: O. Airy. Monthly Cup (final): Dr. Wilson.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 83, by H. W. Bainbridge, on December 1st, 1894.

Records for Green.—(1) Professional, 33, by J. Cunningham; (2) Amateur, 37, by A. E. W. Browne, in April, 1894.

The par of the round is 33, and the club scratch score for two rounds 82.

The course of nine holes is close to Solihull Station (G. W. Ry.), about seven miles from Birmingham, and the hazards consist of ditches, pools, trees, hedges, and gorse. Bogey score, 82. The course has been altered and recently extended.

SORRENTO.

The first golf links in Italy have recently been established on the ridge of hills separating the Bay of Naples from the Gulf of Salerno, above the well-known watering place of Sorrento. They were laid out recently by an Anglo-Indian golfer, Mr. J. B. Fuller, of the Bengal Civil Service, with the aid of the resident physician, Dr. Dunbar-Brunton, and one or two other golf enthusiasts. The ground is an undulating plateau, about a mile long, covered with strong short-cropped grass, and, though bunkers are scarce, the course is by no means an easy one. Only nine holes have been fixed at present, but there is room along another stretch of the same ridge for further extension, if the experiment should prove successful in attracting lovers of the game to this charming spot. The putting greens, of course, require time to be brought into good condition. The site is one of the most picturesque in Southern Italy, commanding, as it does, a magnificent view of the two seas and of the marvellously beautiful coasts of Naples, Vesuvius, Ischia, Capri, and Salerno. The height above sea level is from 1600ft. to 1700ft., and, though the pull-up from Sorrento is a long one, a pleasant residence can be found for any golf-playing visitors who require a few weeks in the most salubrious air which the Mediterranean coasts afford in the suburban township of St. Agata, where cheap lodgings and board are always obtainable, and which is situated on the ridge, within a few minutes' walk of the links. In any case, however, the ascent can be made on donkey-back, if the donkey be a good one, in less than three-quarters of an hour from Sorrento itself. In October and November, and again from March to June, the climate is very enjoyable, and, owing to the almost insular position of the Sorrento hills, is cooler and fresher than that of any place in Continental Italy.

SOUTHEND-ON-SEA.

SOUTHEND-ON-SEA GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED AUGUST 1ST, 1893.

The course of nine holes is about a mile and a half in length, and is situated at the back of the gasworks, near the station. The course is private, and the hazards are bents, dykes, a road, and artificial sand bunkers. The turf is excellent, and the putting greens good. Southend (London, Tilbury, and Southend Railway) is reached by fast trains from Fenchurch-street, London, and there is also a fair train service by the Great Eastern Railway from Liverpool-street. Excellent accommodation may be had at the Ship Hotel—special tariff for golfers.

SOUTHPORT.

SOUTHPORT GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JANUARY 3RD, 1885.

Entrance Fee, 5*l.* 5*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 10*s.*; *Number of Members*, 250 (the limit). *Captain*—W. E. Buckley. *Hon. Treasurer*—D. C. Anderson. *Committee*—S. A. Ashington, T. O. Climming, R. Deane, J. Morison, C. J. Mulleneux, H. H. Perkes, W. S. Rowley, H. Sidebottom, G. F. Smith. *Hon. Secretary*—W. E. Bland, 144, Lord-street, Southport. *Greenkeeper*—T. Upton. *Professional*—P. McEwan.

Club Prizes.—Monthly Competitions, first series, on second Saturdays of January, February, March, April, May and June, final on July 13th; Monthly Competitions, second series, on second Saturdays, July to December, final in January, 1896 (the players will be divided into 1st class, with handicaps of 15 and under; 2nd class with handicaps of 16 to 30, in both series); Musgrove Prize, hole tournament (handicap, limit 18 strokes), in April; Morison Prize (handicap, limit 14), on June 3rd: Summer Medal (scratch); Scarisbrick Cup (handicap); Buckley Veterans' Prize (handicap), for players over 45, and receiving not less than 15 strokes, on July 13th; Pilkington Gold Medal (scratch), and other prizes in Autumn; Christmas Prize, on December 26th.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Monthly Competition, first series (final): W. T. Rowley, 91−7=84; second series (final): C. Legh. Smart Prize: R. Bazley, 104−25=79. Leese Prize: A. Smart, 93−10=83. Summer Medal: G. F. Smith, 81. Scarisbrick Cup and Dorning Prize: P. Musgrave, 91−9=82. Pilkington Gold Medal: G. F. Smith, 88. President's Cup: W. T. Rowley, 95−6=89. Club Prize: H. Side-

bottom, 91 – 2 = 89. Christmas Prize: R. Bayley, 94 – 11 = 83. Captain's Cup (final): P. Musgrave.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 81, by G. F. Smith, on June 16th, 1894.

Green Record.—74, by G. F. Smith, on July 27th; and by P. McEwan, on September 12th, 1894.

The course of eighteen holes, which extends from Moss Lane, near the corner of High Park Road and Roe Lane, to Blowick, has recently been considerably lengthened. The hazards are sand bunkers, cops, fences, dykes, ditches, a plantation, and gorse bushes. Tramcars pass close to the clubhouse. Visitors, when introduced by a member, can play three days free; after that a charge of 5*s.* per week is made. There are many good hotels in Southport.

PALACE LADIES' GOLF CLUB.

No particulars forthcoming.

SOUTH SHIELDS.

SOUTH SHIELDS GOLF CLUB.

No details.

SOUTH UIST.

SOUTH UIST GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED APRIL 13TH, 1895.

Captain — D. Paterson. *Hon. Secretary* — W. A. Morrison, Banker.

The course of eighteen holes is laid out on the farm of Askernish, on the west side of South Uist, where the Atlantic breaks on a beach of beautiful white sand. To the east looms up the lofty peak of Heela in the South Uist range; southward the hills of Barra are descried; almost within the range of a long drive is the spot where Flora Macdonald was born; and across the narrow island is the Cave of Corodale, where Prince Charlie found refuge, and which is still known as the Prince's Cave.

It is, however, as the angler's paradise that South Uist is chiefly known. Visitors at the Lochboisdale hotel, which is close to the green, have the range of over seventy lakes, where, in the season, the sport is unsurpassed by any angling resort in Scotland. The improved service of steamers, introduced on the recommendation of the Western Highlands and Islands Commission, has brought South Uist within easy distance of Edinburgh and Glasgow. There is now a daily steamer from Oban, and within twenty-four hours after leaving Edinburgh or Glasgow the tourist may find himself in the Hebrides.

SOUTHWOLD.

SOUTHWOLD GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JUNE, 1884.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 119. *Captain*—W. Whytock. *Hon. Treasurer*—A. R. Grubbe. *Committee*—S. W. Woollett, C. J. Waller, R. E. Yerburgh, A. W. C. Herbert, R. Nugent, J. B. Gooding. *Hon. Secretary*—D. Gooding, Southwold. *Greenkeeper*—G. Reeve.

Club Prizes.—Silver Challenge Cup (holes); Scratch Medal, in July: Scratch Medal, quarterly, in March, June, September, and December, winner of Annual Medal barred.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Challenge Cup: J. C. Hindley. Quarterly Medal: March, W. Whytock, 92; June, W. Whytock, 89.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 85, by W. Whytock, on October 7th, 1893.

Record for Green, 37, by W. Whytock.

The green is one of nine holes, and the circuit a little over a mile. Southwold is 110 miles from London (G.E.R.), and there is a capital service of trains. The station is right in the town, a 'bus meets all trains, and the green is reached from any part of the town in ten minutes. There are several good hotels, and plenty of lodgings.

Visitors introduced by a member are entitled to play for one week on payment of 5*s.*, and on the insertion of their names and addresses in a book kept for that purpose by the Secretary. Two or more members of the same family, under the age of fifteen, half the above charge. Ladies are charged 2*s.* 6*d.* per week.

STAFFORD.

STAFFORDSHIRE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JANUARY, 1891.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 11*s.* 6*d.*; *Number of Members*, 100. *President*—Earl of Dartmouth. *Committee*—Capt. the Hon. G. A. Anson (chairman), Rev. C. W. L. Bode, Dr. G. Reid, J. E. Everett, Lieut.-Col. Tillotson, H. W. Gardner, G. H. Tunnicliffe, C. F. Hand, W. L. Ward, P. H. Harston, Sir Chas. Wolseley, Bart., Major Leggatt. *Hon. Secretary*—C. Morgan, Queensville, Stafford. *Greenkeeper*—J. Jones.

Green Records.—(1) professional, 77, by J. Jones, on November 6th, 1894; (2) amateur, 82, by C. S. Hayward, on November 23rd, 1894.

The course of eighteen holes on Stafford Common is situated close

to Stafford Common Railway Station (G.N.R.), and the clubhouse is at the entrance to the course. The greens are now in good order, but there are not sufficient hazards, these not being allowed because of the cattle which graze upon the Common.

STAINES.

STAINES GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1890.

Annual Subscription, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Number of Members*, 110. *Captain* — G. J. Hunter. *Hon. Treasurer* — F. Barrett. *Committee*—C. L. Attenborough, H. Chester-Master, G. Struthers, Cutler, Townsend, M. Mossop, L. Mossop, Rev. F. C. Williamson. *Hon. Secretary*—R. A. Slee, Knowle Green House, Staines. *Greenkeeper*—A. Thompson.

Green Record, 36, by A. Thompson.

The course of nine holes, on Shortwood Common, is about a mile and a half round. There are some good hazards, and the putting greens are in excellent condition.

Staines is easily accessible by the London and South-Western Railway from Waterloo Station. The clubhouse is about five minutes' walk from the station, and the first tee is a few yards from the gate. Luncheon can always be had at the clubhouse on Saturdays and Sundays, but if required on other days it is well to write to the clubhouse.

STAMFORD.

BURGHLEY PARK GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED OCTOBER, 1890.

Annual Subscription, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 55. *President* — Marquis of Exeter. *Captain*—H. B. Waite. *Hon. Treasurer*—H. V. Iggulden. *Committee*—H. Eaton, W. W. Lowe, C. P. Phillips, R. Wyche, jun., M. S. Young. *Hon. Secretary*—H. O. Edmonds, Northfields House, Stamford.

A Gold Medal (handicap) is played for on the third Saturday of each month.

Green Records. (1) Professional, 37, by H. Hurry; (2) Amateur, 38, by W. W. Lowe, in October, 1894.

The course of nine holes is prettily situated in the Park, from which the club takes its name, close to the ancient Borough of Stamford. Visitors can always have access to the green on application to the Hon Secretary. The Great Northern, Midland, and London and North-Western stations are half a mile from the green.

STANMORE.

STANMORE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JANUARY, 1893.

Entrance Fee, 5*l.* 5*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 4*l.* 4*s.*; Ladies, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Number of Members*, 300, exclusive of Ladies. *President*—T. F. Blackwell. *Captain*—J. A. Begbie. *Committee*—H. B. Edwards, F. Gordon, W. S. Gilbert, G. Grinling, A. Kingsmill, E. W. F. Stiven, E. Weber. *Hon. Secretary*—C. Adams, Stanmore, Middlesex. *Greenkeeper*—J. Cuthbert.

Club Prizes.—Gold Medal (scratch); Gold Medal (handicap), monthly; Silver Medal, monthly (handicap over 15); and other prizes. Ladies' Cup (handicap), monthly, and other prizes for ladies.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Gold Medal: G. H. C. Lea, 94. Silver Medal: January, J. Law, 110−21=89; February, F. Horley, 124−27=97; March, T. R. Risk, 120−18=102; April, G. Grinling, 103−20=83; May, T. Urwick, 113−24=89; June, T. W. Dawson, 106−18=88; July, J. A. Begbie, 88−scr.=88; August, J. A. Begbie, 91−scr.=91; September, J. A. Begbie, 84−scr.=84; October, G. H. Lea, 94−15=79; November, J. Rualt, 105−16=89; December, J. R. Scully, 97−10=87.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 84, by J. A. Begbie, in September, 1894.

Records for Green.—(1) Professional, 74, by H. Kirkcaldy, in June, 1894; (2) Amateur, 83, by Dr. E. W. F. Stiven, in April, 1894.

A very successful Professional Tournament was held over the course in June, 1894, when J. Cuthbert, the club professional, beat a field including Taylor, Head, the Kirkcaldy brothers, &c., with a score of 76+78=154. This year a County Cup will probably be instituted, to be played for in foursomes drawn from the various clubs in Middlesex.

The course of eighteen holes adjoins Stanmore Station (L. and N.W. Railway). There is a separate ladies' course of nine holes, and a commodious clubhouse. There is accommodation for visitors in hotels in the village.

STAPLEFORD.

STAPLEFORD GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1887.

The course, which is situated on the Stapleford Downs, has now been extended to eighteen holes, more hazards formed, and the greens greatly improved. The nearest railway station, at Wishford (G.W. Ry.), is three miles from the green.

STEEPLE ASTON.

STEEPLE ASTON GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED OCTOBER 22ND, 1892.

Entrance Fee, Five Shillings; *Annual Subscription*, Ten Shillings; Families 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 40. *President*—C. C. Dormer. *Committee*—Admiral Bradshaw, B. S. Ogle, Miss Bradshaw, Miss M. Cartwright. *Hon. Secretary*—H. E. H. Way, Steeple Aston, Oxon. *Greenkeeper*—J. Belcher.

The Club Medal (handicap), for ladies and gentlemen, is played for on the last Thursday of each month.

The course is about a quarter of a mile from Heyford Station (G. W. Ry.), which is twenty minutes' run from Oxford.

STEPPES.

STEPPES GOLF CLUB.

Hon. Secretary—H. Lee, Thornwood, Steppes, near Glasgow.

STEVENAGE.

STEVENAGE GOLF CLUB.

No particulars forthcoming.

STEVENSTON.

ARDEER GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1889

Entrance Fee, 3*l.* 3*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 5*s.*; *Number of Members*, 190. *Captain*—J. Fergus. *Hon. Treasurer*—W. C. Cunningham. *Hon. Secretary*—A. C. Steven, 55, Wilson-street, Glasgow. *Greenkeeper*—J. McCreadie.

Club Prizes.—Club Prizes (handicap), in April; Gold Medal (scratch), and Club Prizes (handicap), in September; Heys and Robertson Medals (handicap), on second Saturday of each month; finals in August.

The links are on the Ayrshire coast, about two miles from Ardrossan. They are reached in less than an hour from Glasgow by the Glasgow and South-Western and Caledonian Railways, both stations

being close to the clubhouse. The course of nine holes is admirably adapted for the game, the turf being good and the hazards natural. It has recently been greatly improved by taking in some new ground, and in this way crossing has been completely done away with.

STINCHCOMBE HILL.

STINCHCOMBE HILL GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED OCTOBER 13TH, 1889.

Entrance Fee, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 10*s.*; Ladies, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; Junior Members of Families, Five Shillings; *Number of Members*, 125. *President*—Lord Fitzhardinge. *Captain*—A. Hoare. *Hon. Treasurer*—J. A. G. Bengough. *Committee*—Sir G. B. Jenkinson, Bart., Col. C. Hayward, Rev. A. K. Cornwall, Rev. R. C. Lynche-Blosse, G. S. Estcourt, C. A. Gillanders, W. A. Lucy, F. K. Peto. *Hon. Secretary*—H. Goldingham, Wotton-under-Edge. *Hon. Secretary for Ladies*—Mrs. A. Hoare, Stone Court, Falfield, R.S.O., Gloucester. *Greenkeeper*—V. Trotman.

Club Prizes.—Owlpen Challenge Prize (scratch); Huntington Challenge Prize (aggregate handicap); Club Challenge Prize (handicap); Bogey Challenge Prize; Ladies' Challenge Prizes (scratch and handicap). The above, with prizes for first three in each event, and gentlemen's, ladies,' and mixed foursome prizes, are played for at the Spring and Autumn Meetings in May and October. Also Monthly Medals and Challenge Prizes for gentlemen and ladies, the twelve winners in each case to compete for absolute possession; and Monthly Bogey Competitions.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Owlpen Challenge Prize: C. A. Gillanders, 85; C. A. Gillanders, 90. Huntington Challenge Prize: C. A. Gillanders, 85+81=166; C. A. Gillanders, 90+89=179. Club Challenge Prize: L. Grist, 97−8=89; H. A. Armitage, 105−20=85. Ladies' Scratch Prize: Miss C. S. Graham, 91; Miss M. Miles, 84. Ladies' Handicap Prize: Mrs. W. F. Taylor, 112−23=89; Miss I. Cornwall, 94−20=74. Monthly Medals: Senior, W. D. C. Fraser; Junior, R. C. Lynch-Blosse. Ladies' ditto: Senior, Mrs. W. Davies; Junior, Miss M. Matthews.

The Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 84, by H. G. Hutchinson, August 7th, 1894; and in a match against A. Hoare, on the day before, he made the fine score of 40+39=79, which is the record for the green, both for amateurs and professionals. Miss M. Miles holds the record for the ladies' round with 83.

The course, as now laid out, consists of two distinct annular courses of nine holes each, for ladies and gentlemen respectively,

situated on Stinchcombe Sleight, Gloucestershire, a great upland jutting out into the Severn Valley, midway between Gloucester and Bristol, and within easy reach of the towns of Berkeley, Dursley, and Wotton-under-Edge. The course is now as good a one as can be found inland; the hazards are natural ones, consisting of a coombe 300 feet deep, ancient British earthworks, stone quarries, walls, and fog, and the putting greens of excellent turf are well kept up. Comfortable clubhouse and stabling. Stations and hotels at Berkeley Road and Dursley, Midland Railway, the latter within a mile of the green.

STIRLING.

STIRLING GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1870.

Entrance Fee, Ten Shillings; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.*; *Number of Members*, 170. *President*—Duke of Montrose, K.T. *Captain*—J. Archibald. *Hon. Treasurer*—J. W. Campbell. *Committee*—Col. Nightingale, J. Thomson, W. C. Finlay, J. Aikman, H. G. Henderson, R. A. Smith, A. C. Buchanan, Lieut.-Col. Bell, W. Renwick. *Hon. Secretary*—R. Whyte, Solicitor, 15, Dumbarton-road, Stirling. *Greenkeeper*—J. Moore.

Club Prizes.—Club Medal (scratch), in April: Club Medal (handicap), in October; Monthly Medal (handicap).

Prize Winners in 1894.—Scratch Medal: R. A. Smith, 89. Handicap Foursomes: J. M. and C. Cochrane. Monthly Medal: R. A. Smith. Col. Hare's Medal: G. Paton. Captain's Prize: J. M. Cochrane. Handicap Medal: C. Cochrane, 91—3=88.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 83, by R. A. Smith, on May 26th, 1893.

The course is beautifully situated in the King's Park. The nine holes are a fair hour's work; there are no hazards worth mentioning; the greens are kept in surprisingly good order; and the grass over the whole park is always short, dry, and springy. The course has recently been considerably extended, two long holes being substituted for short ones, which add a few strokes to the round. There is a fine clubhouse.

HIGH SCHOOL GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1887.

Annual Subscription, One Shilling and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, 21. *President*—W. R. Young. *Vice-President*—J. L. Graham. *Captain*—A. Hutchison. *Committee*—C. Drew, J. Beath, W. Smith. *Hon. Secretary*—F. Richardson, Pitgorno House, Stirling. *Green*—King's Park.

Club Prizes.—Founders' Medal (scratch), in September; Richardson Medal (handicap), quarterly; Robertson Medal (handicap), monthly.
Prize Winners in 1894.—Founders' Medal: W. G. Smith, 97.

STONEHAVEN.

STONEHAVEN GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED APRIL 10TH, 1888.

Annual Subscription, Seniors, Ten Shillings; Juniors, Five Shillings. *Number of Members*, 36. *Captain*—Rev. W. D. Innes. *Vice-Captain*—A. B. Annandale. *Hon. Secretary*—J. C. Robertson. *Committee*—R. Falconer, W. Mowat, J. Hart, A. L. Wood.

Record for Green, 37, by A. L. Wood.

The course of nine holes lies along the high ground facing the sea, about two miles north of Stonehaven. The railway station (on the main line between Perth and Aberdeen) is about two miles from the links, all trains stopping there both going and coming.

STORNOWAY.

STORNOWAY GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JULY, 1890.

The course of nine holes is situated on the Melbost Links, within three miles of the burgh, and runs parallel with the east shore of Broad Bay. It stretches outwards for fully a mile and a half, and ends at a point overlooking the shore.

STOURBRIDGE.

STOURBRIDGE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED DECEMBER, 1894.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 51. *President*—F. S. H. Dyer-Bennett. *Vice-Presidents*—W. Corbett, I. Nash. *Treasurer*—W. H. Hughes. *Committee*—F. J. Boulton, J. W. King, W. R. Lowndes, W. R. Nash, H. W. Pearce, J. Penn, G. F. Simms, H. W. Smith, G. R. Thornton, E. T. Wright. *Hon. Secretary* — C. W. Thomas, Pedmore, near Stourbridge.

Club Prizes.—President's Cup; Monthly Medal (handicap), on second Saturday in each month; Monthly Challenge Cup (Bogey handicap), on third Saturday in each month.
Prize Winners in 1894.—Medal: October, H. E. Garratt; November, Rev. A. C. Madden; December, H. E. Garratt.

The nearest stations are Stourbridge Junction (G.W.R.) and Stourbridge Town (G.W.R.), distance one and a half miles. Cabs can always be obtained, and there is first class hotel accommodation in the town. The green, which is a sporting one, is situated on an inclosed common, formerly a racecourse. There are nine holes, the shortest being 175, and the longest 450 yards; the Bogey score being 4 4 6 4 3 4 7 4 4=40. The putting greens are for the most part natural, and the lies, with the exception of a couple of holes, are good. A greenkeeper is engaged for the summer months, and this year a considerable sum will be spent in improving the course. The hazards are whins, dykes, hedges, and a pool. A small pavilion has been erected near the last hole (which is also close to the first tee), and has been fitted up with lockers, &c.; while that portion of the golfing anatomy known as "the inner man," can be suitably provided for at either the inns in the village or the hotels in the town. The air is fresh and bracing, and visitors can rely on getting full value for the fee of 1*s.* per day or 2*s.* 6*d.* per week, which is charged.

STOW-ON-THE-WOLD.

COTSWOLD GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1891.

Entrance Fee, Ten Shillings; *Annual Subscription*, Ten Shillings. *Captain*—C. A. Whitmore, M.P. *Committee*—Earl of Eldon, G. W. Goodeve, T. W. Stubbs. *Hon. Secretary*—H. E. Rose, Bourton Bridge, Bourton-on-the-Water. *Greenkeeper*—F. Pulham.

Club Prizes.—Monthly Medal; Ladies' Brooch, monthly; and Club Prizes annually.

The course, formerly of seven holes, has now been extended to eighteen, with hazards to every one, while the putting greens are excellent. Stow-on-the-Wold station is one mile from the green. There is a first class hotel opposite the club pavilion.

STRATHPEFFER.

STRATHPEFFER SPA GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JUNE, 1888.

Annual Subscription, Five Shillings; *Number of Members*, about 200. *Patron*—Major Jackson. *Hon. Secretaries*—Dr. T. Fox and J. Baxter, Station Master, Strathpeffer Spa, N.B. *Green*—Ulladale.

The course of nine holes, is situated on a breezy upland, with lovely views and romantic surroundings, within an easy walk of the favourite health resort Strathpeffer Spa. Strathpeffer Station (Highland Railway) is half a mile distant, and there are numerous hotels and lodging houses.

SUNDERLAND.

SUNDERLAND GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1892.

The course is at Cox Green, close to Sunderland, from whence it is easily accessible by rail.

SUTTON.

SUTTON GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED SEPTEMBER, 1890.

The course of nine holes is two minutes' walk from Banstead Station. Visitors can find accommodation in Banstead village, half a mile from the station.

SUTTON COLDFIELD.

SUTTON COLDFIELD GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED OCTOBER, 1889.

Entrance Fee, 3*l.* 3*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 170. *President*—The Mayor of Sutton Coldfield. *Vice-Presidents*—P. A. Muntz, M.P., A. H. Evans. *Captain*—T. S. Eddowes. *Committee*—Major General Arbuthnot, Rev. W. C. R. Bedford, T. G. Griffiths, E. E. Lamb, G. A. Muntz, H. T. Edge, J. H. Chavasse, F. H. Winder, P. A. Bourke. *Treasurer*—A. L. Lloyd. *Hon. Secretary* — P. Bourke, Glenora, Sutton Coldfield. *Greenkeeper*—L. G. Ross.

Club Prizes.—Edge Silver Cup (scratch), Club Prize (handicap), at Spring Meeting; Silver Cup (handicap), in Autumn; Monthly Medals (handicap); Silver Cups (foursomes handicap), in Spring and Autumn; Bogey Competition; and Monthly Cup.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Spring Handicap: A. L. Lloyd, 81 (net). Scratch Cup: E. E. Lamb, 98. Foursome Cups: Spring, G. S. Allright and J. W. Wilson; Autumn, P. A. Bourke and A. H. Inglis. Members' Challenge Cup: Rev. A. E. R. Bedford, 82 (net).

Records for Green.—(1) Professional, 79, by L. G. Ross; (2) Amateur, 86, by E. E. Lamb.

The course is an eighteen hole one, about two miles and five furlongs in length. The soil is of a light sandy nature, and the hazards consist of trees, bushes, gorse, ling, heather, pits, roads, &c. The longest hole is 510 yards. The course is situated on the Streetly side of Sutton Park. The clubhouse and first tee are within six minutes' walk of Streetly Station (Midland Railway).

SUTTON-ON-SEA.

SUTTON-ON-SEA GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MAY, 1894.

The course is a nine hole one, and has several good natural hazards.

SWANAGE.

ISLE OF PURBECK GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED AUGUST, 1892.

The course of nine holes is a circular one of a mile and a half, about two miles from Swanage Station (L. and S.W. Ry.). Boats also run frequently from Bournemouth, and conveyances meet both trains and boats. The hazards are hedges, furze, ponds, and bunkers. From all points the prospect is magnificent, and very fine views may be obtained of Swanage, Studland, Poole Harbour, Bournemouth, and the Isle of Wight. The club have rented a picturesque cottage, with its surrounding garden, which has been converted into a clubhouse. Excellent hotel accommodation can be obtained at Swanage and Studland.

SWANSEA.

SWANSEA GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED OCTOBER, 1892.

Entrance Fee, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l*.; *Number of Members*, 60. *President*—Colonel Morgan, R.E. *Captain*—J. R. Watson. *Committee*—H. J. Bath, H. Forester, Captain Hazard, E. Forester, F. L. Richardson, Rev. W. E. Shaw, F. H. Webber. *Hon. Secretary*—W. E. Anderson, 17, Bryn-road, Swansea. *Greenkeeper*—J. Cronin.

A medal is played for on the first Saturday of each month.
Green Record, 37.

The course consists of nine holes, the longest being about 400 yards. It is a strip of common ground between the Mumble-road and Tramway and the L. and N.W. Railway, and, but for its being too narrow in some parts, it is a very good course, with excellent bunkers, and the greens are kept in capital order. As the grass never gets long, play goes on all the year round. It is two and half miles from Swansea, and may be reached by rail or tram to Mumble-road or Block Pill respectively, both of which are close to the club-room. Visitors are charged 1*s*. a day, 2*s*. 6*d*. a week, or 5*s*. a month, but are allowed one day a month free.

TACOMA (U.S.A.).

TACOMA GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1894.

The course of eighteen holes is laid out on prairie land, and covers some three miles. Tacoma is in Washington State.

TAIN.

ST. DUTHUS GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED FEBRUARY 27TH, 1890.

Entrance Fee, Five Shillings; *Annual Subscription*, Ten Shillings; *Number of Members*, 60. *President*—Major Jackson. *Vice-President*—Sheriff Johnston. *Captain*—A. Macbean. *Committee*—A. J. Dallas, A. H. Hutt, D. Macphail, W. J. Bicknell, Dr. Mackenzie. *Hon. Secretary*—J. Munro, Solicitor, Tain. *Greenkeeper*—W. Macdonald.

Club Prizes.—Jackson Silver Cup (scratch), in September; Sir Abdul Ghanis' Cup, open to Northern Counties (handicap).

Prize Winners in 1894.—Jackson Cup: D. Macphail. Weekly Competition: J. Maclean. Fortnightly Competition: J. MacLean and J. D. Bain. Monthly Competition: D. Macphail. Captain's Prizes: D. Macphail and R. McKay. Mackenzie Prize: D. Macphail. Hole Competition: W. J. Bicknell and J. MacLean. Foursome Competition: Dr. Mackenzie and J. Rose.

Green Record, 82, by D. Macphail, on July 14th, 1894.

The course of eighteen holes runs through part of Kirksheaf and the Mhorish Mhor. The hazards are bunkers—natural and artificial—and the Tain Burn, over which a bridge has been erected by the club. The greens are well looked after, and the course is rapidly improving. Tain Railway Station is about ten minutes' walk from the clubhouse, and excellent accommodation for visitors can be had at the Royal, Balnagown Arms, and Railway Hotels.

TAMWORTH.

TAMWORTH GOLF CLUB.

No particulars forthcoming.

TAPLOW.

TAPLOW GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED FEBRUARY 27TH, 1893.

Hon. Secretary—M. Taylor, Riverside Club, Maidenhead.

The par of the round is 74.

The course of eighteen holes is situated on Barge Farm, within ten minutes' walk of Taplow Station on the Great Western Railway. It has the advantage of being on private ground, so that none but

members and their friends can walk on it. The hazards are hedges, ditches, burns, and ponds. For ladies a shorter nine hole course is laid out. The clubhouse is situated on the main road between Taplow Station and Maidenhead Bridge, and the professional is in attendance. The course is proprietary, and members have no liability beyond their subscriptions.

TAVISTOCK.

TAVISTOCK GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JANUARY, 1891.

Entrance Fee, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Annual Subscription*, Ten Shillings and Sixpence, *Green Money*, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, 130; *Patron*—H.R.H. Duke Alfred of Saxe Coburg Gotha, K.G., K.T., K.P. *Captain*—G. H. Finzel. *Committee*—H. M. Sperling, C. C. Brodrick, Rev. S. W. Featherstone, F. F. Freeman, T. M. Gill, Rev. W. H. David, A. O. V. Penny. *Treasurer*—J. R. Divett. *Hon. Secretary*—J. H. Neat, Torr Villa, Tavistock. *Green*—Whitchurch Downs. *Greenkeeper*—W. Johns.

Club Prizes.—Freeman Cup, best four net returns in Monthly Medal competitions; Robinson Brooch, for ladies, same conditions; Open Club Prize (handicap); and Club Prize (scratch), at Spring and Autumn Meetings in April and October.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Freeman Cup: A. O. V. Penny. Robinson Brooch: Miss L. Neat. Club Prizes: Spring, Rev. S. W. Featherstone. Club Prize (handicap): Autumn, E. H. Neat, R.N. Club Prize (scratch): Autumn, A. O. V. Penny.

During the past year the clubhouse has been considerably enlarged, and the work of extending the course to eighteen holes has just been completed. The hazards are whins, roads, a quarry, and bunkers. The turf is good and the lies fair. Tavistock has two stations, Great Western Railway and London and South-Western, situated fifteen and twenty minutes respectively from the clubhouse. Good accommodation may be had at the Bedford Hotel. There is a frequent train service, the fast trains (London and South-Western) doing the journey from Plymouth in half an hour.

TAYNUILT.

BUNAWE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JANUARY, 1892.

The course is close to the Railway Station, and the hazards are peat bogs and heather. Taynuilt, on the Callander and Oban Railway, is twelve miles from Oban. There are numerous villas to let in the locality, and a hotel close to the station. The scenery is of the grandest description, Ben Cruachan being immediately to the east, while to the west are the wooded heights of Aird's Bay, and southward stretches a wide extent of moor and mountain.

TAYPORT.

SCOTSCRAIG GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1818; RESUSCITATED 1887.

Entrance Fee, Ten Shillings; *Annual Subscription*, Fifteen Shillings. *Captain*—M. Carr. *Treasurer*—J. Matthew. *Committee*—D. Law, Rev. C. Halliday, J. Morton, J. Simpson. *Hon. Secretary*—J. Inch, Fernlea, Tayport. *Greenkeeper*—J. McKinnon.

Club Prizes.—Scotscraig Silver Medal (scratch), Newport Silver Medal (handicap), and Wizard Medal (handicap), in Spring; Scotscraig Gold Medal (scratch), and Walker Silver Medal (handicap), in October; Monthly Medal (handicap).

Prize Winners in 1894.—Scotscraig Silver Medal: R. T. Mitchell, 87; Newport Medal: J. Moreton, 90−6=84; Wizard Medal: Dr. Campbell, 88−2=86; Scotscraig Gold Medal: A. S. Thomson, 88; Walker Medal: T. T. Leitch, 100−14=86.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 78, by A. S. Thomson, on May 30th, 1894.

Tayport links have been greatly improved in recent years, and the course must now be classed amongst the best nine hole courses in the country. The hazards are a burn, pond, and wood. The course is private, but visitors are welcome, and are only charged 6*d.* per day for the privilege of playing. Tayport Station is one mile from the course, and visitors can readily get accommodation.

TENBY.

TENBY GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED AUGUST 31ST, 1888.

Entrance Fee, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.* *President*—Sir C. E. G. Philipps, Bart. *Committee*—Col. M. Lloyd, T. A. Rees, Col. Voyle, W. H. Richards, G. K. Wait. *Hon. Secretary*—L. R. Wood, Tenby. *Greenkeeper*—J. Jeffreys.

Club Prizes.—Open Tournament at Easter, when, in addition to various prizes for ladies and gentlemen, the South Wales Challenge Cup will be played for. During the course of the year the following members' prizes will be offered for competition—Gentlemen: Gold Medal (scratch), for seven best scores, and Silver Medal (scratch), for second best; Gold Medal (handicap), for seven best net scores; and Silver Medal (handicap) for second best; Richards Gold Medal, to be competed for by the winners of the Fortnightly Club Handicaps at end of season. Ladies: Club Gold Medal (handicap), for six best net scores; Williams' Gold Medal (scratch), for six best scores in the Fortnightly Handicaps.

The course, which is situated on the burrows near the sea, about one mile from Tenby, at present consists of nine holes, but might easily be enlarged. There are plenty of natural hazards, and the putting greens have recently been relaid and improved. Visitors are admitted to the course on payment of a charge of five shillings per month. Play goes on all the year round now.

TEWKESBURY.

TEWKESBURY GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED NOVEMBER, 1892.

The course of nine holes is situated on Shuthonger Common.

THAMES DITTON.

THAMES DITTON AND ESHER GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1891.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 11*s.* 6*d.*, for members admitted prior to June 24th, 1893; 2*l.* 2*s.* for others; *Number of Members*, 100 and 25 ladies (the limit). *President*—H. Speer. *Captain*—F. E. Corbett. *Committee*—W. H. Game, R. Howell, M. Leeds, E. F. Sandys, C. Sewell, Colonel Strettell, H. Walton. *Hon. Treasurer*—S. Whitehead. *Hon. Secretary*—J. H. Belfrage.

The wives, sisters, and daughters of members may play on an annual payment of 10*s.* 6*d.*

The course is close to the Esher Railway Station (South-Western Ry.), and is in fact laid out on the common over which the line passes. It consists at present of nine holes, and all the hazards are natural. Visitors introduced by members may play free of charge for three days. Afterwards a charge of 5*s.* a week is imposed.

THOMASTOWN.

THOMASTOWN LADIES' GOLF CLUB.

No particulars forthcoming.

THORNHILL.

MORTON GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED DECEMBER, 1890.

The green of nine holes lies a quarter of a mile from Thornhill Station, Dumfries. Thornhill is one of the prettiest villages in Nithsdale, and the hotel accommodation is good.

THRAPSTON.

THRAPSTON GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1895.

The course is laid out on the estate of Mr. Sackville, Chairman of the County Club.

THURSO.

THURSO GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1893.

The course, which is laid out on Dunnet Links, within a short distance of Dunnet Head, is about eight miles from Thurso. It at present consists of nine holes, but there is abundance of room for a full course of eighteen holes, which will probably be laid out when the membership increases sufficiently. It abounds in natural hazards, bunkers, and sandhills, and the putting greens are large and beautifully level.

TIGHNABRUAICH.

TIGHNABRUAICH GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1894.

The course of nine holes is situated within easy walking distance of Tighnabruaich, and commands a fine view of the Kyles of Bute, Loch Fyne, &c. Machines from the Pier pass the course daily.

TIMARU.

TIMARU GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1894.

Captain—D. Davies. *Hon. Secretary*— —. Wake, Timaru, New Zealand.

The course is laid out over three paddocks, and as they are separated by hedges, and intersected by a deep gully, there are plenty of hazards.

TIVERTON.

TIVERTON GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED NOVEMBER 30TH, 1892.

Entrance Fee, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 40. *President*—A. L. Francis. *Hon. Treasurer*—R. S. Owen. *Committee*—S. H. Fisher, A. M. Ashton, Major S. H. Gardner, *Hon. Secretary*—Col. T. F. Todd, Hensleigh Cottage, Tiverton.

A Monthly Medal is played for.

The course is at present only a six hole one, and the hazards are hedges, ditches, and the river. It is close to the Great Western Railway Station. Visitors introduced by members may play two days free of charge; thereafter a charge of 2*s.* 6*d.* per week is imposed.

BLUNDELL'S SCHOOL GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1863.

President—A. L. Francis.

The President's Medal is played for in February, March, and November each year.

TODMORDEN.

TODMORDEN GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED NOVEMBER 7TH, 1894.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.* 6*d.*; Ladies, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 96. *Hon. President*—E. B. Fielden. *Hon. Vice-Presidents*—A. G. Eastwood, W. Ormerod, W. Sutcliffe, G. Sutcliffe. *President*—S. Fielden, J.P. *Committee*—Rev. J. R. Napier, Rev. A. Roberts, Fred Ashworth, A. R. Crossley, G. E. Dickenson, T. W. Horsfall. *Hon. Secretary*—E. Aitkin, Stansfield Cottage, Todmorden. *Greenkeeper*—P. Wynne.

The course is situated one mile from Todmorden, where there are two good hotels. It was opened for play on March 9th, 1895.

TONBRIDGE.

TONBRIDGE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED OCTOBER 4TH, 1893.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; Ladies, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*, Ladies, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, 60, and 29 ladies. *President*—Rev. J. Wood, D.D. *Vice-Presidents*—A. T. G. Boscawen, M.P., Sir Julian Goldsmid, Bart., C. F. Kemp, W. J. Wightwick. *Captain*—E. K. Le Fleming. *Committee*—Rev. A. Lucas, C. Bent, G. A. Floyd, J. Le Fleming, W. J. N. Griffith. *Hon. Secretary*—G. Furley, Oakdene, Dryhill Park, Tonbridge. *Greenkeeper*—H. Humphrey.

Club Prizes.—Bent Challenge Cup (scratch), at Easter; Club Silver Medal (scratch), at Easter and in October; Hon. Secretary's Challenge Clock (scratch score Monthly Medal competitions); President's Prize (holes, handicap), between February and Easter; Bronze Monthly Medals (medal and match play); Silver Medal (for winners of monthly medals), in October.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Monthly Medal: January, J. W. Little; February, W. Marchant; March, R. E. Marchant; April, J. Le Fleming; May, W. de L. Winter; June, C. Bent; July-August,

E. K. Le Fleming; September, C. Bent; October, L. B. Burns; November, J. Le Fleming. Bent Challenge Cup and Club Silver Medal (scratch, Captaincy): E. K. Le Fleming. Bogey Handicaps: Rev. A. Lucas and Rev. J. H. Hardy. Ladies' Doubles: Miss and Miss A. Le Fleming. Handicap: Miss M. L. Hall. Mixed Doubles: March, Mr. and Mrs. J. Le Fleming and A. L. Bickmore and Miss Wood (tie); May, A. L. Bickmore and Miss E. Armstrong. Ladies' Monthly Medal: October, Miss E. Armstrong; November, Miss Le Fleming; December, Miss A. Le Fleming.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 95, on April 21st, 1894, by J. Le Fleming.

The greens are situated at the Trench, about two miles from the railway station, and both are extremely sporting, but, owing to the clay soil, which is considerably affected by wet weather, it has been found necessary to alter the gentlemen's course, which now consists, as before, of nine holes. The ladies' course is also a nine hole one.

TORONTO

TORONTO GOLF CLUB.

No particulars forthcoming.

TORQUAY.

TORQUAY AND ST. MARYCHURCH GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1882.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Number of Members*, 86. *Captain*—General S. Knox-Gore. *Treasurer*—T. W. Thomson. *Hon. Secretary*—H. G. Cumming, Warberry Court, Torquay.

The course is situated at Wall's Hill, Babbacombe Down, within easy distance of Torquay and the railway stations. It is limited in area, consisting only of nine holes, but has admirable putting greens, good hazards (furze, stone walls, quarry, bunkers), and short crisp turf, and is a very fair inland green. The situation and views are unique. The clubhouse, which has been enlarged, is at Babbacombe—close to the ninth hole.

TORQUAY AND ST. MARYCHURCH LADIES' GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MARCH 24TH, 1890.

Entrance Fee, Five Shillings; *Annual Subscription*, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, 50 (the limit). *Committee*—Miss Livingston, Miss Wise, Miss McDonall, Miss Oldfield. *Hon. Secretary*—Miss E. Colhoun, Trelawney, Torquay.

During the months from October to April a medal is played for on the third Friday of each month, and a Spring Meeting is held in April.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Club Prize: Miss E. Colhoun, 87—8=79. Foursomes: Miss Pemberton and Miss Wollen. Club Prize: Miss Wise, 87—15=72 Committee Prize for lowest gross score (medal winners): Miss Pemberton, 87. Prize for Juniors (handicap): Miss C. Rose, 100—21=79.

TRICHINOPOLY.

TRICHINOPOLY GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1892.

The course is situated near the old artillery lines, and abounds in hazards such as rocks, trees, and nullahs.

TRINIDAD.

ST. ANDREWS GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 12TH OCTOBER, 1891.

Entrance Fee, Five Dollars; *Annual Subscription*, Five Dollars. *Number of Members*, 70; *President*—Sir J. S. Goldney. *Vice-President*—R. H. Henderson. *Captain*—J. R. Murray. *Committee*—T. McGregor, R. S. Reid, G. Lindsay, D. Munroe, R. G. Bushe, J. G. Taylor, A. J. Hamlyn, J. H. Hart. *Hon. Secretary*—J. Guill, Port of Spain, Trinidad.

Club Prizes.—Monthly Medal (handicap), and a Cup. R. Henderson won the Medal thrice in 1894.

The course, which is laid out on the Savannah at Port of Spain, consists of nine holes, and hazards are few, but the turf is rather difficult to play on at times. As Trinidad is now within fourteen days' journey of England, it is surprising that so few tourist golfers have visited it. As a health resort, it should attract those to whom a northern winter is rather trying. Hotel accommodation is good, and a new hotel within 150 yards of the first teeing ground has now been opened. There is a ladies' section, which bids fair to be a success.

NAPARIMA GOLF CLUB.

Captain—A. Riddell. *Hon. Secretary*—A. Lambie, San Fernando.

The course at San Fernando is said to be rather a queer one, though in what way we have not heard.

TROON.

TROON GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED OCTOBER, 1878.

Entrance Fee, 10*l.* 10*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 10*s.*; *Number of Members*, 595. *Hon. President*—The Duke of Portland. *Captain*—A. Wood. *Committee*—W. Renwick, J. Sturrock, W. J. Anderson, D. Mackay, R. Dundas, D. Fullarton. *Hon. Secretary and Treasurer*—W. Mackie, Union Bank, Troon. *Professional and Clubmaker*—Willie Fernie. *Greenkeeper*—G. Cockburn. *Caddie Master*—J. Manson.

Club Prizes. — Scratch: Dickie Cross; Hillhouse Cup, open to Ayrshire Clubs; Portland Gold Medal; and Morison Gold Medal. Handicap: Turner Cup; Easton Cup; Wood Cup; Edinburgh Silver Medal; St. Andrews Silver Cross; Anderson Cup; Sandhills Monthly Gold Medal.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Dickie Cross: E. D. Prothero, 82. Turner Cup: W. Law, 91—10=81, and J. Brown, 89—8=81, tied. Easton Cup: W. D. Strachan, 94—16=78, and A. Gilmour, 96—18=78, tied. Hillhouse Cup: T. Anderson, Prestwick G.C., 81. Portland Medal: Dr. Rowand, 84. Edinburgh Medal: Dr. Rowand, 84—6=78. John Wood Cup: D. G. L. Maclure, 91—16=75. Morison Medal: E. D. Prothero, 81. St. Andrews Cross: A. Porteous, 83—6=77. Silver Cleek: J. G. Jenkins, 94—14=80.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 78, by H. S. C. Everard, in 1888. Since, on improved links in ordinary play, 77, by J. Shaw.

Record for Green, 68, by W. Fernie, which is 3 below the par.

Full information relative to the green, which consists of eighteen holes, will be found in the ANNUAL for 1888-89.

Considerable improvements on the course are again being carried out, a fine new green having been formed at "Ailsa." A relief course of eighteen holes adjoining the present links is being laid out, which, when completed, will equal in character the old course, and will thus place the Troon links in the front rank of golfing courses in the United Kingdom or elsewhere.

Troon, on the Glasgow and South-Western Railway, is within an hour's journey from Glasgow, and twenty minutes from Kilmarnock, for passengers coming by Carlisle and the South. There is an excellent train service, and the railway company give members of the club special rates, the return fare from Glasgow, first-class, being 5*s.*, and from Kilmarnock 1*s.* 6*d.* A 'bus runs between the station and the links, the distance being done in a few minutes. The clubhouse is a very handsome building, erected at a cost of about 5000*l.* It contains club room, dining room, reading room, dressing rooms, lavatories, clubmaster's house adjoining, and clubmaker's shops. The links run

along close to the sea, and command a splendid view of Arran, Ailsa Craig, Firth of Clyde, &c. There is ample accommodation in Troon for the convenience of golfers and other visitors, and the South Beach Hotel is within three minutes' walk of the links.

TROON LADIES' GOLF CLUB. INSTITUTED AUGUST 22ND, 1882.

Entrance Fee, Five Shillings; *Annual Subscription*, Five Shillings; *Number of Members*, 89, and 39 juniors. *Committee*—Mrs. Mitchell, Mrs. Laidlaw, Miss MacMichael, Miss Walker, Miss Dundas, Miss J. Bishop, Miss Clark, Miss Gilmour. *Hon. Secretary*—Miss Bishop, 2, Hamilton Park-terrace, Hillhead, Glasgow. *Greenkeeper*—W. Fernie.

Club Prizes.—Gold Medal (scratch) and Easton Cup (handicap), in July; Silver Niblick and Cleek (foursome handicap), and Silver Medal (scratch), in August.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Miss K. Bishop, 65; Miss J. Park, 70—20=50; Miss J. Bishop, 60. Wood Prizes: 1st division, Miss Bishop, 62; 2nd division, Miss M. Dickie, 70—8=62; 3rd division, Miss Glen, 79—24=55.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 56, by Miss Bishop, on August 3rd, 1893.

A special course has been laid out on Troon Links, and over this course boys are allowed to play on paying a subscription of two shillings and sixpence to Ladies' Club.

UDDINGSTON.

CALDERBRAES GOLF CLUB.

No particulars forthcoming.

UITENHAGE.

UITENHAGE GOLF CLUB. INSTITUTED DECEMBER, 1891.

Hon. Secretary—J. Gibbs, Uitenhage, Cape Colony.

Club Prizes.—Monthly Medal, and Club Cup, quarterly.

Uitenhage Station is a short walk from the green, which is very rough.

ULVERSTON.

The directors of the Conishead Priory Hydropathic—about two miles south from Ulverston—have a course of nine holes on a part of their property, lying between the house and the sea beach at Morecambe Bay. The hazards are natural depressions in the ground, trees, and sand. The course is restricted to resident visitors at the Priory.

and as the turf is short and good, and the soil sandy, a game may always be depended on. There is also a short course for lady visitors. A series of finely-sheltered walks through the shrubberies lead to the course—the distance being easily covered in five minutes' time; and, once there, the visitor will enjoy to the full the healthful sea breezes from Morecambe Bay.

UMBALLA.

UMBALLA GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JANUARY, 1891.

Hon. Secretary—Surgeon-Major Wardrop, Umballa.

The club is affiliated to the Umballa Sports Club, and is represented on their Committee by the Hon. Secretary.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition and *Green Record*, 53, by G. L. Smith.

The course of twelve holes is a very good type of an Indian green.

UNITED STATES.

UNITED STATES GOLF ASSOCIATION, INSTITUTED DECEMBER 22ND, 1894.

President—T. A. Havemeyer (Newport G.C.). *Vice-Presidents*—L. Curtis (County Club, Brookline, Mass.), C. B. Macdonald (Chicago G.C.) *Hon. Treasurer*—S. L. Parrish (Shinnecock Hills G.C.) *Hon. Secretary*—H. O. Tallmadge, 102, Kemble-buildings, 25, Whitehall-street, New York City. These gentlemen form the Executive Committee.

The objects of the Association are to promote interest in the game of golf; the protection of the mutual interests of its members; to establish and enforce uniformity in the rules of the game by creating a representative authority, its Executive Committee to be a court of reference as a final authority in matters of controversy; to establish a uniform system of handicapping; and to decide on what course the Amateur and Open Championships shall be played.

The Association consists of Associate and Allied Clubs. The following clubs are Associate:—(1) Chicago Golf Club; (2) The County Club of Brookline, Mass.; (3) Newport Golf Club; (4) St. Andrews Golf Club of Yonkers; (5) Shinnecock Hills Golf Club, of Southampton, L.I.; (6) Essex County Club, Manchester, Mass.; (7) Richmond County Club, Staten Island, N.Y.; (8) Philadelphia County Club, and such other representative club or clubs as may hereafter be admitted.

Other clubs eligible to be admitted to membership in the Association as Associate Clubs shall be any representative clubs in an accessible part of the United States, where the course, accommodation, constitu-

tion, and bye-laws of the club are such as to make it nationally representative, and such clubs may be admitted on a four-fifths vote of the executive committee of the Association. Any regularly organised Golf Club in the United States may at any time be admitted as an Allied Club by a two-thirds vote of the Executive Committee upon subscribing to, and fulfilling the conditions of the Association's constitution and bye-laws.

The regular annual meeting of this Association shall be held in February in each year at such time and place as may be designated by the President, thirty days' notice being given and published. Each Associate Club shall have the right to be represented by two delegates, duly authorised, and their appointment certified to by their club secretary. Each Allied Club shall have the right to be represented by one delegate, but he shall have no power to vote.

The annual subscription for each Associate Club is 100 dols.; and for each Allied Club, 25 dols. Only persons members of clubs belonging to the Association can compete for the Amateur Championship, and competitors must enter for the competition through the Secretaries of their respective clubs, who, in sending in the names, shall be held to certify that the players are *bonâ fide* amateur golfers in terms of the St. Andrews definition. In both the Amateur and Open Championship Golf competitions the entrance fee shall be 5.00 dols. The Amateur Golf Championship shall be played by holes. The Open Golf Championship shall be decided by strokes. Both competitions shall be played in accordance with the rules of golf as adopted by the Royal and Ancient Golf Club of St. Andrews, in 1891, with such special rules as are in force on the green over which the competitions take place. In the Amateur Competition each game shall consist of one round of eighteen holes, with the exception of the final tie, which shall be played on a separate day over thirty-six holes. The winner of the competition shall be the Champion Amateur Golfer for the year, and the trophy shall be held for that year by the club from which the winner shall have entered. The winner shall receive a gold medal, the second a silver medal, the third and fourth bronze medals. The Open Championship prizes shall be as follows:—First, 200 dols. to the winner of the Championship, of which 50 dols. shall be expended on a gold medal, and 150 dols. given in money to a professional, or in plate to an amateur golfer. The winner to have custody of the Championship Cup, but he must, if required, give security for its safe keeping. Second, 100 dols. Third, 50 dols. Fourth, 25 dols. Fifth, 10 dols. The last four prizes shall go to professionals only.

UPPINGHAM.

UPPINGHAM GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED OCTOBER 14TH, 1892.

Annual Subscription, 1*l.* 1*s.* *President*—Rev. W. V. Bagshawe. *Captain*—Rev. C. A. C. Bowlker. *Committee*

—R. N. Douglas, T. E. Monckton, Rev. E. E. Law, Rev. J. E. Raven, G. Martineau, A. L. Taylor, H. L. Maynard, Rev. R. Waltham. *Hon. Secretary* — C. Edmonds, Uppingham.

Two scratch competitions are held annually, and there are also monthly handicaps.

The course is at Beaumont Chase, about a mile from Uppingham.

URMSTON.

ENTWISLE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MARCH, 1893.

Entrance Fee, 3*l.* 3*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 11*s.* 6*d.*; *Number of Members*, 90 (limit, 120). *President*—J. B. N. Entwisle. *Vice-Presidents*—Rev. E. H. Cooke, Rev. T. D. Harland, T. Chadwick, H. Galloway. *Captain*—S. J. Redfern. *Treasurer*—A. C. Wilson. *Committee*—Dr. Clegg, T. J. Rowland, P. Watson, S. Kneale, R. G. H. Tomson, H. Macbeth. *Hon. Secretary*—T. A. G. Wilson, The Oaks, Church-road, Urmston.

Club Prizes.—Gold and Silver Medals on second Saturdays of each month in winter and summer; Captain's Prize; Club Trophy.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Winter Medals: Gold, Rev. E. F. Leach; Silver, H. Macbeth. Summer Medals: Gold, S. Kneale; Silver, G. H. Wadsworth. Captain's Prize: J. F. Anderson. Club Trophy: Dr. Clegg. Chadwick Prize: R. Smith. Galloway Prize: W. Walker. Fiddis Prize: F. Baker.

Record for Green, 42, by F. Baker.

The course of nine holes is private. The greens are good, and there are natural hazards. The nearest station is Urmston, five miles from Manchester C.L.C. The ground is in a private park, one mile from the station; 1*s.* cab fare. Cabs meet each train. The course can be enlarged to eighteen holes when required. There is a club pavilion. There are two hotels in Urmston, and the Victoria Hotel faces the station.

UXBRIDGE.

HILLINGDON GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED OCTOBER, 1892.

Entrance Fee, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 2*l.* 2*s.* *Number of Members*, 50. *President*—F. Cox. *Captain*—G. T. Worsley. *Committee*—C. E. Stevens, W. H. Evans, J. C. Hibbert, F. C. Woodbridge, A. C. Bird, D. M. Grimsdale. *Hon. Secretary*—C. M. Newton, Hillingdon

House, Uxbridge. *Greenkeeper*—H Woods. *Professional*—J. Thomson (of North Berwick).

Club Prizes.—Club Scratch Prize and Club Handicap Prize, for winners of Monthly Medal, on Easter Monday. Secretary's Prize (American Tournament).

Prize Winner in 1894. Club Prize—A. L. Foley, 88 – 6 = 82.

Records for Green.—(1) Professional, 36, by J. Thomson, on March 16th, 1895; Amateur, 38, by N. C. Fowlie, on December 26th, 1894.

Uxbridge Station (G.W.R.)—forty-five minutes from Paddington—is a mile from green, which is situated at Hillingdon House Park. The course consists of nine holes, varying from 300 yards to 120 yards, and the hazards are wattle hurdles and ditches. There is a clubhouse.

VANCOUVER.

VANCOUVER GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED SEPTEMBER 12TH, 1894.

Entrance Fee, Two Dollars; *Annual Subscription*, Three Dollars; *Number of Members*, 32. *Hon. Presidents*—C. Sweeney, A. S. Hamersley. *Captain*—O. G. Evan-Thomas. *Committee*—D. Bell-Irving, H. H. Mackay, W. de V. le Maistre. *Hon. Secretary*—J. J. Cowan, P.O. Box 40, Vancouver, British Columbia. *Greenkeeper*—H. Eldon.

Club Prizes.—Championship of British Columbia, alternately at Victoria and Vancouver, in October, £10 Challenge Cup; Club Handicap; and Foursomes.

Prize Winners in 1894. Championship—W. E. Oliver, 102. Handicap: R. B. Johnson, 112 – 31 = 81.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 96, on November 18th, 1894, by O. G. Evan-Thomas.

Record for Green, 40, by O. G. Evan-Thomas, in November, 1894.

The course of nine holes is about two miles from Vancouver. Visitors can join on payment of a fee of 50 cents per week. The course is an artificial one, the distance round being about a mile and a half.

VICTORIA.

VICTORIA GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED OCTOBER, 1893.

Entrance Fee, Ten Dollars; *Annual Subscription*, Six Dollars (50 Cents a month); *Number of Members*, 70 (including 15 Ladies). *President*—Lieut.-Governor Hon. E. Dewdney. *Captain*—W. A. Ward. *Committee*—H. Combe, B. H. Tyrrwhitt-Drake, W. H. Langley, C. C. Worsfold, W. R. Wilson, G. H. Barnard, W. F. Galpin.

Hon. Secretary—C. B. Stahlschmidt, Temple Building, Fort-street, Victoria, British Columbia. *Greenkeeper*—W. Norman.

Record for Green, 94.

The course is situated at Oak Bay, about twenty minutes from the city.

WAKEFIELD.

WAKEFIELD GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED DECEMBER 4TH, 1891.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; Ladies, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; Ladies, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, 98, and 30 Ladies. *President*—W. Hurst. *Captain*—W. Creswick. *Treasurer*—C. W. L. Fernandes. *Committee*—J. A. Bean, W. V. Dixon, W. F. L. Horne, F. Lee, J. L. Lee, M. H. Peacock, W. H. Stewart, Dr. W. A. Statter. *Hon. Secretaries*—Dr. J. Murray, Love-lane, Wakefield; A. J. C. Stanfield, St. John's, Wakefield. *Greenkeeper*—G. Lambert.

Club Prizes.—Charlesworth Cup (scratch), on April 27th; Lee Cup, in March and September; Burn Cup, in May and November; Leatham Cup, in January and July; Hurst Trophy, in June; Monthly Medal, on third Saturday in each month; Ladies' Medal, on last Wednesday in each month (all handicap).

Prize Winners in 1894.—Charlesworth Cup: C. Leatham. Lee Cup: M. H. Peacock and J. F. Warrington. Burn Cup: J. Murray. Leatham Cup: B. Waterhouse and W. Creswick. Hurst Trophy: C. F. Badeley.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 85, by G. H. Peacock, in September, 1894.

Record for Green, 38, by G. Lambert.

The par of the round is 36.

The course of nine holes is laid out on the Heath Common, about a mile and a half from the centre of Wakefield. The hazards comprise whins, ponds, trees, ditches, &c. The turf for the most part is excellent, and the greens are gradually getting into first-class order. A 'bus runs to the course every hour. Sandal Station is half a mile from the green.

WALES.

WELSH GOLFING UNION, INSTITUTED JANUARY 11TH, 1895.

President—Lord Windsor. *Hon. Secretary*—Major Ruck. Aberdovey. *Hon. Treasurer*—J. M. Howell, Aberdovey.

A Championship Meeting will be held annually, at which two Challenge Cups will be offered for competition, the one open to teams of six from all affiliated clubs, and the other to members of affiliated clubs born or resident in Wales. This year's Championship will be held at Aberdovey in Whitsuntide week.

WALLASEY.

WALLASEY GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JUNE, 1891.

Entrance Fee, 10*l.* 10*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 3*l.* 3*s.*; *Non-Resident Members—Entrance Fee*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Non-Playing Members* — No Entrance Fee; *Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 300 (the limit). *Resident Professional*—R. Kirk.

The links are situated near the village of Wallasey, about fifteen minutes by rail from Liverpool on the New Brighton line. There is a large and handsome clubhouse, with every modern convenience. The course consists of eighteen holes, and is about three and a half miles round. The hazards are of the legitimate sort, consisting almost entirely of natural sand bunkers. From every tee there is a good carry, but for a fair driver good ground is always to be found. The greens, which are almost all natural, are as yet rather rough, but in a few years' time promise to be all that could be wished. A large amount has been spent on the course, but all who have seen it think the money has been judiciously spent. The record of the green so far is 79, by John Ball, jun. There are only two prize meetings—one in April, at which a Scratch Gold Medal (the gift of Messrs. F. J. and H. Harrison, the owners of the ground) is played for, and one in September, when the Cullen Scratch Medal is played for. It is hoped, however, that the club will be used by its members more for match play than for prize winning.

WALLINGFORD.

EWELME GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1894.

Number of Members, 40. *Hon. Secretary*—Rev. G. H. M. Hamilton, Ewelme, near Wallingford.

The course of nine holes is situated on a large open Common close to the village of Ewelme, which is about three miles from Wallingford and Watlington, and nine miles from Henley. There are a number of hazards. Visitors will find ample accommodation at the Greyhound Hotel, Ewelme.

WALTHAM CROSS.

NAZING COMMON GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED NOVEMBER 1ST, 1890.

The club has the advantage of playing over a private Common of five hundred acres, very prettily situated, and within easy access

of London. The Great Eastern Railway issue return tickets at single fare to members, and the Committee have arranged for cheap conveyances from Broxbourne, which is three miles from the clubhouse. The course is rapidly being brought into excellent order, and the undulating nature of the Common affords great variety in each of the eighteen holes. The post town is Waltham Cross, and there is a telegraph office close to the golf-house. The King Harold's Head, Nazing, is the clubhouse, and commands lovely views over Essex and Hertford. It is close to the green.

WALTON-ON-THAMES.

ASHLEY PARK GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JANUARY, 1891.

Walton Railway Station is close to the green, upon which the Ashley Park Hotel stands.

WANGANUI (NEW ZEALAND).

WANGANUI GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JUNE, 1894.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 25. *Captain*—G. W. Palmer. *Vice-Captain*—G. S. Robertson. *Hon. Secretary and Treasurer*—W. Callender. *Committee*—S. T. Fitzherbert, A. C. Lees, H. A. Lomax.

The green is about a mile and a half from Wanganui by road and rail (Heads Railway). Trains stop to put down and take up golfers. The course consists of nine holes, a mile and a half in length, and is an easy one.

WARKWORTH.

WARKWORTH GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED SEPTEMBER, 1891.

The course of twelve holes is laid out on Warkworth Links, which are admirably suited for the game with fine turf and plenty of good sporting hazards. The length of the course is 3410 yards, and the first teeing ground is within ten minutes' walk of Warkworth Bridge. Excellent lodgings may be had in the village, in which there are four hotels. Special arrangements are made for visitors using the course, about which the Secretary will be pleased to give every information.

WARMINSTER.

WARMINSTER GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED NOVEMBER 23rd, 1891.

The course of eighteen holes is situated on the Warminster Downs, and the hazards are natural bunkers, a chalk pit, &c. There is a pavilion on the green, which is about three-quarters of a mile from Warminster Station (G. W. Railway). Good accommodation can be got in the Bath Arms Hotel.

WARREN FARMS (U.S.A.).

WARREN FARM GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1894.

Hon. Secretary—A. Bowditch, 28, State-street, Boston.

The course is at Warren Farms (Mass.)

WARRENPOINT.

WARRENPOINT GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1893.

Annual Subscription, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 75. *President*—Major Hall. *Vice-President*—J. Mayne. *Captain*—Col. Cattell. *Committee*—T. Carey, A. Logan, W. J. Watson, J.P., D. Martin, J. J. F. Greene, J.P., Major Cuppaidge. *Hon. Secretary*—T. Bell, M.D., Coolhawn, Warrenpoint, Ireland. *Greenkeeper*—L. Carr.

Club Prize and Winner in 1894.—Great Northern Railway Cup (handicap), in May—H. C. Campbell.

Record for Course, 45.

The course of nine holes is one minute's walk from Warrenpoint Railway Station. There are plenty of hazards in the shape of roads, ditches, and hedges. There is a good clubhouse.

WARRINGTON.

PENKETH GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1894.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; Ladies, Ten Shillings and Sixpence. *Hon. President*—Hon. T. W. Legh, M.P. *Committee*—J. B. Aitken, J. F. Dutton, T. Glover, Dr. Peacocke, S. B. Jeans, J. R. O. Johnson, G. A. Morkill, W. K. Fowler. *Hon. Treasurer*—F. W. Gilbert. *Hon. Secretary*—T. Crosby, Ash Villa, Penketh, near Warrington. *Greenkeeper*—G. Davies.

Club Prizes. President's Cup, in September; Captain's Medal, monthly, from June to November; Committee's Prize, at Whitsuntide; Ladies' Prize, in August and September (all handicap).

Prize Winners in 1894.—President's Cup: W. J. Glover. Captain's Medal (final): Dr. Peacocke, 105 − 8 = 97. Committee's Prize: W. Dutton, 90 − 16 = 74. Ladies Prize (nine holes): Miss E. Dutton, 74 − 17 = 57.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 84, by W. J. Glover, in September, 1894.

Green Record, 40.

The course of nine holes is situated on the banks of the Mersey, about five minutes' walk from Fiddler's Ferry Station (L. and N.W.Ry.). There is accommodation for visitors at the Ferry Inn. Visitors (introduced) may play for one week free, afterwards on payment of 2*s.* 6*d.* per week, or 5*s.* per month.

WARWICK.

WARWICKSHIRE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED NOVEMBER 10TH, 1886.

Entrance Fee, 2*l.*; *Annual Subscription*, 2*l.* for members elected after November 1st, 1894; 1*l.* for those elected before that date; *Number of Members*, limited to 250. *Patrons*—Earl of Aylesford and Earl of Warwick. *President*—Hon. R. H. Lyttelton. *Captain*—H. E. D. Norris. *Committee*—A. Rotherham, W. M. Smythe, M. J. Paterson, A. F. H. Dyson, Major Armstrong, W. Bouch, J. P. Robertson, Major Kelso, M. T. Brown, H. T. Hickman. *Hon. Secretary*—F. C. Hunter-Blair, 38, Warwick-street, Leamington. *Greenkeeper*—W. Price. *Professional*—S. J. Cooper.

Club Prizes.—Warwickshire Gold Challenge Cross (scratch), open to all recognised amateur Golf Clubs in the County of Warwick; Club Silver Challenge Vase (handicap, members only); Foursome Prizes (handicap); Hunter Blair Silver Challenge Niblick (scratch); Club Silver Challenge Cup (handicap); Club Prize (handicap), for the best round of nine holes in the two Medal Competitions outside prize list, all at Spring Meeting, on April 24th, 25th, and 26th; Club Silver Challenge Bowl (scratch), for the best aggregate score of the four Medal Competitions, at Spring and Autumn Meetings; Ashton Silver Challenge Prize (handicap), for the best aggregate score of the same four Medal Competitions—if won three times to be retained; Shaw Gold Challenge Medal, conferring the Captaincy of the Club for 1895-96; Alcock Silver Challenge Cup (handicap); Club Prizes (Handicap Foursomes); Warwickshire Silver Challenge Cross (scratch), open to all recognised

amateur Golf Clubs in the County of Warwick; Club Silver Challenge Shield (handicap), Club Prize (handicap), for best round of nine holes in the two Medal Competitions outside prize list. Kenilworth Challenge Shield (scratch), open to all recognised amateur Golf Clubs in the County of Warwick, the lowest individual scorer to be the winner on behalf of the Club which he represents, all at Autumn Meeting on October 16th, 17th, 18th, and 19th. Club Monthly Cup (handicap) on the last Saturday of each month, final in March. Graham-Savile Silver Challenge Cups (foursomes handicap), on second Saturdays of March, June, September, and December, if won four times consecutively to be retained; Military Gold Challenge Medal (handicap) on May 4th and November 16th; Club Prize, for the best score against Bogey in each month, commencing in March, final in March, 1896.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Warwickshire Gold Cross: W. Bouch, 89. Club Silver Vase and Wilson Prize: Rev. A. P. Dodd, 98 – 15 = 83. Shaw Foursome Prizes: H. W. Bainbridge, H. Smith-Turberville, 98 – 10 = 88. Hunter Blair Silver Niblick: A. Rotherham, 88. Club Silver Cup and Hatherell Prize: H. E. D. Norris, 90 – 9 = 81. Club Prize (best single round): Spring, E. Kennard, 49 – 11 = 38. The Club Cup, 1893-4 (final): St. J. A. Cox, 92 – 10 = 82. Military Gold Medal: May, H. E. D. Norris, 87 – 6 = 81; November, Hon. and Rev. R. C. Moncreiff, 86 – 3 = 83. Club Cup: January, C. G. C. Mallam, 106 – 15 = 91; February, H. Rotheram, 97 – 7 = 90; March, T. Latham, 90 – 9 = 81; April, W. M. Smythe, 95 – 12 = 83; May, E. J. Vavasour, 97 – 18 = 79; June, Captain Osborne, 96 – 18 = 78; July, Rev. A. P. Dodd, 91 – 12 = 79; August, F. M. G. Abell, 84 – 5 = 79; September, Hon. and Rev. W. R. Verney, 98 – 13 = 85; October, H. T. Hickman, 95 – 16 = 79; November, C. G. C. Mallam, 100 – 12 = 88; December, J. A. F. Moncreiff, 97 – 6 = 91. Shaw Gold Medal: H. E. D. Norris, 87. Alcock Silver Cup: H. E. D. Norris, 87 – 4 = 83. Foursome Prizes: H. W. Bainbridge, H. Smith-Turberville, 90 – 9 = 81. Warwickshire Silver Cross: W. Bouch, 84. Club Shield: C. J. L. Carson, 90 – 8 = 82. Club Silver Bowl: W. Bouch, 354. Ashton Silver Inkstand: Rev. A. P. Dodd (handicap 10), 346. Kenilworth Silver Shield: W. Bouch, 86. Ashton Bogey Prize: January, T. Latham (9), 3 down; February, M. T. Brown (9), 10 down; March, W. Bouch (scr.), 1 down; April, F. M. G. Abell (5), halved; May, F. M. G. Abell (5), halved; June, M. T. Brown (10), 1 up; July, F. M. G. Abell (5), 5 up; August, Hon. and Rev. W. R. Verney (16), 5 up; September, F. M. G. Abell (5), 2 down; October, no competitors; November, T. Latham (8), 2 up; December, no competitors. The Graham-Savile Foursome Cups: H. W. Bainbridge and J. F. Wright.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, over present course, 84, by W. Bouch, on October 18th, 1893, and October 19th, 1894; and by F. M. G. Abell, on August 25th, 1894.

The course is a nine hole one, abounding in hazards and obstacles of every description, with good lies throughout, and may now be safely said to challenge comparison with any inland green. Several new bunkers have been constructed during the past year at the unguarded holes, and the play is always of interest. Great improvements have

also been effected in the club accommodation at the Wheatsheaf Hotel, where the members have now the exclusive use of a large dining room, smoking room, and locker room, with lavatories and all other requisites attached. The course is about half a mile from the Great Western Railway Station at Warwick, and two miles from the Great Western and North-Western Stations at Leamington. Tramcars run every few minutes from Leamington, the Warwick terminus being only three minutes' walk from the course. There is excellent stabling at the Wheatsheaf Hotel. Visitors may be introduced by any member for three consecutive days free, and for each subsequent week in the club year by weekly payment of 5*s*.

WARWICKSHIRE LADIES' GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MAY, 1887.

Entrance Fee—Five Shillings; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l*. 1*s*.; Gentlemen, Five Shillings; *Number of Members*, 80. *Patroness*—Dowager Countess of Warwick. *Patron*—H. G. Hutchinson. *President*—Hon. Mrs. R. H. Lyttelton. *Committee*—Mrs. S. C. Smith, Mrs. Page, Mrs Grundy, Miss Brown, Mrs. Wilson, Miss Moore, Miss E. P. Baly, Miss Humphreys. *Hon. Secretary*—Miss O. S. Baly, The Butts, Warwick. *Greenkeeper*—H. Gibbs.

Club Prizes.—Dowager Countess of Warwick's Gold Medal (scratch), for Captaincy in May; Monthly Silver Medal (handicap); Boothby Gold Medal (scratch), every three months. Mrs. Gaitskell won the Gold Medal in 1894.

The course, which is situated on the old cricket ground, consists of nine holes. A hedge and ditch, to be crossed twice, two brooks and a pond are the hazards. The course has been enlarged by the addition of a field.

WASHINGTON (U.S.A.)

WASHINGTON GOLF CLUB,

Hon. Secretary—E. F. Riggs, Washington.

WELLINGBOROUGH.

WELLINGBOROUGH GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED NOVEMBER, 1893.

Entrance Fee, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Annual Subscription*, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, 100 ladies and gentlemen. *President*—Hon. G. Fitzwilliam. *Vice-Presidents*—D. Dulley, C. Woolston, E. Sharman, C. Praed, J. Heygate, Dr. W. Clark. *Captain*

—W. Robinson. *Committee* — W. H. Hope, J. W. Fisher, W. E. Audland, P. E. Dulley, C. Sharman, H. W. Miller, J. T. Parker. *Hon. Treasurer*—C. Pell. *Hon. Secretary*—W. W. Robinson, High-street, Wellingborough. *Greenkeeper*—A. Shepherd.

A medal is played for on the last Thursday of each month.

Green Record, 44, by J. Tabor, professional. The par of the round is 39.

The course of nine holes is situated at West Farm, about one mile from Wellingborough Station. The turf is good, and is always dry, as the course lies high. The hazards are pits, ditches, trees, a hedge, and whins. There are two holes of 500 yards, and the shortest holes, of which there are three, are 250 yards.

Visitors, one week free, subsequent weeks 2s. 6d. per week, on being introduced by a member.

WELLINGTON (NEW ZEALAND).

HUTT GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JUNE 4TH, 1892.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Hon. Secretary*—C. H. Treadwell, Wellington, N.Z.

The course is situated in the Hutt Park, Wellington, and was fully described in the special article, "Birth of Golf at Wellington, New Zealand," in the ANNUAL for 1892-3.

WEMYSS.

WEMYSS GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED APRIL 18TH, 1857.

The course is one of nine holes, lying between Wemyss Castle and East Wemyss, Fifeshire. On the north side there is rising ground extending the whole length of the course, while the sea beach is on the south side. Wemyss Castle Railway Station is only five minutes' walk from the links. The village of East Wemyss is a favourite resort for summer visitors.

WENHAM DEPOT (U.S.A.)

MYOPHIA HUNT CLUB,

Hon. Secretary—F. D. Buck, Wenham Depot (Mass.)

WESTGATE-ON-SEA.

WESTGATE-ON-SEA GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MARCH 28TH, 1883.

The course, which is situated about a quarter of a mile from the town, consists of nine holes. There are three hotels in the town.

Visitors are admitted to play, on the introduction of a member, for not more than two days in one year, at two shillings per day. Other charges: one week, seven shillings and sixpence; one month, 1*l.* 1*s.*

WEST KILBRIDE.

WEST KILBRIDE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MARCH, 1893.

Entrance Fee, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 11*s.* 6*d.*; Ladies, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, 39, and 12 ladies. *Captain*—H. P. Brown. *Hon. Treasurer*—A. Gray. *Committee*—J. Millar, R. G. Paterson, J. T. Costigane, J. Steven, F. D. Rait. *Hon. Secretary*—D. A. Boyd, Seamill, West Kilbride. *Greenkeeper*—J. Drummond.

Club Prizes.—Captain's Medal on first Saturday of each month, and special prizes during the season.

Record for Green, 40, by W. Welsh, Machrihanish G.C., in July, 1894; and by A. D. Crawford, Kilmalcolm G.C., in August, 1894. The par of the round is 40.

The course of eighteen holes is situated at Ardneil Bay, about a mile and a quarter from West Kilbride Railway Station (G. and S. W. Ry.), and a like distance from the coast villages of Seamill and Portincross, in all which places visitors can be accommodated. There are hotels at West Kilbride, a Hydropathic at Seamill, and numerous villas and lodgings in the district which are let by the week or month. A proposal to reduce the entry money and annual subscription will, it is expected, be adopted during the ensuing season.

WEST LINTON.

WEST LINTON GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JUNE 7TH, 1890.

Annual Subscription, Five Shillings; *Number of Members*, 93. *Captain*—G. H. Gibson-Carmichael. *Treasurer*—J. Alexander. *Committee*—J. Mowbray, Dr. Clark, Rev. S. McLintock, R. Alexander, R. Macpherson, W. Mackie, R. Aitken. *Hon. Secretary*—R. Millar, West Linton.

Club Prizes.—Thorburn Medal (scratch), in June; Millar Memorial Champion Gold Medal (presented by old scholars of the Hon. Secretary as a mark of their esteem for their old master) and Lewis Medal (handicap), in August; Martin Medal (handicap), on third Saturdays in January, April, July, and October (winner thrice in succession to retain.)

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 77, by E. King and J. Mowbray.

The course of nine holes is on the farm of North Slipperfield, on a spur of the Pentland Hills, about a mile above the village of West Linton, and half a mile further from Broomlee Station. Being circular, there is no crossing. It was laid out by the Secretary, an old St. Andrews golfer. The par of the round, which is about a mile and a quarter in length, is 33. The train service from Edinburgh to Broomlee is fairly convenient, there being five runs a day each way, the time taken on the journey being a little over an hour. West Linton is a favourite summer resort, there being excellent fishing to be had in the neighbourhood, while the air is pure and bracing. Non-members may use the green and clubhouse on payment of the following charges—a year, two shillings and sixpence; fortnight—one shilling and sixpence; week—one shilling; single day, sixpence. During the season of 1894 the course was much patronised, and is now greatly improved. Ladies' and children's and visitors' matches were held, and West Linton team of eight carried off the Gibson Carmichael County Cup, competed for by teams from West Linton, Peebles, and Inverleithen.

WESTON-SUPER-MARE.

WESTON-SUPER-MARE GOLF CLUB. INSTITUTED AUGUST, 1892.

The links run along the seashore among the sandhills, and there are plenty of hazards in the shape of sand bunkers. Weston-super-Mare Station (G.W.R.) is a five minutes' drive from the clubhouse, and five minutes from the Grand Atlantic Hotel. The clubhouse has separate dressing and sitting rooms for ladies and gentlemen.

WESTWARD HO!

ROYAL NORTH DEVON GOLF CLUB. INSTITUTED APRIL 4TH, 1864.

Entrance Fee and Annual Subscription; Number of Members*, limited to 600. *Patron*—H.R.H. Prince of

* *Entrance Fee—Subscription.*—The Entrance Fee shall be Ten Guineas, and the Annual Subscription shall be Ten Shillings and Sixpence, due on the 1st of January in every year. Sons of members, half the above entrance fee.

(I.) All Members playing on the Green at any time in any one year shall pay the sum of One Pound as and for Green Money for that year.

(II.) All Members residing within the County of Devon, and other Members who are in residence for three months during any one year, and playing on the green, shall pay a further sum of Ten Shillings.

(III.) Any Member elected after the Autumn shall be required to pay the Annual Subscription, but shall not be liable for Green Money for that year.

Life Members.—Any Member of the Club entitled to vote and not in arrear with his Subscription or Green Money, may become a Life Member on payment of Ten Guineas.

Members abroad.—Members residing for one whole year beyond the United Kingdom shall not be liable for any Subscription for that year, provided they shall have given to the Secretary previous notice of their intention to be so absent.

Wales. *Vice-Patrons*—Lord Clinton and Earl of Stair, K.T. *President*—Lieut.-Col. Winterscale. *Committee*—T. G. J. Heathcote, Rev. R. W. Sealy, J. C. McLaren, St. C. K. M. Stobart, W. E. Dunsford, G. C. Davie, Capt. Gordon. *Trustees for Debenture Holders*—Lieut.-Col. Winterscale, C. S. Carnegie, G. Gorton. *Hon. Secretary*—Major Winter, York House, Bideford. *Hon. Treasurer*—G. Gorton. *Resident Professional*—C. Gibson.

Club Prizes.—Easter Meeting—Tuesday, April 16th, Fowler Cup (handicap under 9) and G. D. Leman and C. A. Smith's Prize (handicap over 9), by holes. Wednesday, April 17th, Easter Gold Challenge Medal (scratch), open to all clubs; Challenge Cup (handicap), to be played for six times, the winners to compete for final possession under a special handicap, on the score of the medal round of the Friday of the Autumn Meeting, 1895; Boyd Prize (handicap), for last half round, anyone winning it twice to retain it; if not won by Whitsuntide, 1897, then the nine winners to compete under a special handicap for its final possession, on the score of the medal round of the Friday of the Whitsuntide Meeting, 1897. Thursday, April 18th, Foursome Competition (handicap, Bogey). Friday, April 19th, Gold Challenge Cross (scratch); Silver Challenge Cross (scratch), for members who have not won a first-class prize, and are not scratch players, and have not won it before; Challenge Belt (scratch), for the lowest aggregate scratch scores of the two medal days; United University Club Challenge Bowl (handicap); Gorton Prize (same conditions as Boyd Prize). *Whitsuntide Meeting*—Tuesday, June 4th, Foursome Tournament (handicap, match play). Wednesday, June 5th, Prince of Wales' Gold Challenge Medal (scratch); Blackheath Badge (scratch), for second score; Gosset Silver Brooch (handicap), retained if not won before, open to all clubs; should a previous winner win it again he takes a Club Prize, and the second net score the Brooch. Friday, June 7th, Gold Challenge Medal (scratch), open to all clubs; Moncrieff Challenge Cross (scratch), for the first local player not winning the Gold Medal; Lindesay-Bennett Gold Challenge Medal, for the best aggregate scratch score of the two medal days, open to all clubs; Bideford Town Trophy (handicap), anyone winning it three times to retain it; White Challenge Badge (members only), for the lowest aggregate net score of the two medal days; Eldon Cup (members only), for lowest aggregate net score of two medal days. *Autumn Meeting*—Tuesday, September 10th, Schoolmasters' Cup (handicap, match play), anyone winning thrice to retain. Wednesday, September 11th, Hope Grant Gold Challenge Medal (scratch); open to all clubs; Oliphant Challenge Silver Clubs (scratch), for second lowest score, open to all clubs. Thursday, September 12th, Foursome Competition (medal play, handicap). Friday, September 13th, Silver Club Medal (scratch), any member having won it before will only receive a bar of silver on the ribbon of the former medal;

Moncrieff Challenge Cross (scratch), for the second player; Lind Testimonial, for the best aggregate scratch score of two medal days; Bideford Town Trophy (handicap), conditions as before; Monthly Medal (handicap) on the last Saturday of each month, with special prize presented by Mr. A. Law, to winner of final; President's Prize, for the lowest aggregate two net scores of the six medal days; Whirton Prize (net tournament), commencing on Monday, August 5th.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, and Record for the Green, 79, by H. M. Braybrooke, at the Easter Meeting of this year, the details being:

Out ..... 5 4 4 5 5 4 4 4 5—40;
In ..... 5 4 4 5 4 3 4 5 5—39; —79.

The par of the round is 75.

The links, about a mile distant from Westward Ho! are the well known Northam Burrows, which comprise upwards of 1000 acres, and command exquisite views of the Atlantic, Bristol Channel, Exmoor, Lundy Island, Hartland Point, and the estuary of the twin rivers Torridge and Taw. The course, as now laid out, starts from the hither side of a burn, immediately in front of the clubhouse. Two new holes have thus been introduced on the outward journey; for these the hazards consist mainly of rushes and small watercourses, which in summer are dry. After this a return is made to the old-established line, conspicuous for the vast bunkers—before which those of almost every other green sink into insignificance—for the tall rushes, which catch the devious driver and oft-times impale his person, and for these wonderful lies throughout the green which have ever been the great boast of Westward Ho! By means of this lengthening of the course, crossing can be now almost entirely avoided. The last hole is just over the burn and in front of the club windows, and the finish to it promises to be unusually full of incident—and accident. Thus has been introduced another element of danger into a course which has always been considered a model school for acquiring proficiency in the art of playing out of sand. The length of Medal Course, measured in 1889 by Mr. Saunders, the Ordnance Surveyor, from tee to hole, is: Out—first hole, 392yds. 1ft.; second, 286yds.; third, 290yds. 1ft.; fourth, 413yds. 2ft.; fifth, 358yds. 2ft.; sixth, 305yds. 2ft.; seventh, 205yds. 2ft.; eighth, 248yds.; ninth, 369yds. 2ft.; total 2870yds. In—tenth, 317yds. 2ft.; eleventh, 295yds. 1ft.; twelfth, 264yds.; thirteenth, 462yds. 1ft.; fourteenth, 297yds.; fifteenth, 205yds. 2ft.; sixteenth, 210yds. 1ft.; seventeenth, 460yds. 1ft.; eighteenth, 418yds. 1ft.; total 2871yds. Total length, 5741yds.; or, 3¼ miles 21yds. This now famous resort is situated in close proximity to Bideford, and, although at first sight it may seem a far cry from London to North Devon, the railway journey can be accomplished in six hours, and that, too, without a change. Omnibuses meet all the trains and convey passengers to Westward Ho! three miles off. There is a first-class club, the "Union," not

quite a mile from the Golf Club House, containing a handsome reading room, two billiard rooms, card room, &c., all as well appointed as any of the principal metropolitan houses. Of this golfers are the principal patrons; indeed, the prosperity of so out-of-the-way a place is entirely due to the unrivalled facilities which it offers for engaging in the royal and ancient game. Visitors are recommended to Torridge, Rowena, and Villa boarding houses, and Fosketh House. The Royal Hotel, Westward Ho! is now under new management, and can also be recommended.

Except during the week preceding and the week of a meeting, any member may admit a friend or friends to the use of the clubhouse and green for three days on payment of 1*s.*, by writing the name or names of such friends in the guests' book, and dating and signing the entry.

The same person or persons cannot be again admitted during the current year, except under the regulations for visitors. Any member can personally admit a friend or friends into the clubhouse without entering his or their name or names in the guests' book, but such visitor or visitors can only remain in the clubhouse whilst the admitting member is there, and he or they are not eligible to play on the green except under the rules for guests and visitors.

Visitors may be admitted to the use of the clubhouse and green by having their names entered in the visitors' book by a member, or if they are members of any recognised golf club, by the Secretary, on production of a formal introduction from their club Secretary, for eight weeks only in one club year, on payment of 2*s.* 6*d.* a day or 10*s.* a week, except during the week preceding and the week of a meeting, when there will be an additional charge of 2*s.* 6*d.* a day, or 10*s.* a week. The above payments of 10*s.* or 1*l.* shall entitle a visitor to play for a week from the date of payment. All payments must be made in advance. In the event of the above payments not being made by the visitor, the admitting member shall be held liable for the amount due.

NORTHAM GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1888.

Hon. Secretary—L. Chapple, Castle-street, Northam, North Devon.

Club Prizes. Gold Medal and Silver Cup on Easter and Whit Mondays.

The club play on the Royal North Devon Links.

WESTWARD HO! AND NORTH DEVON LADIES' GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1868. RE-CONSTITUTED DECEMBER 1ST, 1893.

Entrance Fee, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Annual Subscription*, Ten Shillings and Sixpence. *President*—Mrs. W.

Hoare. *Committee*—Mrs. A. H. Boyd, Miss I. Bowles, Miss L. Gosset, Miss Jones, Miss Hamilton, Lady Margaret Scott. *Hon. Secretary and Treasurer*—W. Hoare. *Greenkeeper*—F. Hearn.

Club Prizes.—Club Gold Medal (scratch), and Club Silver Medal (scratch) for first and second scores at May and August meetings; also Handicap and Foursome prizes at same meeting. Monthly Medal (handicap) on last Wednesday of each month.

The links are close to those of the Royal North Devon Golf Club, and consist of nine holes, the circuit being 1895 yards, longest hole 380, shortest 120 yards. The putting greens are splendid, and the hazards are numerous.

Any lady member or honorary member may introduce a lady to play on the links for three consecutive days without payment, and friends staying in members' houses may be introduced to play on the links for one week without payment, after which period a payment of three shillings and sixpence a week in advance shall be made, the introducing member being responsible for the payment, such privilege of free play to be enjoyed only once a year.

WEST WRATTING PARK.

WEST WRATTING PARK GOLF CLUB.

No particulars forthcoming.

WEYMOUTH.

WEYMOUTH GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED FEBRUARY, 1894.

Annual Subscription, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 50. *Committee*—General C. Horne, Colonel B. Gordon, Dr. P. Simpson, Dr. A. McLean, Commander G. Wingfield, R.N., Staff-Paymaster J. K. Mosse, R.N. *Hon. Secretary*—W. B. Risk, Paymaster-in-Chief, R.N., St. Elmo, Weymouth.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Major J. Spens, 112; Colonel Sparkes, 107.

The course of eighteen holes is about four miles from Weymouth Station, close to Radipole village. By arrangement with the proprietor of the Belvedere Mews, players will be conveyed to the ground at 6*d.* each, in parties of four and upwards. There is a club-house on the ground, where refreshments are provided. Visitors are admitted to play on payment of 1*s.* a day or 5*s.* a week. Visitors' family ticket, 10*s.* a week; lady players, 2*s.* a week. There is a separate course for ladies. There are several very sporting holes, and the course is about three and half miles in circuit.

WHITBY.

WHITBY GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED DECEMBER 4TH, 1891.

Annual Subscription, Ten Shillings; *Number of Members*, 50. *President*—Marquis of Normanby. *Vice-Presidents*—E. W. Beckett, M.P., Rev. E. B. Hare. *Captain*—J. Moore *Hon. Secretary*—R. B. L. Johnston, Elford, Whitby. *Greenkeeper*—J. Hill.

A medal is played for on last Wednesday in each month. Winners in 1894—E. F. Dodsworth, T. N. Preston, R. B. L. Johnston, R. Raine, J. Moore.

The course of nine holes is situated about five minutes' walk from Goathland Station, and the clubroom is at the Goathland Hotel. Good accommodation for visitors is to be had both there and at the Malyon Spout Hotel. The course is surrounded by moors, and is some hundreds of feet above sea level. Goathland is about twenty minutes' run from Whitby.

WHITLEY.

WHITLEY GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED OCTOBER 10TH, 1890.

Entrance Fee, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, Ten Shillings and Sixpence. *Number of Members*, 90, and 35 ladies. *President*—J. G. Joicey. *Vice-Presidents*—Sir H. Williamson, Bart., G. F. Boyd, R. S. Donkin, M.P., A. H. Whitehorn, J. Tennant, J. H. Burn, L. W. Adamson, T. Milvain, Q.C. *Captain*—F. W. Wyndham. *Committee*—R. Philipson, Dr. A. Wilson, Dr. W. Ridley, J. Hansell, G. F. Charlton, J. B. Radcliffe, W. B. Shaw. *Hon. Secretary*—F. T. Ridley, 6, Ellison-place, Newcastle-upon-Tyne. *Greenkeeper*—J. Mitchinson.

Club Prizes.—Davison Challenge Cup (scratch); Donkin Challenge Cup (scratch); and Wyndham Cup (handicap), in April; Donkin Cup (handicap, Bogey), twelve competitions, twice a month.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Davison Challenge Cup: F. T. Ridley and Dr. J. Limont tied with 85. Donkin Challenge Cup: F. T. Ridley, 85. Wyndham Cup: Dr. J. Limont.

Green Record, 36, by Professor R. Howden, on December 21st, 1894.

The course of nine holes is an easy fifteen minutes' walk from Monkseaton Station, and caddies usually meet the likely trains. Owing to the large influx of visitors in the summer to Tynemouth, Cullercoats, and Whitley, which are all in close proximity along the coast, golf is impracticable on the somewhat narrow course at that time of the year. Thus, being a winter course alone, the number of visitors to the club is very small.

WICK.

WICK GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1870.

Annual Subscription, Ten Shillings; *Number of Members*, 45. *President*—Sheriff Thoms. *Captain*—A. W. Henderson. *Hon. Treasurers*—W. Dick and A. K. Miller. *Committee*—Dr. Banks, J. Harrison, S. S. Goudie, C. Fletcher. *Hon. Secretary* — Major J. H. Henderson, Rosebank House, Wick.

Club Prizes.—Club Medal (scratch) and Sheriff Thoms' Star (handicap), in May and October; Captain's Trophy for best eight scores in monthly handicaps.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Club Medal: May and October, C. Fletcher. Sheriff Thoms' Star: May, A. Gordon; October, R. J. Sinclair. Captain's Trophy: C. Fletcher.

Reiss Links, situated amidst beautiful scenery, and skirting Sinclair's Bay to a distance of two miles, form part of Quoys of Reiss Farm, to the tenant of which the club is indebted for the free use of the green. The course consists of nine holes, and hazards in the form of small streams, clumps of bent, and sand bunkers, make play extremely difficult to all but long and sure drivers. The par of the round is 35. There is a golf house at the course. The nearest railway station is at Wick, about three miles distant, and there are two good hotels in Wick.

WILMSLOW.

WILMSLOW GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED OCTOBER, 1889.

Entrance Fee, 5*l.* 5*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 125. *President*—H. Boddington. *Captain*—F. Haworth. *Hon. Treasurer*—P. Swanwick. *Committee*—J. W. Beaumont, R. A. Bradley, W. W. Barlow, H. Hughes, W. H. Welsh, J. D. Hobkirk, F. Godlee, W. Wood, W. P. Cobbett. *Hon. Secretary*—J. A. Tweedale, Hawthorne House, Wilmslow, and 78, King-street, Manchester. *Greenkeeper*—A. Rathbone.

Club Prizes.—Boddington Cup and Haworth Cup, on the second Saturday of each month, from October to March inclusive; Captain's and Hon. Secretary's Prizes, and Foursome Prizes, by match play, beginning in April; Scratch Medal on first and last winter competition days; Ashford Cup, by match play, open to four winners of competitions in April, May, June, and July; Alderley Cup (aggregate).

Prize Winners in 1894.—Boddington Cup: V. Bellhouse, T. A. Broadley, J. A. Tweedale, A. N. Cumming, W. W. Barlow, G.

Brinham, and J. Kent Ford. Haworth Cup: W. Wood, R. R. Schofield, J. B. Parkinson, E. L. Herapath, F. Haworth, and T. S. Beaumont. Scratch Medal: V. Bellhouse, and G. Brinham. Alderley Cup: A. N. Cumming. Ashford Cup: J. A. Tweedale. Captain's Prize: W. W. Barlow. Hon. Secretary's Prize: T. H. Mills. Foursome Prizes: A. N. Cumming and W. W. Barlow.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 82, by C. S. Hoare, on December 8th, 1894.

Record for Green, 72, by H. H. Hilton, on March 6th, 1894.

The course of eighteen holes is of a sporting character, and the greens are uniformly good. The clubhouse is about one mile from the Wilmslow and Alderley Edge Stations (L. and N.W.R.), and is on the course. Wilmslow is twelve miles from Manchester. Visitors are always welcome, and may play for seven days free.

WILMSLOW LADIES' GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1893

Annual Subscription, Ten Shillings and Sixpence; *Number of Members*, 50 (the limit). *Captain*—Mrs. J. A. Tweedale. *Hon. Secretary*—Miss Nancy Cobbett, Woodlands, Wilmslow. *Committee*—Mrs. Haworth, Miss Ford, Miss Gemmell, Miss Beaumont, Miss Lathbury.

The ladies play over nine selected holes of the Wilmslow Golf Club course. A separate clubhouse for their use has been erected. A competition is held on the first Thursday in each month for a challenge cup and accompanying memento.

WILPSHIRE.

WILPSHIRE AND DISTRICT GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JUNE 20TH, 1890.

Entrance Fee, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Number of Members*, 70. *President*—J. Rutherford. *Vice-Presidents*—E. Appleby, F. Pickop-Dutton, J. W. Stones. *Hon. Treasurer*—J. W. Sharples. *Captain*—M. Brothers. *Committee*—J. N. Withers, R. A. Pippett, J. Bertwistle, C. F. Critchley, J. S. Pollitt, J. Crabtree. *Hon. Secretary*—J. Hargreaves, Thorncliffe, Wilpshire, near Blackburn. *Greenkeeper*—T. Sefton.

Club Prizes.—Scratch Medal on first Saturday in October; Pickop-Dutton Cup (handicap), on second Saturday in October; Captain's Prize, for three best net scores out of nine monthly competitions.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Scratch Medal: J. Hargreaves, 98. Pickop-Dutton Cup: Dr. Irvin, 100 − 10 = 90. Captain's Prize: J. Hargreaves.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 94, by J. Fish, on July 14th, 1894.

Record for Green, 40, by J. Ball, jun., on November 11th, 1893.

The course of nine holes has been considerably extended and improved, and now measures over a mile and a half. It is situated about three minutes' walk from Wilpshire Station (Lancashire and Yorkshire Railway). Being on high ground, the view is magnificent, comprising the greater part of the Ribble Valley. The hazards consist of whins, rushes, hedges, ditches, walls, pits, and a quarry, and are utilised in such a way that long drivers have a great pull. Accommodation for visitors can be had at the Wilpshire Hotel adjoining the green, at which place the clubroom is situated.

WINCHESTER.

WINCHESTER GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED SEPTEMBER, 1888.

Professional—J. H. Taylor.

The course of eighteen holes is situated on the top of Morahill, to the east of the city, between the Alresford and Petersfield Roads. It is about three miles in length, and the greens are fast getting into excellent order. The absence of hazards in the shape of furze, and sand bunkers, is compensated for by a deep ravine, by the circumstance that players have to cross the highway twice, as well as by the frequent mounds and other irregularities of the ground. The railway station is about one mile from the course, and good accommodation may be had at the George and Royal Hotels.

WINCHFIELD.

HARTLEY WINTNEY GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JUNE, 1891.

Winchfield Station (L. and S.W.R.) is two miles from the course. A 'bus meets fast trains, and flies are always available for hire. There is good accommodation at the Lamb Hotel, Hartley-row, opposite the course, which is in Elvetham Park. It is a nine hole one, with good natural hazards.

HOOK GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED APRIL 23RD, 1892.

Entrance Fee, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, within ten-mile radius, 1*l.* 1*s.*; beyond, 10*s.* 6*d.* *Number of Members*, 40. *President*—Sir H. Mildmay. *Captain*—J. H. Driver. *Committee*—W. H. Bayley, Rev. J. W. Chadwick, C. B. Conran, Colonel Murray, Dr. C. Pound. *Hon. Secretary*—P. F. Morton, Hook House, near Winchfield, Hants.

Club Prize.—Ladies' Challenge Cup (handicap), at Autumn Meeting
Prize Winners in 1894.—Mayo Prize (scratch): P. F. Morton. Ladies' Cup: A. L. Seenton.

The clubhouse and first tee are within five minutes' walk of Hook Station, on the L. and S. W. main line, and the village inn provides good accommodation for those driving or wishing to stay overnight. A great deal of work has been done on the course, which is now in fair condition. It is a fairly long one (1½ miles), of nine holes, and requires very straight play. It is laid out on Hook Common.

WINDERMERE.

WINDERMERE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MARCH 14TH, 1891.

Entrance Fee, 3*l.* 3*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*, for Ladies and Gentlemen alike; *Number of Members*, 155, and 67 Ladies. *Captain*—T. D. Lingard. *Treasurer*—A. B. Fisher. *Committee*—C. Dunn, S. H. le Fleming, Dr. Hamilton, Rev. J. M. Moss, Rev. E. E. Stock, A. Tucker, S. J. Bowler. *Hon. Secretary*—H. E. Rawson, Fallbarrow, Windermere. *Greenkeeper*—T. Fairbairn.

Club Prize.—St. John's Challenge Trophy, best net score for two rounds (thirty-six holes), under handicap, at Spring Meeting.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Dunn Silver Bowl: F. Mawdesley, 83. St. John's Trophy: J. Hodgkin, 167. Wordsworth Bronze Statuette (Bogey): A. R. Sladen. Monthly Medals (Gentlemen): H. M. Marshall, 90−10=80; A. R. Sladen, 86−5=81; A. Tucker, 89−6=83; J. T. Bownass, 92−10=82; S. J. Bowler, 90−8=82; and G. G. Wordsworth, 88−7=81. Final for Captain's Prize: G. G. Wordsworth, 85+91=176−12=164. Monthly Medals (Ladies): Mrs. J. M. Moss, 120−6=114; Miss B. Bownass, 126−8=118; Miss Lucy Rigg, 145−20=125; Miss Stella Hamilton, 122−10=112; and Miss Wright, 127−12=115. Final for Captain's Prize: Miss Hamilton, 113−6=107. Sladen Monthly Medals (Bogey): A. Tucker, J. T. Bownass, E. Holt, and A. R. Sladen. Final for Sladen Claret Jug: S. J. Bowler. Tournament open to all Amateurs—First Day (May 25th): Best aggregate score of two rounds, (1) H. H. Hilton, 75+71 =146; (2) J. Ball, jun., 73+76=149. Second Day (May 26th): Best aggregate net score of two rounds, (1) W. Stewart, 79+82=161 +2=163; (2) W. Potter, 88+89=177−10=167; (3) A. Tucker, 87+91=178−10=168; (4) W. R. Sharp, 90+89=179−8=171.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 85, by G. G. Wordsworth, on October 6th, 1894.

Green Record, 70, by J. Ball, jun., on May 24th, 1894.

A lease of the course for twenty years has been granted to the Windermere Golf Club Building and Links Company, Limited, which has purchased a plot of land adjoining, on which has been erected, at

an expense of about 1500*l.*, a handsome stone clubhouse, containing members' rooms, general room, ladies' room, lavatories, and ample accommodation for the greenkeeper. The opening of the clubhouse was celebrated by a most successful two days' tournament on the 25th and 26th May, particulars of the competitions, prizes, and winners of which are given above. The whole of the above premises have been leased by the Company to the club for twenty years. The course, which is situated two miles from Windermere and one mile from Bowness-on-Windermere, consists of eighteen holes, extending over hilly fell country, well provided with natural hazards. For an inland green the lies are good, and, although the course is not a long one (about 2¼ miles), it is of a sporting nature.

Strangers, being members of recognised golf clubs, are permitted the use of the course and club on terms specified in the club rules. Excellent hotel accommodation and lodgings can be obtained both at Windermere and Bowness-on-Windermere.

WINDSOR.

ETON COLLEGE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JANUARY, 1889.

Club Prizes.—Club Medal (scratch) and handicap prizes in March; Committee Cup (hole Tournament) in Spring.

The course of eighteen holes, which is laid out in the meadows along the Thames from Cuckoo Weir to Boveney, is private, none being permitted to play but masters or boys of Eton College, and their friends.

WINNIPEG.

WINNIPEG GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JULY, 1894.

Entrance Fee, 3 dols.; *Number of Members*, 125. *President*—W. B. Scarth. *Committee*—L. A. Hamilton, M. St. John, J. G. Moore, T. Robinson, H. G. Wilson. *Hon. Secretary*—D. Simpson, Manager Bank of British North America, Winnipeg, Canada.

WIRRAL.

WIRRAL LADIES' GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED FEBRUARY, 1894.

Entrance Fee, 3*l.* 3*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*, Gentlemen Associates, 1*l.* 1*s.*; *Number of Members*, 170, and 93 Associates. *Trustees*—G. B. Brown, W. D. Heyne, G. H. Potter. *Hon. Treasurer*—Mrs. W. J. Chambers.

Captain—Mrs. G. H. Potter. *Committee*—Miss D. Chambers, Mrs. E. M. Hutchinson, Miss G. Crosfield, Mrs. G. Jager, Mrs. J. W. Harvie, Miss A. McLaren. *Hon. Secretary*—Miss Jackson, Forrest-road, Claughton, Birkenhead. *Greenkeeper*—L. J. Veitch (late of Elie).

Prize Winners in 1894.—Summer Meeting—Club Prizes: (1) Miss Gavin; (2) Miss E. Barnes. Mixed Foursomes: Miss D. Chambers and A. Wall. Mrs. Hutchinson's Prize for Associates: N. McLaren. Autumn Meeting: (1) Miss L. Richardson; (2) Miss E. Stewart. St. Andrews Meeting: (1) Miss J. Chambers. Captain's Prize (Tournament): Miss A. McLaren.

The Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 84, Miss Dora Chambers, on December 10th, 1894.

The nearest station is Park Station (Mersey Railway), about a mile from the ground. The course of nine holes, the total length being about 1550 yards, is laid out on Oxton Common, three miles from Woodside Ferry, Birkenhead. It is of a varied and sporting character, with good putting greens.

WITHINGTON.

WITHINGTON GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JANUARY, 1893.

Entrance Fee, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 11*s.* 6*d.*; *Number of Members*, 120. *President*—Z. A. Ward. *Captain*—F. W. Lee. *Treasurer*—E. Lings. *Committee*—J. M. Eaton, H. E. Lees, L. C. Hartley, M. P. Smith, J. Marsland, G. Pilkington, G. King, J. W. Sclanders, A. Clegg. *Hon. Secretary*—E. Bayley, Holly Bank, Heaton Mersey. *Greenkeeper*—J. I'Anson.

The course of nine holes is situated at Palatine-road, Didsbury, and there is a large clubhouse. Withington is the nearest station, and a 'bus runs from there to the course.

WOKING.

WOKING GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MAY, 1893.

Entrance Fee, at present 7*l.* 7*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 3*l.* 3*s.*; *Number of Members*, nearly 340 (limit 350). *President*—The Hon. Mr. Justice Kekewich. *Captain*—R. T. Reid, Q.C., M.P. *Hon. Treasurer*—R. C. Glen. *Committee*—R. Barber, W. M. Corrie, A. Glen, A. Gray, Capt. W. Knight, A. T. Lawrence, Hon. A. Lyttelton, F. C. Palmer,

H. E. Richards, C. C. Scott, P. S. Stokes, R. W. Wallace. *Hon. Secretary*—W. E. Gordon, New Court, Temple, London, E.C. *Greenkeeper*—A. P. Martin.

The course of eighteen holes is laid out on Hook Heath, St. John's, Woking, about two miles from Woking Station (L. and S.W. Ry.), from which carriages may be hired on special terms. The course is one of the best inland greens in England.

WOLVERHAMPTON.

SOUTH STAFFORDSHIRE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED FEBRUARY 10TH, 1883.

Entrance Fee, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*, Ladies, Fifteen Shillings; *Number of Members*, 78 and 20 Ladies. *President*—Earl of Dartmouth. *Vice-Presidents*—Duke of Sutherland, Earl of Dudley, Lord Wrottesley, Sir Alfred Hickman, M.P., Right Hon. A. Staveley-Hill, M.P., C. T. Mander, W. W. Walker, Rev. C. H. Cole-Webb. *Captain*—T. Smith. *Committee*—R. W. Lewis, W. C. Kettle, E. Hickman, T. Graham, T. W. Lovatt, Dr. Biggam, V. Hickman. *Hon. Secretary*—T. F. Waterhouse, 45, Queen-street, Wolverhampton. *Treasurer*—M. Wilkie.

Club Prizes and Winners in 1894.—Club Medal: T. F. Waterhouse. Mander Cup: M. Wilkie. Wentworth Walker Cup: R. H. Bailey. Dartmouth Challenge Cup (members of Staffordshire and South Staffordshire Clubs): R. H. Bailey, South Staffordshire G.C.

The course of nine holes is situated on Penn Common about 2¼ miles from Wolverhampton, and a 'bus runs to it twice a day. During the last year further improvement has been made on the greens and course. The Barley Mow Inn and adjoining land has been purchased for a clubhouse, and a scheme has been formed for adding additional club rooms, which it is hoped will be completed this year.

WOODBRIDGE.

WOODBRIDGE GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1893.

Entrance Fee, suspended till members reach 250; *Annual Subscription*, 1*l.* 1*s.*; Ten Shillings and Sixpence for second members of a family; *Number of Members*, 135 including ladies. *President*—Major J. E. W. Howey. *Captain*—F. J. W. Wood. *Vice-Captain*—L. W. Hayward.

Hon. Treasurer—W. MacMaster. *Committee*—A. J. Hayward, A. Morley, T. Carthew, H. Blomfield, Major E. St. F. Moore, Major R. King, Dr. G. C. Edwardes-Ker. *Hon. Secretary*—Capt. H. A. Pole-Soppitt, The Lawn, Melton, near Woodbridge, Suffolk. *Greenkeeper* — J. Watling.

Club Prizes.—President's Cup, monthly, the winner to be the member whose six best net scores added to the net final are lowest; Club Monthly Medal for ladies, same conditions.

Prize Winners in 1894.—President's Prize: F. J. W. Wood, 592. Captain's Prize: A. Morley, 92−13=79. Easter Cup: Capt. Pole-Soppitt, 103−13=90. Hon. Secretary's Prize: W. Brooke, 107−25=82. Vice-Captain's Prize and Mrs. Hicks' Prize: Miss J. Hewetson. Burness Prize: Miss K. Hewetson. Easter Cup: Miss J. Hewetson, 63−10=53.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 84, by J. B. Pettit, Aldeburgh.

Green Record, 39, by J. B. Pettit.

Melton Station (G.E.R.) is one mile from the course, but conveyances can be had from the Station Hotel at 6*d*. a head. A new eighteen hole course, laid out by Thomson, the Felixstowe professional, will shortly be ready for play. It will make a sporting course, and will be quite clear of the rifle range. A clubhouse will also be shortly erected on the course. Members at present find accommodation at the Cherry Tree Inn, Bromeswell. The new course will only be half a mile from Melton Station (G.E.R.). Woodbridge is only two hours by rail from London, but there are two good hotels in Woodbridge. Visitors can obtain introduction by applying to Hon. Sec., or being introduced by a member. There is no free play; 1*s*. a day green money is charged.

WOODHALL SPA.

WOODHALL SPA AND DISTRICT GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED MARCH, 1891.

The course of nine holes is of average length, but rather wanting in variety. The putting greens, however, are good. It is within five minutes' walk of the station and Spa. Charges for visitors: Two shillings and sixpence per week; family, five shillings.

WOOLACOMBE.

WOOLACOMBE BAY GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1895.

Hon. Secretary—Rev. J. W. Cruikshank.

The course of nine holes has just been laid out by Gibson, the Westward Ho! professional. The links are picturesquely situated upon the range of burrows stretching along the central part of the

bay, and overlooking the Woolacombe sands. They are open towards the west, are sheltered by the hills on all the other sides, and command views of Morte and Baggy Points, Lundy Island, and a wide range of rugged coast scenery. They are reached in less than five minutes' walk from Woolacombe (distant some two miles from Mortho Station, Barnstaple and Ilfracombe branch L. and S.W. Railway), where adequate and convenient hotel and other accommodation is provided.

WOOLER.

WOOLER GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JULY, 1893.

Annual Subscription, Ten Shillings; *Number of Members*, 66. *Patron*—Earl of Tankerville. *President*—G. G. Rea. *Captain*—A. H. Leather-Culley. *Hon. Secretary*—P. S. Maclagan, North Eastern Bank, Wooler. *Greenkeeper*—C. Scott.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Open Handicap: W. Rutherford, 77 (scratch). President's Prize (aggregate of three rounds): H. Parker 84, 87, 85. Captain's Prize: H. Parker, 87 (scratch).

Green Record, 35, by A. Caverhill, Berwick, on September 17th, 1894.

The course of nine holes is about a mile from Wooler, where there is good hotel accommodation.

WOOLWICH.

ROYAL ARTILLERY GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED OCTOBER 20TH, 1885.

Annual Subscription, 1*l.*; *Number of Members*, about 120. *President*—Major-General Smart, R.A. *Captain*—Lieut.-Col. H. Pipon, R.H.A. *Committee*—Major F. H. Hall, R.A., Capt. E. J. P. Hornby, R.H.A., Capt. F. F. Minchin, R.A. *Hon. Secretary*—Capt. F. H. Crampton, R.A., 25, The Common, Woolwich. *Greenkeeper*—W. Philpotts.

Club Prizes.—Scratch Medal; Monthly Medal; Bogey Medal, monthly, by best aggregate of three scores during season of seven months; Rifle Brigade Cup (scratch), April; Barron Cigarette Box (handicap), twice each season.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Rifle Brigade Cup: Capt. F. Vans Agnew, 95. Barron Cigarette Box: April, Capt. H. H. Rich, 69; November, Major Chamberlayne, 81.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 78, by Lieut. F. G. G. Morris, 1st Battalion Border Regiment, on January 19th, 1895.

Record for Green, 38, by F. S. Ireland, on December 1st, 1894.

The course of nine holes is over Woolwich Common, being chiefly on that part of it known as the Barrack Field. The soil is clay, and very muddy in wet weather. The course is closed from May to September, as it is impossible to play among the crowds of people during the summer months, when the Barrack Field is open to the public. The par of the round is 39.

WORCESTER (SOUTH AFRICA).

WORCESTER GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1893.

Entrance Fee, Five Shillings; *Annual Subscription*, Five Shillings. *President*—J. N. P. de Villiers. *Vice-President*—J. D. Logan. *Committee*—A. Paisley, Dr. J. Key, W. R. Tyler, J. J. Bosman. *Hon. Secretary*—E. J. Perkins, Worcester, Cape Colony.

Worcester is well wooded and surrounded by mountains, and is about 109 miles by rail from Cape Town. The course is on the Common adjoining the town, and was laid out by Dr. Key, who is a native of St. Andrews. It consists of nine holes arranged in a triangular manner, on level ground, at an average distance of 250 yards. The chief hazards are watercourses, a blue gum plantation, a high cemetery wall, holes, gravel pits, &c. Several of the putting greens have had to be levelled in clay on account of the bad nature of the subsoil. The club days are Tuesday and Friday.

WORKINGTON.

WEST CUMBERLAND GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED FEBRUARY, 1893.

Annual Subscription, 1*l.* 10*s.*; *Number of Members*, 80. *Captain*—Dr. Highet. *Hon. Treasurer*—D. Fraser. *Hon. Secretary*—J. L. Smith, Banklands, Workington. *Greenkeeper*—G. H. Shaw.

Club Prizes.—Monthly Cup (handicap), on first Saturday of each month; Highet Medal (handicap), in September; Hodgson Clock, bi-monthly.

The course is situated close to Siddick Junction, from which trains may be got in each direction. The hazards are cart ruts, ditches, a pond (in winter), a small sandpit, and the railway. Hotel accommodation may be got in Workington, which is about a mile and a half from the green.

WORLINGTON.

WORLINGTON AND NEWMARKET GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED APRIL, 1893.

Annual Subscription, 2*l.* 2*s.*; *Number of Members*, 96. *Vice-Presidents*—Capt. E. W. Baird, H. L. B. McCalmont, H. T. C. Bunbury. *Captain*—Capt. W. G. Ord. *Hon. Secretaries*—A. A. Ruston, Newmarket; Rev. A. H. Pemberton, West Stow Rectory, Bury St. Edmunds. *Hon. Treasurer*—C. E. Hammond, Newmarket. *Committee*—C. E. Salmon, M. Blake, C. J. E. Sparke, W. Gardner, A. S. Manning, Rev. L. R. Tuttiett, Major Ord, J. Osmond, R. S. Greenhill, O. F. Read. *Greenkeeper*—J. White (formerly of North Berwick). *Club Attendant*—W. Howell.

Club Prizes.—Baird Challenge Cup (scratch), at Spring and Autumn Meetings; McCalmont Cup (handicap); Hon. Secretary's Medal (handicap), at Spring Meeting; Bunbury Cup (handicap) in Spring and Autumn; Eastern Counties Cup (handicap) at Spring Meeting, open to members of golf clubs in Eastern Counties; Monthly Medal on third Saturday in each month.

Prize Winners in 1894.—McCalmont Cup: A. C. Sealey, 92 – 6 = 86. Toolis Medal: A. C. Sealey, 92 – 6 = 86. Eastern Counties Cup: A. C. Sealey, 90 – 6 = 84. Baird Challenge Cup: Spring, A. M. Ross, 80; Autumn, C. G. Salmon, 98. Bunbury Cup: Spring, A. M. Ross, 80 + 6 = 86; Autumn, Rev. L. R. Tuttiett, 102 – 14 = 88. Hon. Secretary's Medal: Spring, A. A. Ruston, 129 – 28 – 101; Autumn, H. T. C. Bunbury, 105 – 16 = 89. Aggregate Prizes: (1) A. M. Sealey; (2) A. M. Ross.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition, 39, by A. M. Ross, on April 28th, 1894.

Records for Green.—(1) Professional, 37, on December 13th, 1894, by J. White; (2) Amateur, 39, on April 28th, 1894, by A. M. Ross.

The course is situated at Worlington, near Mildenhall, in the county of Suffolk, and is on the property of Mr. W. Gardner. A clubhouse with luncheon, reception, and dressing rooms for the convenience of members is erected on the ground. The nearest railway station is Mildenhall, on the Great Eastern Railway (Cambridge and Mildenhall Branch), about a quarter of a mile from the course, which for some distance runs alongside the line, or about a mile by road. Kennett Station is four miles distant, but golfers can be met there by appointment and driven to the course. The distance from Newmarket is seven miles by road. Arrangements have been made with the Great Eastern Railway Company for members, on production of their tickets of membership (which may be obtained from the Hon. Sec.), to be booked

from Cambridge, Bury St. Edmunds, and Newmarket to Mildenhall, at a single fare for the double journey, when travelling for the purpose of playing golf. There are good inns and hotels at Mildenhall, Worlington, Newmarket, Ely, and Cambridge, and arrangements have been made for the accommodation of golfers, particulars of which can be obtained on application to the Hon. Secretary.

The round consists of eighteen holes without any crossing, the total length being 4290 yards. The soil is sandy, and the grass of good quality. The hazards consist of sand bunkers, ponds, rushes, ditches, hedges, streams, and undulating ground. Experts who have played over the course speak of its capabilities in terms of high praise. Members of recognised golf clubs are admitted as visiting members to the use of the club grounds and premises for two playing days without payment, once in six months, on their names being inserted in the visiting members' book by the member introducing them. Temporary members are admitted at the rate of five shillings per week, or fifteen shillings per month. The professional and clubhouse steward are in daily attendance.

WORTHING.

WORTHING GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED JUNE, 1892.

The course is very prettily situated upon the Sussex Downs, about three miles from Worthing and two from Lancing. Worthing is the most convenient railway station, and conveyances can always be procured from thence.

YARMOUTH.

GREAT YARMOUTH GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1882.

Entrance Fee. 5*l.* 5*s.*; *Annual Subscription,* 1*l.* 10*s.*; Fifteen Shillings for non-playing members; *Number of Members,* 300. *Captain*—E. M. Hansell. *Trustees*—C. Hope, Rev. C. J. Stewart, J. Sutton. *Committee*—D. R. Fowler, Capt. Cothead, R.A., D.S.O., H. Smith, J. Taylor, A. Rotherham, General Dixon, W. E. Hughes, J. G. Gibson, G. C. Snelling, F. S. Ireland. *Hon. Secretary*—C. Hope, Gorleston Priory, Great Yarmouth. *Greenkeeper*—T. Aitken.

Club Prizes.—Young Cup (handicap); Hansell Prizes (handicap), in the two classes above and below 9; Penn Medal (scratch); Bogey Competition (handicap); and Prize Winners' Prize, given by the prize winners of 1894, for the best aggregate of two net scores made under handicap on two of the six days for competition by score during the year, all at Easter Meeting; Great Yarmouth Cup, for the best net score made under handicap on either day of Whitsun Meeting; Great

Yarmouth Badge (scratch), and Bogey Competition (handicap), at Whitsun Meeting: Hughes Silver Iron, for the best net score under handicap on either day of November Meeting: Blackheath Medal (scratch), and Bogey Competition, at November Meeting: Monthly Medal, on first Saturday of each month.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Easter Meeting—Young Cup: W. O. S. Pell, 82 (scratch). Penn Gold Medal: F. S. Ireland, 84. Bogey (handicap): S. Young (5), halved. Whitsun Meeting—Great Yarmouth Cup: M. Richardson, 93 – 11 = 82. Great Yarmouth Badge: W. O. S. Pell, 91. Bogey Foursome: F. S. Ireland and G. Stokes (3), one up. Bogey (handicap): A. L. Jochel (scratch), halved. November Meeting—Hughes Silver Iron: E. G. Ashton, 88 – 5 = 83. Blackheath Gold Medal: P. M. Lucas, 83. Bogey (handicap): J. G. Gibson (scratch), two up.

Lowest Scratch Score in a Club Competition over new course, 82, by W. O. S. Pell, in March, 1894.

Green Record, 78, by F. R. Upcher, Cambridge University, in November, 1894.

The course of eighteen holes is one mile from the G. E. Ry. Station. The circuit is about three miles, the turf is excellent, and the hazards are bunkers and whins.

GREAT YARMOUTH LADIES' GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1885.

Entrance Fee, Ten Shillings; *Annual Subscription*, Five Shillings; *Number of Members*, 110. *Captain*—Miss Fitz-Roy. *Hon. Treasurer*—Miss Waters. *Committee*—Mrs. W. Brown, Miss Frere, Mrs. Rider Haggard, Mrs. F. Burton, Mrs. Sutton, Miss Ommaney. *Hon. Secretary*—Mrs. Baker, 34, Queen's-road, Great Yarmouth.

Club Prizes.—Gold Badge (scratch): Gold Medal (handicap); and Silver Bowl (handicap), in May and September.

Prize Winners in 1894.—Silver Bowl: Miss Palmer, 117 – 14 = 103. Gold Medal: Mrs. Arnold, 119 – 30 = 89. Gold Badge: Mrs. Rider Haggard, 110.

The course consists of nine holes on the gentlemen's green, and there is a clubhouse, of which visitors have the use on payment of two shillings and sixpence a month.

GREAT YARMOUTH WORKMEN'S GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED DECEMBER 23RD, 1892.

Annual Subscription, Two Shillings; *Number of Members*, 47. *Captain*—E. Green. *Vice-Captain*—W. George. *Treasurer*—W. Dennington. *Committee*—A. Mason, H.

Jary, J. Thompson, F. Burman, J. Harper, R. Tooley, F. Cooper. *Hon. Secretary*—H. Thain, 31, Garfield-terrace, Great Yarmouth.

Club Prizes.—Club and Honorary Members' Prizes, monthly.
Green Records.—(1) Professional, 83, by C. Smith; (2) Amateur, 89, by T. Cooper.
The course of eighteen holes is laid out on the Common.

YORK.

YORK GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1890.

Annual Subscription, 1*l.* 1*s.*; Ladies, Ten Shillings; *Number of Members*, about 65. *Captain*—H. J. Ware. *Hon. Secretary*—F. Ware, 6, New-street, York. *Hon. Treasurer*—W. F. H. Thomson.

The course is on Knavesmire, a flat Common of about 300 acres, where the York race meetings are held. The putting greens are at the south, or Middlethorpe, end, and about a mile and a half from the city walls. Of the nine holes, three are long, with pretty fair lies for the second drive, which should land you hole-high; four can be reached from the tee by good drivers; the remaining two require a mashie as well as a driver to get to the green. The soil is mostly clay, which is apt to be soft and sticky in wet weather, and much too retentive of hoof-prints in dry. There are, however, patches of light and almost sandy soil, which support a considerable number of whins, and most of the holes are in these patches. The hazards are ditches, posts and rails, whins, a pond, and the inevitable hoof-prints, from which, however, the immediate neighbourhood of the greens is tolerably free.

YORKSHIRE.

YORKSHIRE UNION OF GOLF CLUBS, INSTITUTED JULY, 1894.

President—C. G. Broadwood, Scarborough. *Hon. Secretary*—A. L. Woodhead, Longdenholme, Huddersfield. *Assistant Hon. Secretary*—F. Bedwell, Scarborough.

The matter of a Yorkshire Union was taken up with great heartiness early in 1894, and, after a number of preliminary meetings, it was finally floated in July. As the Huddersfield G. C. had been the prime movers, they received the compliment of supplying the first year's office-bearers, and also of having the first meeting on their green. This was held on the 4th, 5th, and 6th of October, and was a most unqualified success. On the first day, F. E. Woodhead (Huddersfield) carried off the County Championship with scores of 84 and 83. On the

second day, Huddersfield secured first place in the team competition (teams of four each) with gross score of 722, two rounds. There was a large entry for the handicap (limited to twelve strokes) on the last day, and the prizes were taken by Dr. Macvie (Bradford), 83 – 4 = 79; W. A. Milner (Sheffield), 93 – 11 = 82; J. H. Exley (Huddersfield), 85 – 3 = 82; F. J. March (Cleveland), 95 – 12 = 83; H. Huth (Huddersfield), 90 – 7 = 83. Dr. Macvie also won a special prize for lowest score of the meeting, after tieing with F. E. Woodhead. This year's meeting will be held at Scarborough in autumn.

COVENTRY.

COVENTRY HEARSALL GOLF CLUB, INSTITUTED 1894.

Annual Subscription, 1*l.* 1*s.* *President*—J. Cash. *Captain*—G. Walker. *Committee*—W. V. Best, — Gilbert, L. Harris, C. H. Townsend. *Hon. Secretary and Treasurer*—S. W. Morris, Earlsdon, Coventry.

Club Prizes.—Captain's Prize and Club Medal, annually.

The course is a nine hole one (which can be easily extended) on Hearsall Common, and the hazards consist of gorse and ditches.

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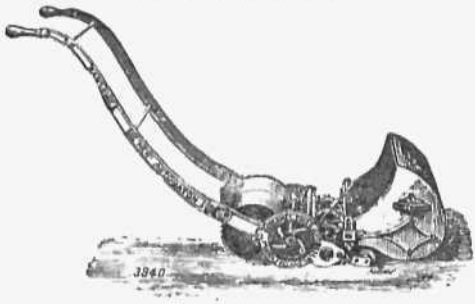

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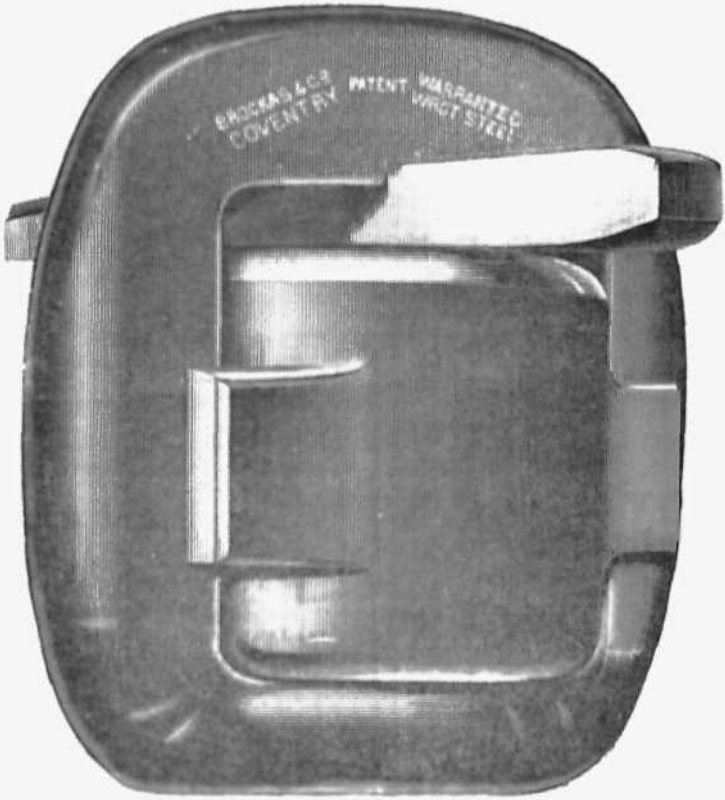

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