



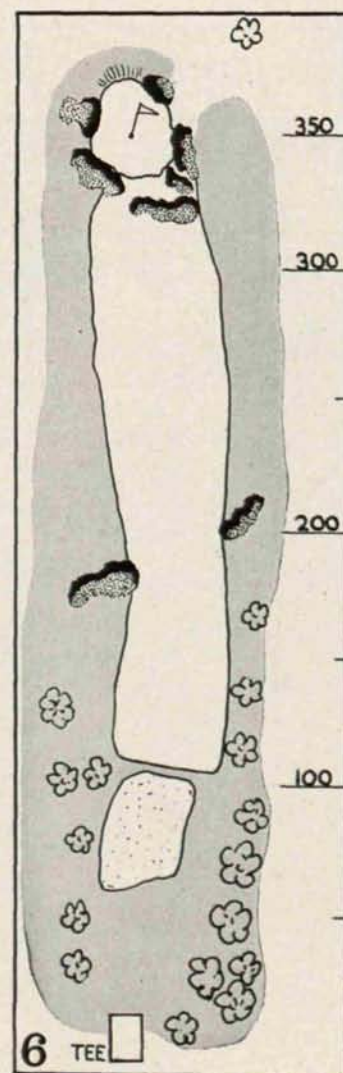
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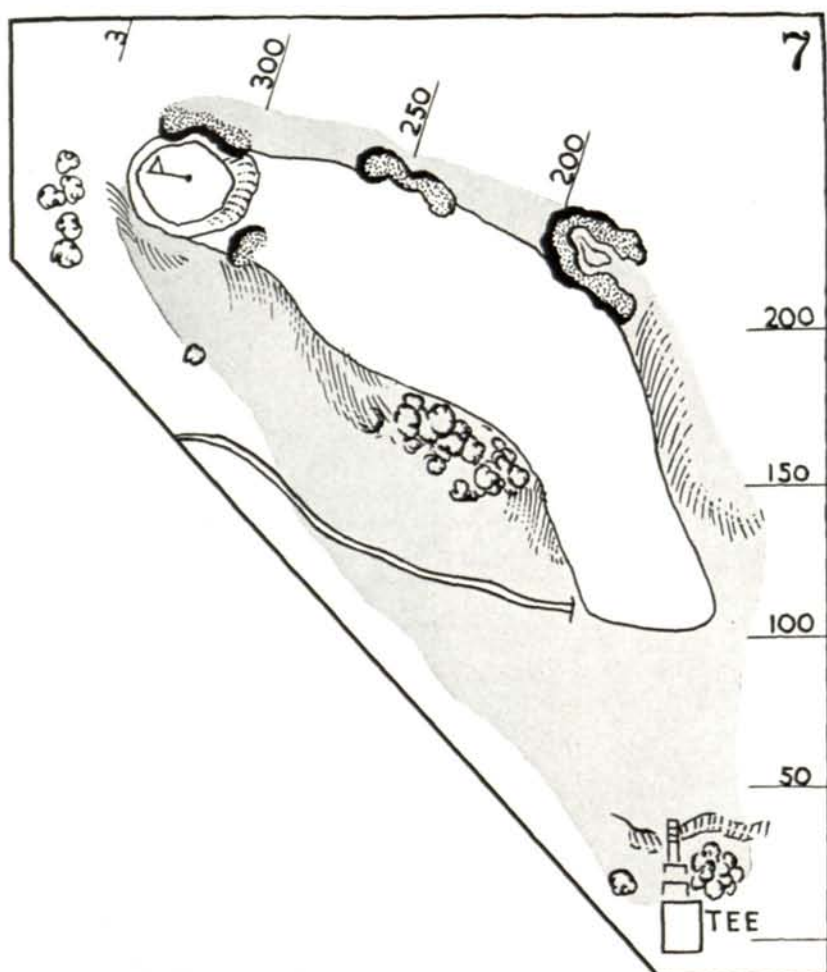
Hole No. 6

350 YARDS — PAR 4

A sporty hole of medium length with the green well guarded. Following the custom of modern golf architecture the trap that originally sprawled across the fairway has been eliminated, and only the trees to the right and left of the tee remain as hazards to the erratic driver.

The bunker traps short of the green require a skilfully played second shot that will hold the green. Such a pitch will reward the accurate putter with par, but what a penalty this hole exacts for an overplayed second!





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Hole No. 7

316 YARDS — PAR 4

This is the famous dogleg hole that has occupied the golfing spotlight for a decade. In 1920 Ted Ray of England chose, at a tremendous risk, to drive straight for the green, a carry of some 260 yards, and as a reward on this hole he collected three birdies and one par. Each year since this remarkable achievement, other long drivers have striven to duplicate Ray's performance, but without success.

The hole is a natural four with plenty of hazards all along both sides, and its proper allotment of traps just short and beyond the green. The green itself lies on a slant and is of rolling nature so that it requires accurate putting, even though safely on the green on your second.



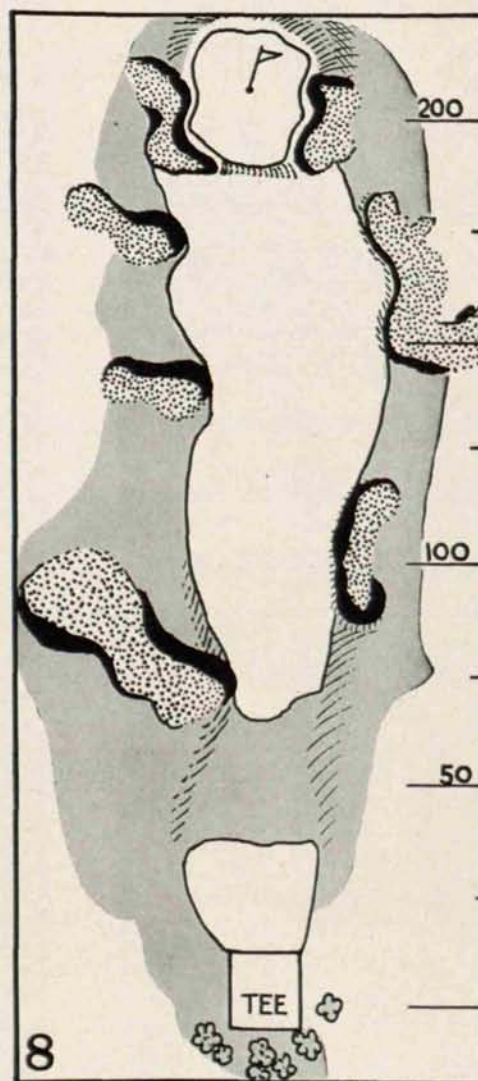
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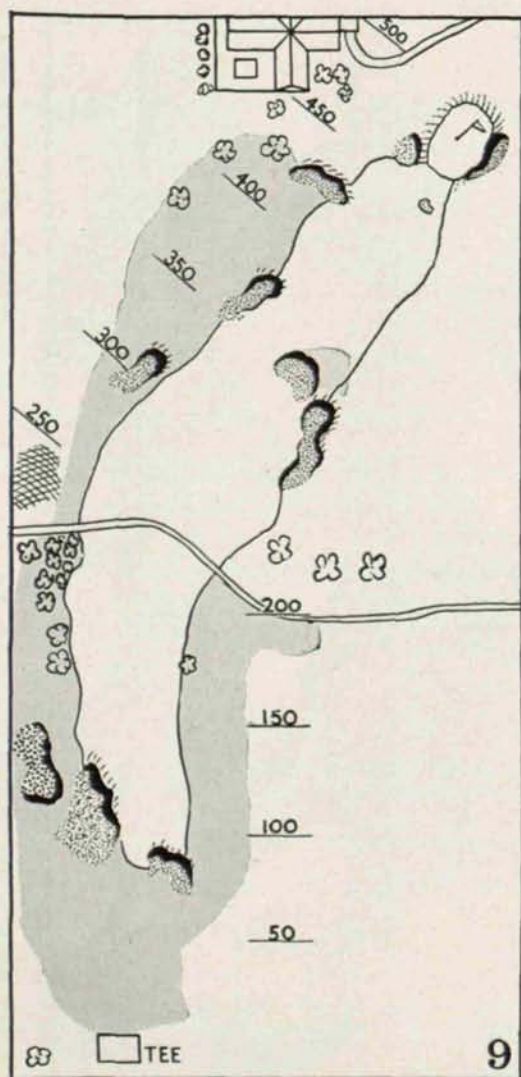
Hole No. 8

210 YARDS — PAR 3

This is another of the famous one shot holes of Inverness, simple to behold, difficult to negotiate in par. Although but 210 yards in length, a series of traps on either side, most of them invisible from the tee, insures it long being remembered by many of the entrants of the Thirty-fifth National Open.

Both the green and tee were remodeled this year and in its improved state it is believed No. 8 will stand its baptism of fire and defend its par as well as any hole on the course.





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Hole No. 9

492 YARDS — PAR 5

One of the most interesting holes of the "inside" nine. To the eye it looks simple but club records prove that less pars have been scored upon it by average players than any other single hole at Inverness. It is an extremely beautiful hole and presents several lines of play.

Long drivers will probably choose a direct air-line from tee to green, one that skirts the bend in the fairway on the right and attempt to get home with brassie on their second. A hooked second, however, will prove disastrous, as the green is well guarded to the left, and a series of bunkers and traps to the right.

A birdie four is a splendid reward for any player, while an eagle three would cause one to forgive everybody and everything!



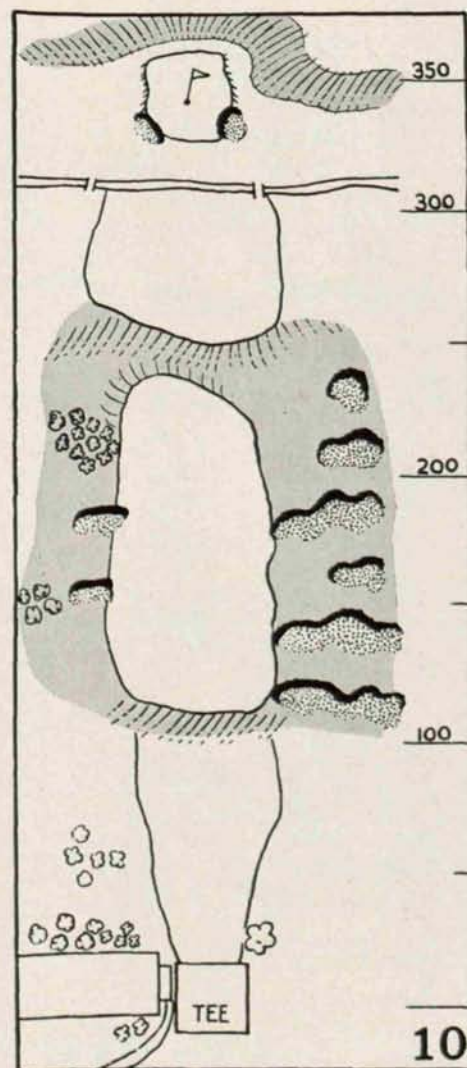
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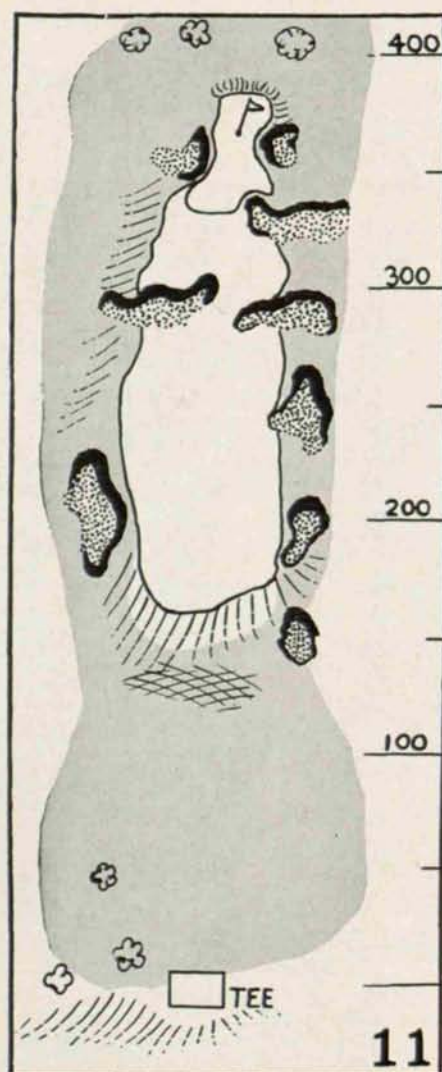
Hole No. 10

348 YARDS — PAR 4

This hole parallels No. 1 and presents almost similar features from the tee. Its battery of sand traps at the right punish the slicer. The location of the green on No. 10 has much to do with the beauty and the sportiveness of the hole.

A fine drive reveals this gently undulating green about 100 yards from the high bank of the natural little valley that runs through the first few holes at Inverness. A well controlled drive and a safe mashie second makes this hole one of the joys of a well played round at Inverness.





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Hole No. 11

380 YARDS — PAR 4

This simple appearing hole that runs along between the second and twelfth fairways is more hazardous than it appears to the casual observer. The play of years has suggested simple ways of making it harder, so last year an entirely new green was built, which with a deeper approach and added yardage makes his hole even more interesting than in past years. The green is rather tightly trapped but there is nothing tricky or unfair about its architecture.

Here, as on most other holes a high premium is placed on control of direction. A player carding par here for each round will be playing superb golf.



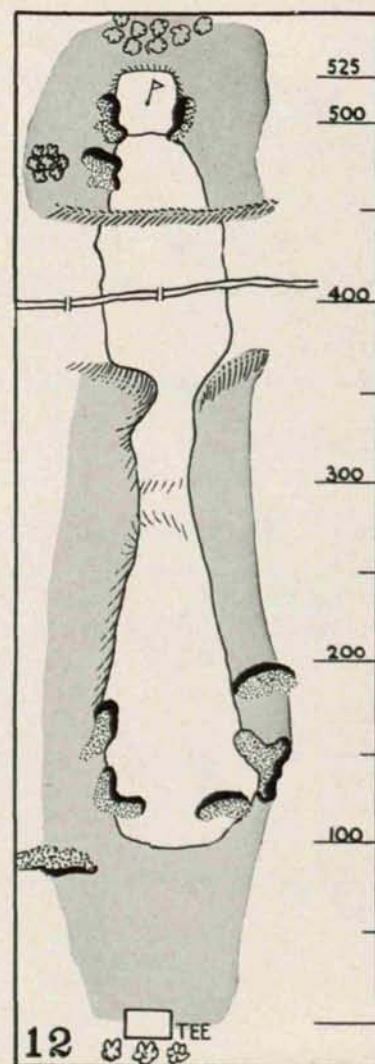
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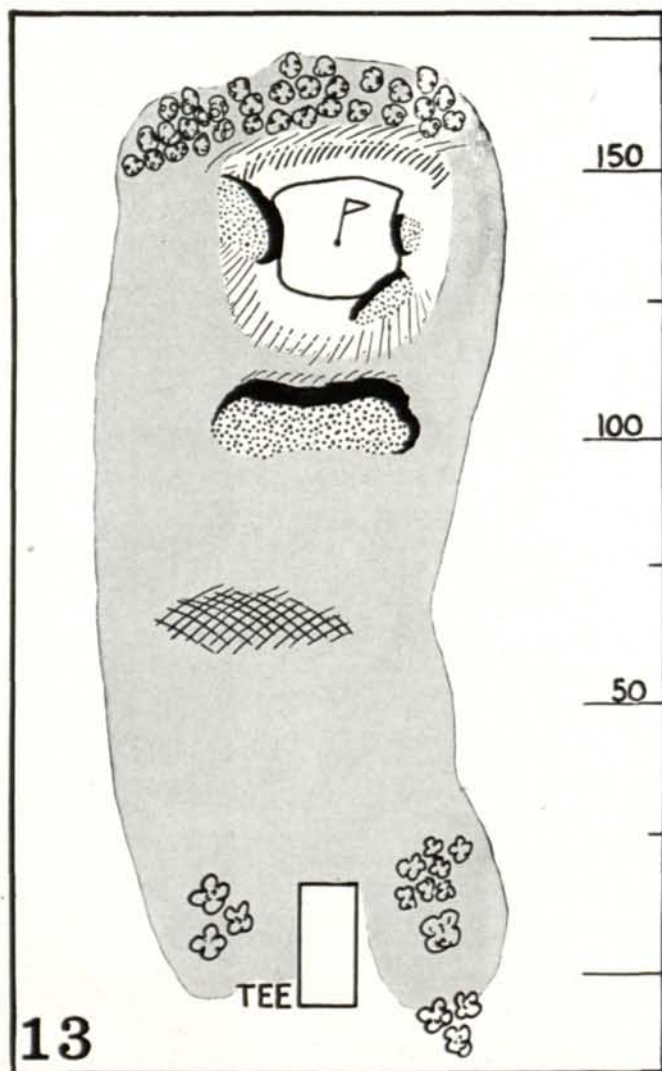
Hole No. 12

516 YARDS — PAR 5

This, the longest hole at Inverness, is a delight to the long hitters. Any two shots reaching this green must be really great wallops. The tragedy of an imperfect second is too well known to Inverness members. Here is hoping no such catastrophe befalls any of our visitors.

The brook that protects the tenth green runs blithely along 100 yards from the green, and is a menace to long and short second shots alike. The green, though large, is well guarded by deep overhanging traps on three sides, but its uniform surface is a particular putting delight.





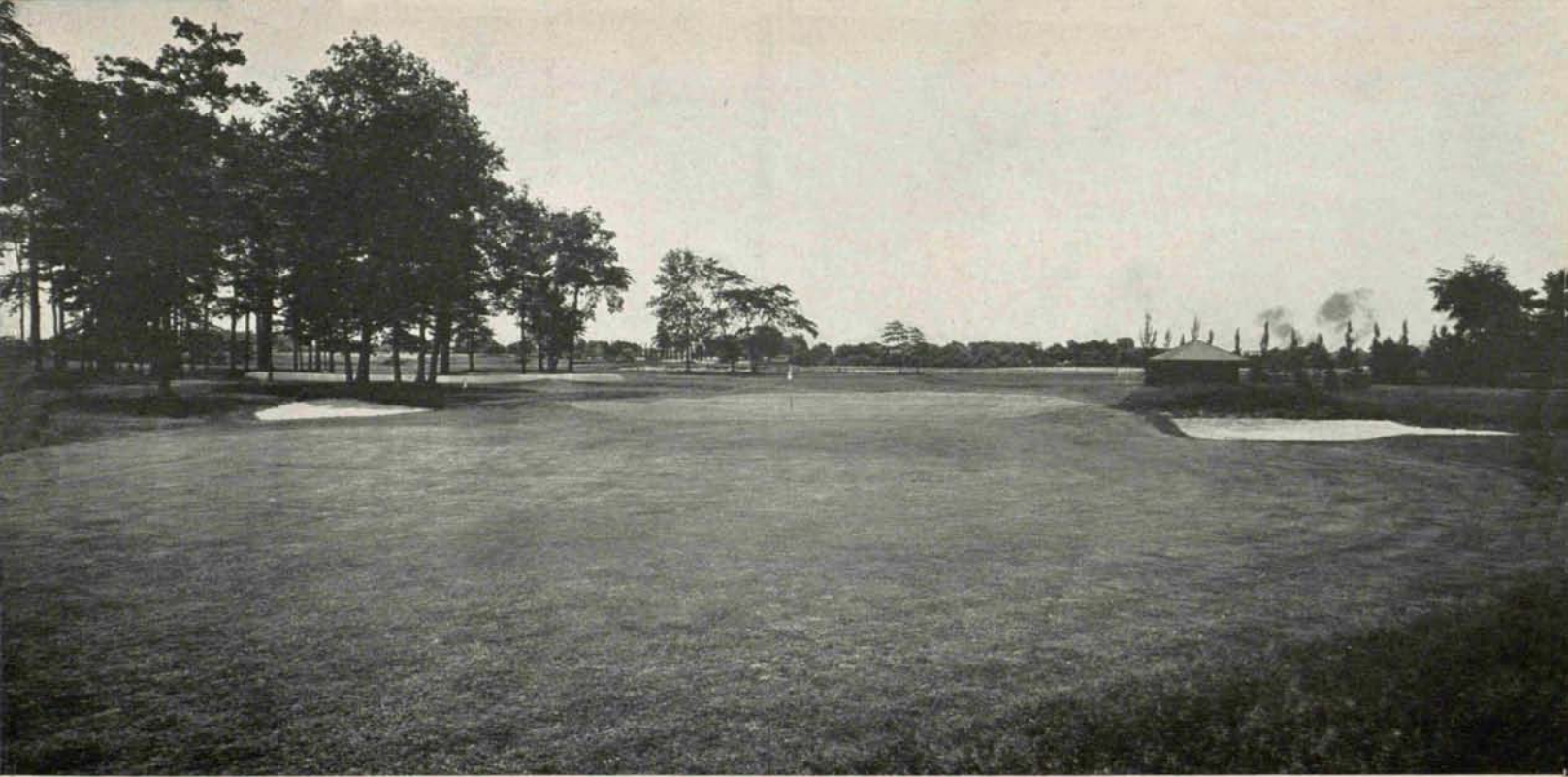
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Hole No. 13

146 YARDS — PAR 3

This beautiful hole is fittingly called the hole of the Scotch Pines. The short yardage, of course, calls for a mashie pitch but that pitch must be accurate and hold the green. This green was entirely rebuilt since the 1920 Open was played here, and is especially well guarded. Players find this putting surface a delight at all times.

This is a famous birdie two hole for many a good golfer, but for the careless or unlucky one, it will live up to its traditional hard luck number.



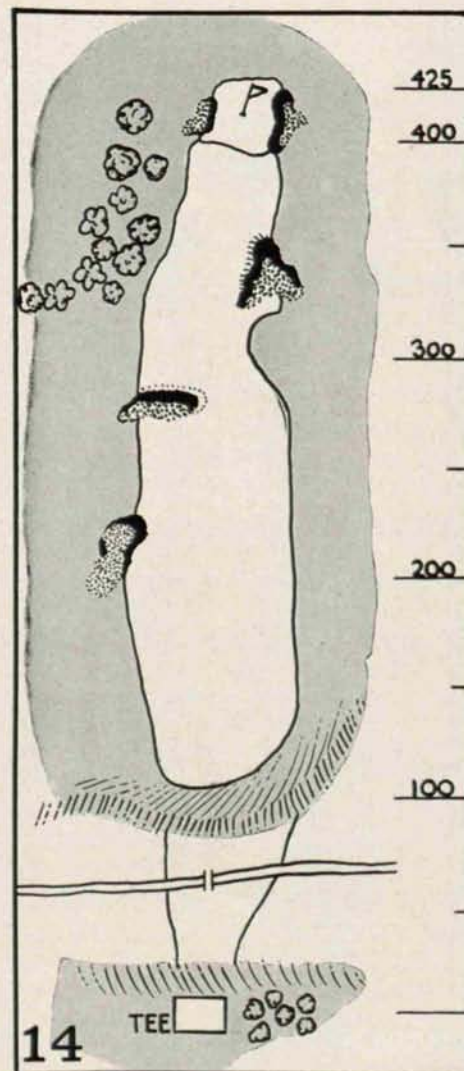
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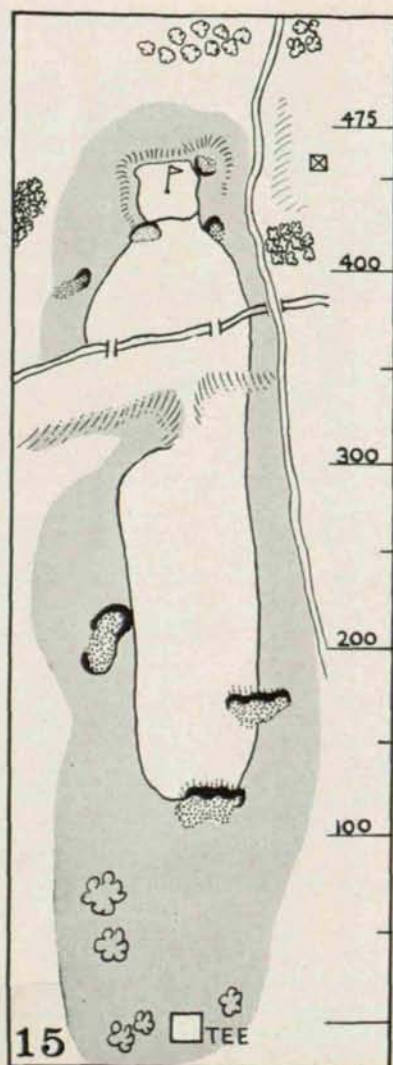
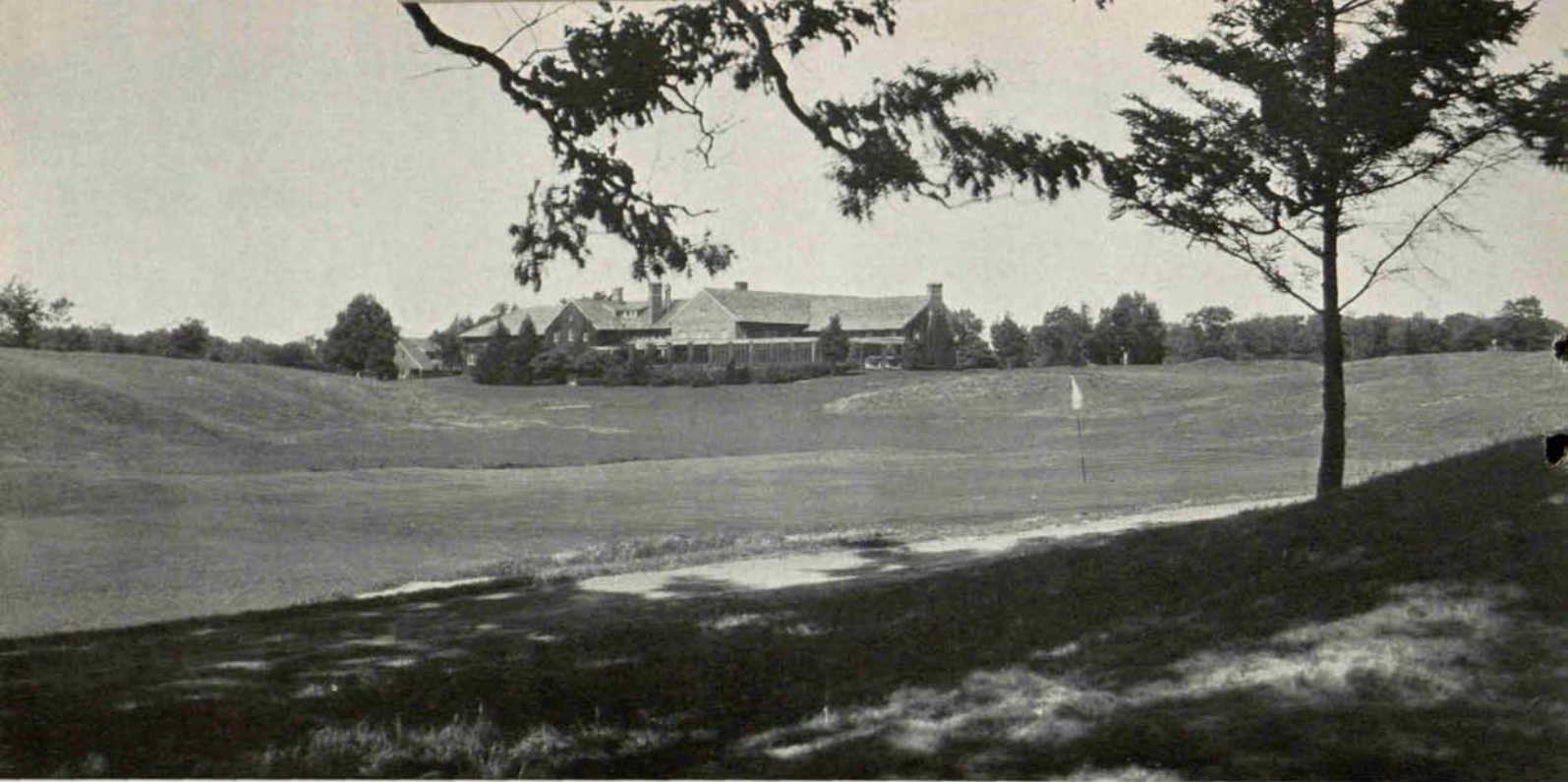
Hole No. 14

416 YARDS — PAR 4

This hole has been practically unchanged during the last decade. A truly fine golf hole of excellent length, and calling for accurate golf from tee to green. A pull or a slice adds greatly to its tightness, while a topped shot from the tee makes par practically impossible. A good long drive and an accurately placed second brings joy to any golfer, but avoid outside play, either to the right or the left.

As in the case of many of the parallel holes of the second nine, the traps and hazards from other holes catch the long slice or hook from the fourteenth tee. The green is particularly well protected by a trap approach from the left and flanking traps for either side, but for the long straight player a par is practically assured.





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Hole No. 15

441 YARDS — PAR 4

One of the most beautiful golf holes at Inverness, the tee nestles in the woodland, and the vista which greets the player is truly inspiring. Down hill practically all the way to the green, a really great drive collects a high premium.

Once more this innocent appearing little brook that meanders through the course presents a lot of trouble for the short second, and the next trap to the left, just short of the green will just as readily punish the long one that is not absolutely true. This is a truly inspirational golfing hole, both for its natural beauty and exceptional playing features.