

## **YALE'S NEW LINKS READY THIS WEEK**

### **Students and Faculty to Attend Opening of Tompkins Memorial Course on Thursday.**

NEW HAVEN, Conn., April 10.—Final touches are being put on the new Yale golf course by a large staff of men and it is thought that by next Thursday, the day set for the formal opening for patrons of the Ray Tompkins Memorial, founders and members, as well as the Faculty and students of the university, the course will be in pretty fair condition.

Bernard Thomson, engaged by the Golf Committee of the Athletic Association as coach of the Yale golf team and professional at the course, is greatly impressed with the lay-out. The early opening of the course has stimulated interest in golf at Yale and many students and members of the Faculty have taken out memberships. Yale has never had a course of its own and is now one of the few universities in the United States to possess its own links. That the opening of the new course will be the means of developing many fine golfers within the university is certain.

The six holes over which there is play over water in whole or in part make the course of great interest to the golfer. There are four of these so-called water holes in the first nine and two in the second nine.

There are three holes in the course with par five, the fourth, the sixteenth and the eighteenth, but these are all over the long or championship course. The regular course has one five-hole, the eighteenth, and over this course par is 69. Par for the long course is 71. Each green covers an area of about 10,000 square feet. They have been nursed for two years, until now they are in the best of condition.

The clubhouse, being built on a high knoll near the first tee is nearing completion and will provide ample accommodations for Yale's golfers. An attractive lounge room is one of the attractive features of the new club house.