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NEW COUNTRY CLUB IS RAPIDLY GROWING – Many Propositions for Membership Being Received – Golf Links in Fine Shape

The indications are that the new country club will have to limit its membership before the club is many months old, a prominent golfer said yesterday.

“The links of the new club will be the finest in this section of the State, and in fact will be the most convenient for the players in and about Philadelphia, who desire to play over an eighteen hole course. Taken with the fact that the club house will be one of the most commodious and up to date, in this section, I would not be surprised if many applications are presented by Philadelphians for membership as soon as the list is opened.”

The hazards on the new links are being put in place and the work in every direction is progressing nicely. The plans for the new club house have been drawn by Architect Dallet, of Philadelphia, and at present he is busy getting up specifications for the construction of the new club house and barn. The old house and barn which are on the property, and have been for years will be raised in a short time, when the work on the new buildings will be started.

The various committees appointed at the meeting in Chester last week are hard at work, and in a few days it is expected that a call will be made for stock subscriptions. Already upwards of \$19,000, has been subscribed, and there is but little doubt that what this sum will be augmented by many dollars.

A meeting of the members of the present Springhaven Golf Club will be held on November 24 for the purpose of considering the question whether or not they will ally themselves with the new country club. Just what action will be taken at this meeting is purely conjectural but as many of the active members of the club have become interested in the new organization, it may be that the arguments will be strong enough to have the Springhaven consolidated with the new club.

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