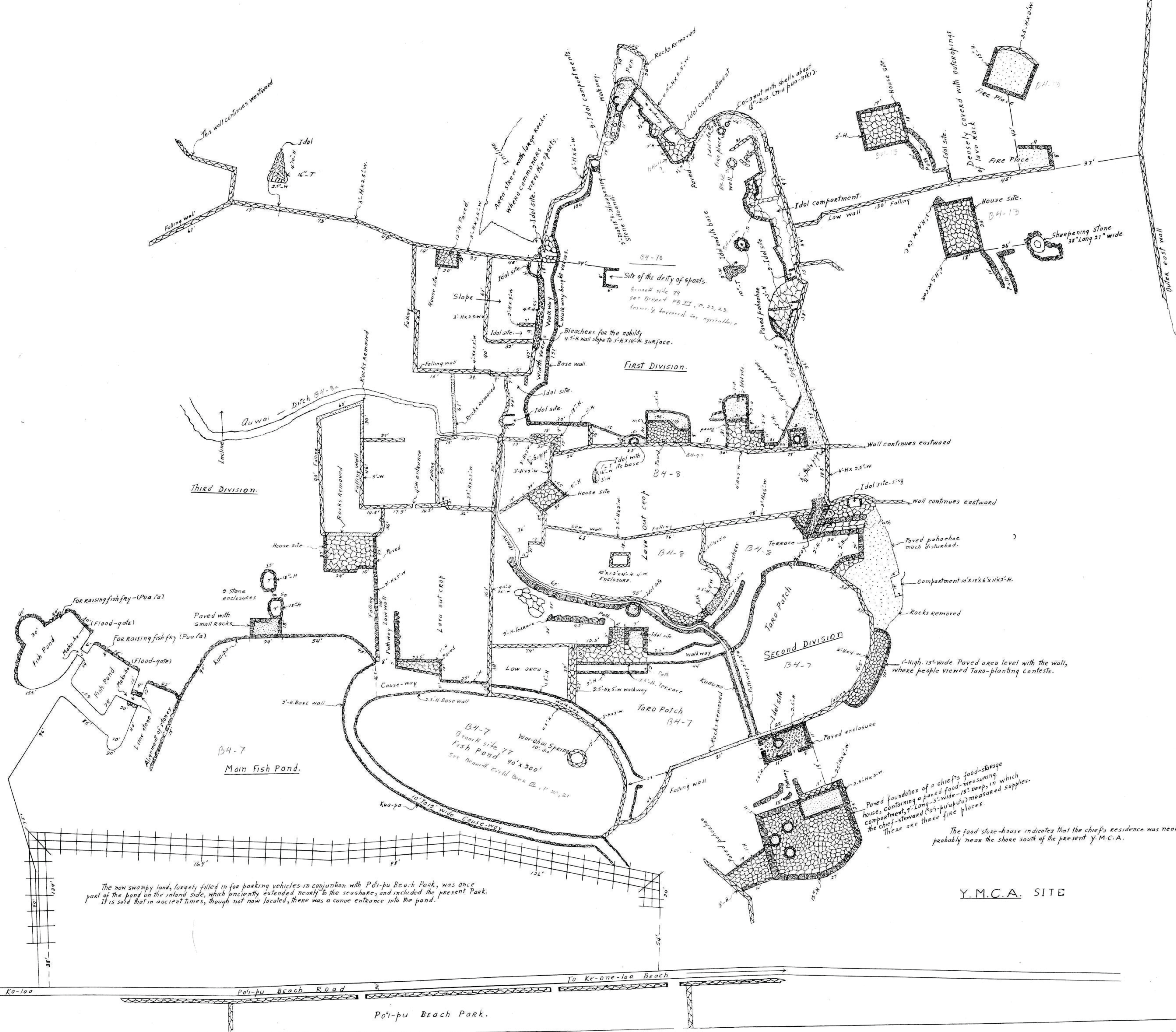


KANE-I-OLOUMA HEIAU.
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Brief Descriptive Notes.

Heiau for tournaments of such sports as jaxoom-wrestling (awa), wrestling (hakoo), and deadly grappling (koo); also for the replenishment of food (hoou'u) and fish (hoou'u 'a). There are three main divisions in this heiau. The northeastern part was for sports, the southeastern for the raising of vegetable food (u), and the western portion for raising fish (u).



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The now swampy land, lately filled in for parking vehicles in conjunction with Poi-pu Beach Park, was once part of the pond on the inland side, which anciently extended nearly to the seashore, and included the present Park. It is said that in ancient times, though not now located, there was a canoe entrance into the pond.

The food store-house indicates that the chief's residence was nearby, probably near the shore south of the present Y.M.C.A.

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