



BERKSHIRE OPENING.

Manager Sherrard has Arrangements for Event well in Hand.

Many Old Guests will Register on the First Day--Apartments Already Occupied.

Manager J. A. Sherrard of The Berkshire has arrangements for the opening of The Berkshire next Friday, well in hand, and this popular home will throw back its doors complete in equipment in every department, and with many guests for the first meal.

For several days past rooms have been occupied by season guests anxious to get located, and many others who will spend the winter at the hotel are located at other houses in the Village. This is not only a very satisfactory indication regarding the early season, but a pretty compliment to the popularity of the new manager and his wife. Mr. Sherrard has so long been connected with Pinehurst that he comes to The Berkshire not as a stranger but as an old acquaintance.

In this connection it will be gratifying for Mr. Sherrard's many friends to learn that he has been engaged by Allen T. Treadway to manage the new Heaton Hall at Stockbridge, Mass., next summer. Stockbridge is one of the swell and popular resorts of Massachusetts and the hotel is to be a beauty in every particular.



THE EARLY GUESTS.

Mrs. W. J. Wilgus, Miss Margaret Wilgus and Master Jack Wilgus of New York, are already located in their apartments here and will remain throughout the winter.

Mr. D. N. Clark of Westville, Conn., is at The Magnolia and will be at his old seat in the dining room for the first meal.

Mr. H. M. Pratt of Yonkers, N. Y., who is at The Harvard, will register with the very first and remain for an extended stay, renewing pleasant acquaintances made last season.

Mrs. C. L. Moorehouse, of Fairhaven, Vt., returns for the winter.

Dr. and Mrs. Walter Lancaster and Miss Julia E. Lancaster of Boston, who are occupying the Dogwood, will dine here.

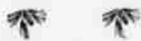
Mrs. M. A. B. Kelley of Clifton Springs, N. Y., will come for an extended stay early in January.



THE HOTEL STAFF.

The hotel staff includes Fred A. Mason as chef, who was at York Cliffs, Maine, last summer and at the College Arms, DeLand, Fla., last winter. R. Gugenheimer, for many years connected with leading Back Bay hotels of Boston, including the Victoria, Buckminster and the very select family hotel, the Kempton, from which he resigned to come to Pinehurst, will be in charge of the pastry room. Andrew H. Lane for several seasons at White Mountain resorts, will

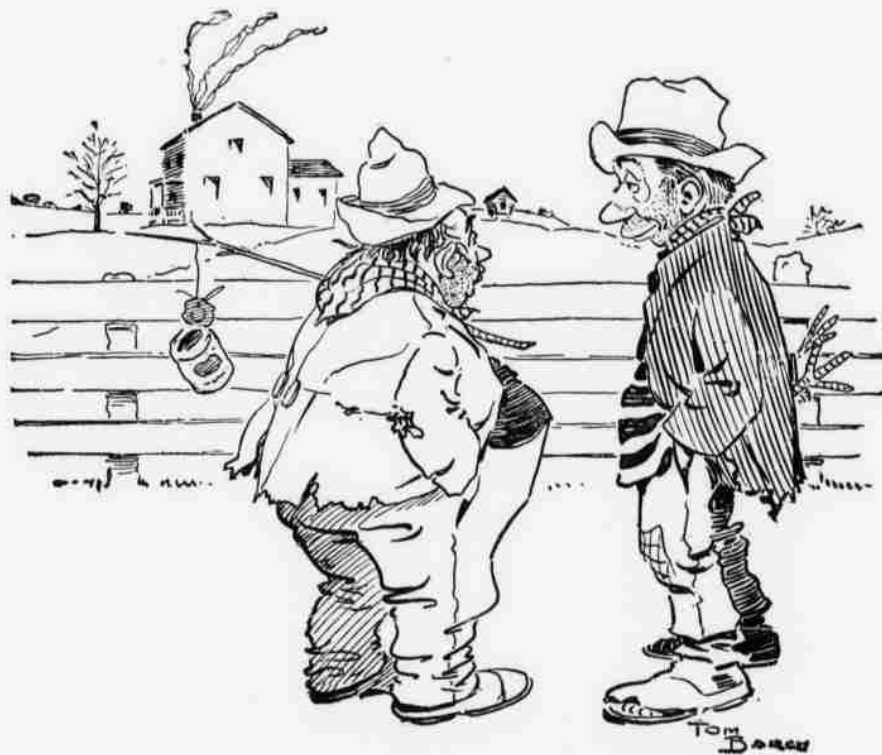
be clerk and Mrs. Sherrard will have general supervision of the housekeeping department. Miss O'Hare comes as headwaitress, having held similar positions at Magnolia and Swampscott, Mass.



Death to Mosquitoes.

Leaves of a plant alleged to drive away mosquitoes, have reached English botanists from Africa. The presence of a single plant is stated to clear a room of the pests, and an infusion of the leaves has been found an effective substitute for quinine in the treatment of mosquito-conveyed malarial fever. The plant proves to be a kind of basil, Ocimum viride willd.

NEW JERSEY papers please copy!



BROUGHT BACK FOND MEMORIES.

Restful Rawlins—Dat new hobo hez jess completed his first "century" ride on de trucks in a freight train.

Narrow Gauge Nevins—Did it please him much?

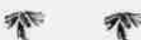
Restful Rawlins—Not a bit! He said de dust an' jolts reminded him uv de days when he wuz rich an' owned an' 'auto.

A COLORED WEDDING.

Villagers Witness Marriage Ceremony in The Village Hall.

The marriage of Miss Pearl Gaddy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gaddy, to Rev. C. O. Crowell, was solemnized in the Village Hall Wednesday evening in the presence of a large company of Villagers, to whom a general invitation was extended. The event was not only unique but enjoyable.

The Holly Inn orchestra played Mendelssohn's wedding march as the bride and groom, attended by two bridesmaids and two groomsmen, entered. The ceremony was simple and impressive, varying little from the regular form.



Membership in the S. G. A.

Notification was received during the week of the admission of the Pinehurst Golf Club to allied membership in the United States Golf Association.

MR. POTTLE THE HOST.

Villagers are Guests at The Pine Grove House.

Mr. Frank B. Pottle entertained a company of Villagers very enjoyably at The Pine Grove House Wednesday evening, with whist. Mr. H. F. Berry won the mens' prizes, and Mr. C. B. Eaton and Mrs. H. B. Stillings the consolations.

The guests included: Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Berry, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Pottle, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. MacDonald, Miss Edith Hunt, Miss Janie Holmes, Miss Ada G. Sanborn, Miss Georgie Bouchee, Miss Irene Pottle, Mrs. Florence Burns, Mrs. H. B. Stillings, Mr. Edd Ellis, Mr. Bert Couch, Mr. C. B. Eaton, Mr. Wythe Holmes.

X-MAS DAY MEMORABLE.

Santa Claus Greeted the Children at the Village Hall.

Presents for all and Confectionery as well--General Observance of Day Elsewhere.

Christmas Day was made memorable for the children of the Village and vicinity, and through the efforts of a committee of which Miss Reynolds of Summit, N. J., was chairman, a most satisfactory program was arranged.

In all there were three trees, one each for the children of the Village, the children from the vicinity, and the colored children, and there were presents for one and all which a gaily dressed and wonderfully genial Santa Claus distributed from a brilliantly decorated holly tree which rested on the stage of the Village Hall.

Large numbers of the guests of the Village were present at the exercises enjoying them fully as much as the little ones.



GENERAL OBSERVANCE.

A general observance of the day was made throughout the Village, not only at the hotels but in the cottages, and elaborate dinners were features at The Holly Inn and Harvard, which helped to make the day enjoyable.



AT THE HOLLY INN.

- Blue Points
- Consomme Printaniere
- Puree of Tomatoes, aux Croutons
- Queen Olives Salted Almonds Celery
- Boiled Kennebec Salmon, Sauce Nonpariel
- Potatoes Duchesse
- Lettuce Cucumbers Radishes
- Boiled Capon, a l' Allemande
- Sweetbreads, a la Toulouse
- Fried Frogs Legs, Sauce Remoulade
- Apple Fritters, Glace au Benedictine
- Roast Sirloin of Beef au Jus
- Goose, Apple Sauce
- Vermont Turkey, Cranberry Sauce
- Boiled and Mashed Potatoes
- Boiled Sweet Potatoes Green Peas
- String Beans Stewed Corn Stewed Tomatoes
- French Vegetable Salad
- Roast Mallard Duck, Currant Jelly
- Roman Punch
- English Plum Pudding, Hard and Brandy Sauce
- Mince Pie Pumpkin Pie
- Cocoanut Cake Almond Kisses
- Frozen Pudding, Whipped Cream
- Figs Apples Assorted Nuts Oranges
- Edam American Pineapple Cheese
- Crackers Coffee

SEND THE CHRISTMAS OUTLOOK

To Friends--It will please them,

AND

"IT SAVES LETTER WRITING"