

Misses Cosgrove and Kirk Head South To Start Winter Golf Circuit at Tampa

Peggy Kirk of Findlay, Ohio, and Ann "Buttons" Cosgrove, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cosgrove at the Mid Pines club, left Wednesday morning for Tampa, Florida where the two girls will join the women's winter golf circuit, starting with the Tampa Open January 19.

Miss Kirk is the defending titleholders' champion and one of the outstanding women golfers in the United States. She was medalist in the Tampa tournament last winter, as well as in the Helen Oberthry Cup tournament at Miami a week later. She won the South Florida Amateur title at Palm Beach.

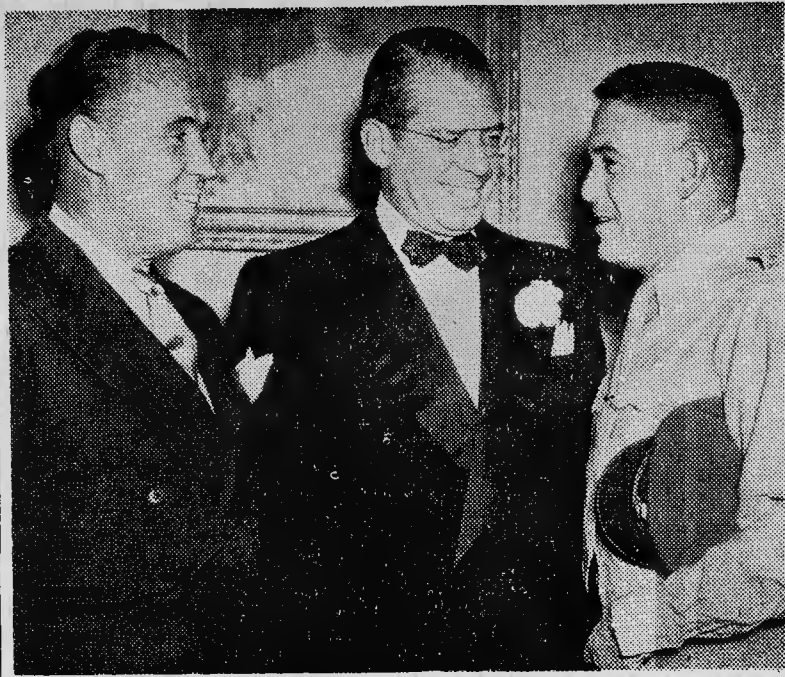
Buttons won the 1948 Charlotte invitation event last spring. She will be making her first bid on a Big Wheel in Florida.

The Mid Pines "stable" of golfers will be prominently arrayed at the Florida winter tournaments.

Ruth Woodward, Massachusetts champion, is expected to slip away to Florida long enough to play in the Palm Beach women's tourney and in the Everglades Club Invitation Mixed Foursomes event at Palm Beach. Pat O'Sullivan, New England Tri-State champ, may appear in the Orlando Foursomes; and Mae Murray, Vermont champion, also hopes to play in one or two Florida events. All are employed as desk clerks and secretaries at the Mid Pines club.

Meanwhile, the hotel is playing host to other golfing figures. Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Harmon checked in overnight Monday on their way from Montclair, N. J., to the Belleairé Biltmore at Belleaire, Fla., where Tommy is the season Pro. Zeke Browning, winter pro at the Mid Pines, arrived Tuesday evening from Texas to assume his club duties.

Bet They're Talking About Horses



Vernon G. Cardy, left, of Montreal and Southern Pines, leading Canadian hotelman and horseman, and C. K. Dwinell, of the Mount Royal hotel, Montreal, welcome Col. Homberto Mariles, world's champion rider, at a reception given recently at Montreal.

The reception honored Colonel Mariles and others of the magnificent Mexican military team which, in fine colorful style, rode off with top honors at the "Big Three" horse shows—the Pennsylvania National, U. S. National (Madison Square Garden) and Royal Winter Fair (Canadian).

A. P. Farmer, Sr. Dies at West End

A. P. Farmer, Sr., 70, died suddenly at his home in West End Monday at 12:15 p. m. following a heart attack. He had been in ill health for over two years.

Funeral services were held at the Culdee Presbyterian church Wednesday at 3 p. m., conducted by the Rev. W. H. Brown, supply pastor, assisted by the Rev. J. W. Sneed, the Rev. W. R. Gosnell and the Rev. R. R. Ramsey. Pallbearers were six grandsons, F. S. Currie, Jr., Gilbert Currie, William, Jack and Fred McKenzie and Robert Farmer.

Mr. Farmer was born in Scotland county June 20, 1879. He moved to Moore county some 30 years ago and lived for a time near Aberdeen. He moved to West End in 1938 and was associated from that time in the grocery business with his son, A. P. Farmer, Jr.

He was first married to the former Miss Etta Matthews, who died in 1937. He was married in 1942 to the former Mrs. Fannie Allen, who survives. Also surviving are five children, Mrs. F. S. Currie, Faye Iteville; Mrs. W. I. McKenzie, Pinehurst; A. P. Farmer, Jr., West End; Ted Farmer, Aberdeen, and Bascom C. Farmer, Mt. Vernon, Wash.; 25 grandchildren, three brothers and four sisters.

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION

Having qualified as Executors of the estate of Ethel Eglin Maurice, deceased, late of Moore County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at Eagle Springs, North

Carolina, on or before January 5th, 1951 or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This January 4, 1950.
ELLEN P. MAURICE,
CHARLES S. MAURICE,
Executors of the Will of Ethel Eglin Maurice.
J6, 13, 20, 27, F3, 10

NOTICE OF SALE OF LAND

Under authority conferred by Deed of Trust executed by THOMAS CORDON and wife, EUGENIA B. CORDON to A. S. RUGGLES, TRUSTEE, FOR SOUTHERN PINES BUILDING & LOAN ASSOCIATION, dated March 15, 1948 and recorded in Mortgage Book 79, at page 18 in the office of the Register of Deeds of Moore County, the said Trustee will at 12 o'clock NOON on

MONDAY, JANUARY 30th, 1950 at the Court House door of Moore County in Carthage, N. C., sell at public auction for cash to the highest bidder, the following described property situated in Sandhills Township, Moore County, Southern Pines, North Carolina, and more particularly described as follows:

FIRST TRACT: BEGINNING at an iron pipe where the south line of Massachusetts Avenue intersects the south west line of Arbutus Street; running thence with the south west line of Arbutus Street, S 34 deg., 15 min. E. 155 feet to an iron pipe; thence S 55 deg. 45 min. W. 223.4 feet to an iron pipe; thence N. 7 deg. 25 min. W. 252.8 feet to an iron pipe in the south line of Massachusetts Avenue; thence with the south line of Massachusetts Avenue, N. 88 deg. 48 min. E. 129.5 feet to

No "Flying Saucer" But B-36 Leaving Vapor Trail at Height of 40,000 Feet

"Flying saucer" was the cry about town last Friday afternoon, and crowds rushed out on the street to view the latest in aerial phenomena, which appeared high in the sky, toward the southwest, about 3 o'clock.

There was nothing saucerlike about it, but it was odd-looking anyway—a straight silver-white streak or slender vaporous tube, moving sedately against a background of grey cloud, tilting downward at a slight angle.

As the forward end proceeded, the rear end drew up so that the length of the critter remained the same throughout the 25 minutes it took to cross the visible area of sky.

An Army officer talked with a street said it was a jet plane at a tremendous height, and that he was here to "check its visibility." However, he was apparently just talking. News stories the next day, cropping up from Wrightsville Beach to Asheville, revealed it to be the wake of a B-36 eight miles up, made of vapor caused by the warm engines' condensation of icy particles in the cloud. The downward tilt was occasioned by the curve of the earth, a factor in vision at

GOOD WORK!

The TB Seal Sale thermometer at the post office "blew its top" this week, as the red mark jumped up to the final figure of \$1,300, quota for this community.

Dr. R. Bruce Warlick is Southern Pines chairman of the Seal sale, conducted during December under auspices of the Moore County Tuberculosis association.

No new report has been received from Voit Gilmore, county chairman, on progress of the collections in other communities, or the county as a whole.

Radio communication was established at the Charlotte airport with the big plane 40,000 feet up, Eglin field, Florida, was revealed as its destination. Where it came from was not told.

Flue-cured tobacco in the Old Belt sells at lower average prices for total sales than in the Middle, Eastern, and Border belts, according to a report by the U. S. Bureau of Agricultural Economics.

Looting Cars of Christmas Gifts, George Overlooks \$400, Gets Nabbed by Police

George Rogers, Negro, found a novel method of doing his Christmas shopping. The result was no merry Christmas for George, and his New Year greeting was a six months' sentence, handed him Tuesday at recorders court in Carthage, to be spent working at the county home.

He was convicted of larceny of articles from two cars parked on the local streets during Christmas week. From one car, belonging to Pete Martin and driven by Mr. James B. McFarland, who had been doing her Christmas shopping, a quantity of gift items were taken—ties, socks, bedroom slippers, a lamp and other things. However, in rifling the car as it was parked on Leake street the night of December 21, George overlooked the best gift parcel of all—a bag containing \$400, the day's receipts of the McFarland and Arnold Service Station.

H. B. Wright, of Green Harbor, Mass., a guest at the Mid Pines club, were taken clothing, keys, eye-glasses, a comb and \$5 in a small silk purse, as it was briefly parked on North Page street the night of December 20.

Both thefts had been reported to the city police, said Chief C. E. Newton. However, when officers observed George "acting suspicious" on a West Southern Pines street about 3:30 a. m. Thursday, December 22, they did not at first connect him with the thefts. George was a man with a record, though, and they proceeded to search him. In his pocket they found a pair of brand-new bedroom slippers.

The officers then went to George's room, where a search revealed more of Mrs. McFarland's purchases still in their cheery Christmas wrappings, also some of the things lost by Mr. Wright. The trail took them also to a neighbor's house, where George had apparently already made a gift for there was Mrs. McFarland's new-bought lamp.

Several of the stolen items remain missing, among them Mr. Wright's keys and the \$5 bill and purse, Chief Newton said.

Dr. Grey Given High Commission Post

Dr. Ross M. Grey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Maxwell Grey of Morganton road, has been made special assistant to Dr. Anderson, technical coordinator for the Mexican-American commission for control of hoof and mouth disease. Dr. Grey, who with Mrs. Grey has been in Mexico since last July working on this important government project, has been transferred from Oaxaca to Mexico City to take over his new duties.

Dr. Anderson is second in command to General Johnson, who heads the Commission.

Dr. Grey, a graduate of the Southern Pines High school, attended the University of North Carolina, then transferred to Auburn for his veterinary studies and degree in veterinary science. He returned east a year ago after practicing for a time in Tulsa, Okla., and after a brief period at Fort Bragg was sent to Mexico with the hoof and mouth disease control project.

Airborne Men Train for Biggest Maneuvers

A large contingent of the 82nd Airborne at Fort Bragg is entering this week on intensive training at Little Creek, Va., for this country's largest peacetime maneuvers, to be held through mid-March on a small island off Puerto Rico.

A 500-man vanguard left Fort Bragg Wednesday by truck, followed by 3,000 more soldiers in nine trains, for the naval shipyards at Charleston, S. C. There they were marched aboard a small armada of waiting ships, to be set sail for Little Creek.

During the maneuvers, dubbed "Exercise Portex," the Airborne members will support 80,000 troops—Army, Navy and Marines—in a simulated invasion and defense of the island. Realism will be given the maneuvers through the presence on the scene of three actual Russian ships, classified as "fishing schooners" but known to be radio-equipped and believed to be on duty in the area for observation purposes.



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- \$550.00 Empire solid mahogany High Poster Bedroom group. Exquisite styling, **\$440.00**
- \$159.50 Blond 4-pc. Bedroom group with large poster bed, **\$139.50**
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- \$249.50 9-pc. Walnut Modern Dining Room group, table, buffet, china and 6 chairs, **\$198.00**
- \$339.50 9-pc. Mahogany Dining Room Suite, **\$270.00**

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