

GOLF NEWS AND COMMENTS
At Southern Pines Country Club

By DAVE WAGENVOORD
Terrible! Terrible!

Perry Frye sells a lot of lamps. Occasionally he also plays a lot of golf. Last Sunday, however, Perry hit the worst golf shot this reporter has ever seen: Witnesses of this ridiculously poor shot included his wife Nell, Herman Grover, two unidentified players, and Charlie Clapp of WEEB. The shot was so bad that it defies description.

All we can say is that he did it on the fourth tee with a driver and it caused him to decide not to continue the round.

Fore!!
Hermann Grover test drove the new single seat electric cart last week and ran into a bit of trouble.

"I believe this cart is faster than my car," commented hard-hitting Hermann, who is occasionally seen cruising through the Sandhills in a Ford Thunderbird.

Grover had his first close call as he roared (if roaring is possible in an electric cart) down the second fairway at top speed after a long tee shot. He attempted to leap the heavily banked dirt road

that crosses the fairway. The speedy cart flew off the front bank all right but then crashed headlong into the second. Fortunately Grover was thrown clear by the impact and escaped without injury.

Incidentally, he birdied the hole.

Ladies Day
The Southern Pines ladies entertained the central Carolina Womens Golf Association last week. Entries included players from Charlotte, Lexington, Salisbury, Badin, Troy, Asheboro, Wadesboro, Concord and Southern Pines.

Local winners included Mrs. Roger Wicks who won low gross, class A, with a 92; Polly Frye, low gross, Class B, with a 90; and Mrs. James Besley, low net winner in class C.

Julie Strouse won the honesty prize with an extremely honest 10 on the par 3 14th. Her prize was an odd type of headcover with old plates of lead in it. The cover is designed to make swinging difficult, if not impossible.

Any Challengers?
O. T. Parks scored a sparkling 74 as he continued his winning

Aberdeen Church To Dedicate New Building Sunday; Bishop To Speak

Bishop W. W. Peele of Laurinburg, will preach at Page Memorial Methodist Church, Aberdeen, Sunday, May 6, at 11 a. m., after which he will dedicate the recently constructed educational building.

A former pastor, the Rev. T. J. Whitehead of Graham, will participate in the worship service and in the service of dedication. The building plans were drawn up and much of the money for the project was raised during the Rev. Mr. Whitehead's pastorate. The present pastor, the Rev. W. A. Tew, succeeded the Rev. Mr. Whitehead in the fall of 1952. The building was constructed during the winter and spring of 1954 at a cost of approximately \$35,000, including equipment. This includes the renovation of the fellowship hall, kitchen and basement, which composed the old unit.

ways easily taking another inter-club match last Thursday. "With three strokes a side I'm ready for anybody," said Parks. This is probably true but it is doubtful if O. T. will continue to receive as many shots from his opponents in the future.

Author Quick
Otis Quick of Milo, Maine, is still in town. He played two rounds over the weekend with pro Roy Grinnell's clubs. His scores were not disclosed although Grinnell said after close examination of his clubs that he did hit the ball approximately on the right part of the club faces. Quick announced that he may remain in Southern Pines to finish the latest book he is writing, "Golf Is A Many Splendored Game."

Following the worship service and dedication service, a picnic dinner will be spread on the church grounds near the new building. All former pastors and friends of the church are invited to return for the occasion.

At 8 p. m. Sunday, the color motion picture, "John Wesley," will be shown at the church. Based on the life of the English clergyman who was the originator of the Methodist movement, the picture was filmed in England and has been highly praised by many critics. Admission is free and the public is invited. An offering will be received to defray the expenses of the showing.

Wildlife Club To Sponsor Booth At Farmer's Festival

The Moore County Wildlife Club will sponsor a booth at three agricultural festivals this year, it has been announced by Clyde Auman of West End, president.

The club, meeting last week, voted to construct a booth at the annual Farmer's Day Festival in Aberdeen May 4 and 5, the county fair in Carthage in the fall, and at the state fair.

Auman appointed a four-man committee, headed by J. A. Ferguson, to make the arrangements. Other committee members are C. N. Page and General R. P. Hill, both of Southern Pines, and Ray Overcash of Aberdeen.

The club also discussed the desirability of providing wood duck nest boxes for the more than 400 privately-owned ponds in the county. Eugene McDonald, a club

member, offered to provide material for construction of the boxes without charge.

The boxes will be available for anyone who wants them next fall, free of charge.

The Wildlife Club also heard the good news that state officials are building an access area to

Deep River for fishing purposes. It is not definitely known when the access area will be ready for use.

In one other report made, Ray Overcash, county wildlife protector, said that 1,300 pounds of free seed had been distributed in the county during the past year.

The June meeting will be held at Leavitt's Lake, between Pinehurst and Carthage, the second Monday night.

Prospective plantings as of March 1, indicate that there will be over two million acres of Tar Heel land planted to corn in 1956.

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