



# The Pinehurst Page

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## Lions Club to Fete Ladies

Philip Weaver, superintendent of the Greensboro City Schools, will be the speaker at the Lions Club's annual Ladies Night banquet, to be held Wednesday night at the Pinehurst Country Club. Mr. Weaver was formerly superintendent of the Southern Pines Schools.

Included on the program will be songs by the Pinettes, local high school students Rose Ehrhardt, Linda Hinson, Sharon McDonald, Sylvia Loudermilk, Barbara Price, Jennifer Owens and Barbara Cole, directed by Miss Ann Hovis.

Bishop Louis C. Melcher will give the invocation at the dinner, which begins at 7:30.

## Mid-South Bridge Winners from Columbia, S. C.

A South Carolina team, Donald Dial and Robert McMahan, of Columbia, won the Championship Playoff in the 24th annual Mid-South Invitational Duplicate Bridge tournament held over the weekend at The Carolina Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lovill of Mt. Airy took second place honors with third prize going to Mrs. Clyde Allred and Mrs. Robert Garland of High Point. Fourth place winners were Mrs. Robert McMahan of Columbia and James Smith of Mt. Airy, and Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Roycraft of Durham teamed to take fifth place honors.

Charlotteans Mrs. Word H. Wood and Mrs. Robert Peaseley were medalists.

Overall winners of the special event for The Carolina Trophies, played Saturday night concurrently with the Championship finals, were Mrs. Paul Tye and Mrs. R. H. Ferguson, of Alta Vista, Va., playing East-West. Mr. and Mrs. John Norwood, Jr. of Greenville, S. C., playing North-South position, were runners-up; second place winners, North-South, were Mr. and Mrs. D. Newton Farnell of Greensboro and third, Mrs. H. A. Porter, Bramwell, W. Va., and Mrs. John Dennen, Pocahontas, Va.

Southern Pines players Mrs. C. H. Bowman and Mrs. Jean Edson were second place winners, East-West, with third prize going to W. E. Young and W. E. Howell, of High Point.

A total entry of 96 players in the tournament was reduced to 30 teams who participated in the finals Saturday.

## Basketball Game Will Benefit March of Dimes

A benefit basketball game for the March of Dimes will be played here January 30.

J. Frank McCaskill, Moore County director for the March of Dimes and local drive chairman, said the game between the men of the American Legion A. B. Sally, Jr. Post 350 and the Lions Club, will begin at 7 p. m. in the Pinehurst School auditorium.

There will also be a game between the American Legion Auxiliary and the local school teachers, said McCaskill, with cheerleaders to cheer the teams to victory.

### DAIRYMEN MEETING

The 1961 Dairy Princess, Miss Barbara Morgan of Asheville, is good will ambassador and a speaker at the 28th annual meeting of the North Carolina Dairy Products Association which began here Wednesday and continues through Friday at the Carolina Hotel.

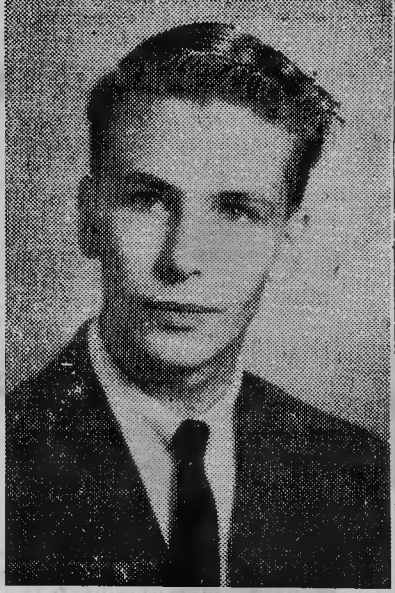
A special ladies program was scheduled for today and the ladies will join their husbands for a Hawaiian dinner in the hotel's main ballroom tonight, to be followed by a square dance with Nick Crotty and his Carolina Cardinals.

### SKREET SHOOT

Albert S. Tufts is in charge of the 16th annual Mid-Winter Skreet Championship, to be held January 19-21 at the Pinehurst Gun Club.

The shoot is open to all and includes classes in 22-gauge, .410, 28 and 20-gauge guns.

## TEEING OFF \* WITH deNISSOFF



GENE MAPLES

We don't object to snow, which makes longleaf pines and broad-leaved magnolias even more alluring than usual. Our objection is to a more mundane secondary effect of snow—the footgear required to combat it.

We were horrified last weekend to find eight pairs of shoes, from size three sneakers to size eight knee boots, steaming in a neat row by a wall heater; all had been worn by two children during a single day.

One happy note—at least the sopping wet shoes and boots were lined up neatly, not slung in haphazardly through the back door—the customary procedure.

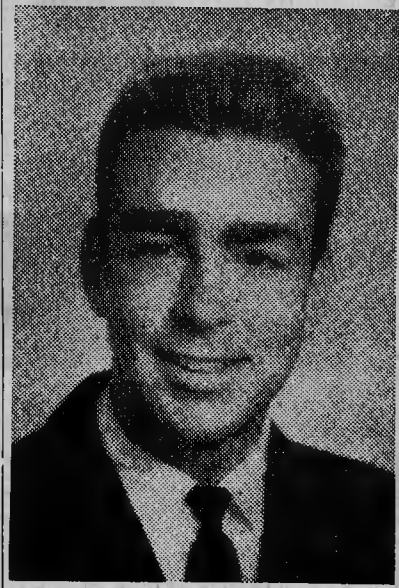
Before Seniors Gene Maples and John Barry graduate from the Pinehurst High School this spring, we want to commend them on their fine job of reporting the Pinehurst School news. The boys take turns each week compiling and writing the news, which they deliver promptly each Tuesday morning, before school, to meet our early "Pinehurst Page" deadline.

Gene Maples, who will be 17 next month, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Henson Maples of Midland Road. Gene is president of the Dramatics Club at the Pinehurst School, a member of the School Glee Club, and served as a staff assistant in the production of the annual this year. He is a member of the Pinehurst Community

Church. Though his father is a Davidson College graduate, Gene plans to enter N. C. State College in the fall.

Gene's grandmother, Mrs. Frank Maples, lives in Knollwood. Of her late husband, Frank, who was golf course superintendent at the Pinehurst Country Club, Golf Architect Donald Ross said "he's the best in the world at his job." The job of superintendent of Pinehursts five 18-hole courses is now capably handled by Henson

Gene's maternal grandparents the H. W. Ehrhardts, who live on Everett Road, came here a number of years ago from South Carolina.



JOHN BARRY

John Barry, Jr., 17, hopes to enter Holy Cross or the University of North Carolina next September. John, who was assistant editor of this year's Pinehurst School annual, is vice president of the French Club and treasurer of the Beta Club and of the Dramatics Club. He is a member of Sacred Heart Catholic Church.

John is the son of Mrs. John E. Barry, of Pinehurst, and of Lieutenant (sg.) Barry, of Charleston, S. C., who was lost in a combat mission from his battle station, the Carrier Essex, during World War II.

John and his mother live with her mother, Mrs. S. A. Hennessee who moved here from Bridgeport Conn. in the early 1900's following her marriage to an Asheville native, the late Sam Hennessee.

## Here and Away

Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Garvin were Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Garvin and two children of Columbia, S. C.; Mr. and Mrs. Norton Bowden of Clinton, and Mrs. W. F. Garvin of Aiken, S. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Garner and children, William and Donald, of Sanford, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wiley L. Garner at Pinewild Farm. The children enjoyed a joint birthday dinner with their grandparents.

Donald Fillipelli has returned to New York City after a weekend here on business connected with the Pinehurst Playhouse of which he is director.

Here to see their new grandson, William Johnston Howe, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Howe of Pinebluff are her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Clement Johnston of Buffalo, N. Y. The Johnstons are visiting the baby's paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Howe, on Linden Road.

Dr. Emily Tufts, who joined Mrs. John W. Tuckerman for a weekend of skiing in Vermont, returned home the first of the week. Mrs. Tuckerman, the former Darst Hyatt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter D. Hyatt, lives near Boston with her husband and two children.

Mr. and Mrs. William S. Anderson plan to leave this weekend for two weeks in Mountain Lakes, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. Eric Nelson left Saturday for a fortnight with their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Nelson and their small son, in Hollywood, Fla.

Leaving Sunday for Miami Beach, Fla. are Mr. and Mrs. Henson Maples. They will spend the week at the Sherry Frontenac Hotel where he will attend the annual convention of Golf Course Superintendents of America beginning Wednesday.

Dr. and Mrs. M. W. Marr are in Florida on a visit with her brother and sister-in-law in Cocoa.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Carter will spend this weekend in Tarboro as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edward L. Clayton and will attend a reception there Saturday honoring

their daughter, recent bride of Edward L. Clayton, Jr.

Miss Margaret A. Lavery, whose sister-in-law, Mrs. Arthur P. Lavery of New York City was her guest here last week, left Sunday to accompany Mrs. Lavery to Miami, Fla. where she will spend this week.

Mrs. John T. Pratt, III left Tuesday to return to her home in South Hamilton, Mass. after a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James K. Stone.

Mrs. Kenneth F. Ferris returned Wednesday from Florida where she attended the Miami Gift Show.

Guests last weekend of Mr. and Mrs. Edward M. Hales were her niece, Mrs. Guy Schlaseman, Dr. Schlaseman and their two children, of Durham.

## American Major Saves Life of Japanese Boy

The life of a little Japanese boy was saved recently by the prompt action of an American officer, Maj. Lawrence P. Monahan, Jr. The major's wife, the former Flora Ellen Cameron sent her father, Gordon Cameron and his wife in Pinehurst, a picture of her husband, with the Japanese baby and his parents, which appeared in a Japanese newspaper.

The little boy Takao, four months' old "first son" of Masahisa Hashidate and his wife, Yuko, had swallowed a piece of wrapped candy and was choking. His parents were carrying him, on foot, to a hospital when Major Monahan stopped his car, saw the situation, and picked up the parents and child, transporting them quickly to a hospital in Sagami-hara City near Camp Zama where the major is stationed.

Major Monahan was an instructor at the United States Military Academy, West Point, N. Y. for four years and was ordered to Japan last August, where he and his wife and three children will be living during his three year tour of duty with the U. S. Forces.



SANTHA RAMA RAU

## Forum to Hear Discussion of India and World

Santha Rama Rau, one of the most important contemporary women of letters, will be the featured speaker at the fourth meeting of the Pinehurst Forum next Thursday evening, January 25, at the Pinehurst Country Club. Miss Rama Rau will discuss "India on the World Scene," a subject with which she is uniquely familiar and which is of particular interest and importance to Americans and all of the free world at this time.

Born in Madras, India in 1923, Santha Rama Rau is the daughter of the distinguished Indian diplomat, Sir Benegal Rama Rau. She spent her formative years amid the changing scenes of her father's diplomatic stations in England, the capitals of Europe, and South Africa.

After receiving her early education in London, Miss Rama Rau returned home to India where she traveled as much as she could and wrote for her country's leading newspapers, magazines and radio. In 1941 she came to America to attend Wellesley College. Following graduation, her first book, "Home to India," was published in 1945. It describes her discovery of herself as an Indian after ten years of schooling in the West.

In 1947 Miss Rama Rau went to Tokyo with her father, who had been appointed India's first Ambassador to Japan, and also to teach English at the famous Freedom School there. When her father became Ambassador to the United States she came with him, but returned soon after to the Far East where she traveled extensively. Two more of her books were then published, "East of Home" and "This is India."

Two recent books, "View from the Southeast" and "My Russian Journey" have added to her stature as an accomplished writer and observer of life in many parts of the world. She is a frequent contributor to such magazines as The New Yorker, Holiday, Mademoiselle and The Saturday Review, for which she wrote an article on "Women in Asia" for its special edition on Asia.

Her adaptation of E. M. Forster's "A Passage to India" for the stage was an instantaneous success in England and ran for eleven months. It will be presented in America under the auspices of the Theater Guild.

Miss Rama Rau is married to Faubion Bowers, American writer, and they travel frequently to Europe and Asia. They have a young son, Jai.

Members of the Forum and their guests are reminded that Miss Rama Rau's lecture will begin at 8:45 following the usual Thursday evening buffet dinner at the Country Club. Capt. George F. Shearwood, president of the Forum and himself a noted world traveler, will preside.

### SKREET WINNER

Fred Fields took the skreet shooting prize in Sunday's 50-target event, besting eight other shooters with 42 plus seven handicap giving him a total of 49.

### CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICE

Conflicting demands of everyday living can be resolved through spiritual understanding of God as divine Life. This is the theme of the Lesson-Sermon entitled "Life" which is to be read at Christian Science services Sunday in the local church.

### 1,000 ROUNDS

For the first time in its 67-year history, Pinehurst offers five 18-hole courses for fall through spring play, and year-round accommodations at the Holly Inn. It hasn't been unusual in the past, says James W. Tufts, to have 1,000 rounds of golf played in one day at the Pinehurst Country Club.

### BABY DAUGHTER

Mr. and Mrs. William C. Sledge are the parents of a daughter, Andrea Whitman, born January 12 at Moore Memorial Hospital. The baby weighed in at six pounds, 14 ounces. Her brother, Billy, is three.

## Pinehurst School Highlights

By Gene Maples and John Barry

### Game Cancelled

Pinehurst students had a three-day vacation because of the white stuff that fell Tuesday. On Friday, our basketball game away at Highfalls was cancelled because of snow, and no new date has been set for the game.

On Tuesday, Pinehurst teams went to Robbins and on Friday, the Fighting Scots of Cameron will visit us.

### Mid-Term Exams

On Friday and Monday, Pine-

hurst High has mid-term exams; previously scheduled for Thursday and Friday of this week, they were moved up a day because of the enforced vacation. Everybody has buckled down to study for those two tough days ahead.

### Dramatics Club

The Dramatics Club has been meeting on Tuesday afternoons and plans to put on a play in the near future. Miss Harris, the Dramatics Club advisor, has ordered several plays and one will

be selected out of this number.

Some of the members have already entertained the club by putting on a small pantomime, "Greedy Gus."

### Senior Play

The seniors are beginning work on the annual senior play, with Miss Harris, 12th grade homeroom teacher, as advisor. Plans are still incomplete as the play has not been selected.

### Sample Annual Out

The sample annual has arrived so we can see what the real annual will look like. If there are any mistakes in the sample annual, the staff corrects them before the sample copy goes to press. We expect our completed "Rebel" some time after March 1.



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