



The Pinehurst Page

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MISS CLARICE ELIZABETH DAVENPORT is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Walter Davenport of Rocky Mount, who announce her engagement to Lt. Stanley Galpin Cook, United States Marine Corps, Cherry Point. He is the son of Robinson Cook of Madison, Conn. and Mrs. Galpin Cook of Pinehurst. The wedding is planned for June 16 in the First Methodist Church of Rocky Mount.

Here and Away

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Wolfe and daughters, Amy and Margaret, of Rochester, N. Y., got here today for the weekend with Mrs. Wolfe's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John R. Sibley.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Freedom Eaton of South Duxbury, Mass. are here for two weeks at their Mystic apartment. Their weekend guests are their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Easton of New York City, who are staying at the Magnolia Inn.

Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Richard S. Lovering are his daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Allen and three children of Harrisburg, Pa.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Edward Stevens are her three granddaughters, Cynthia, Catherine and Louise Herron, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. S. Davidson Herron of Sewickley, Pa., who are presently on a business trip to Europe.

Here with Mr. and Mrs. Henry W. Lyman for the Washington's birthday weekend are Mr. and Mrs. Jackson S. Gouraud of Stamford, Conn. and Mrs. Harold H. Hutcheson of New Canaan.

The Randolph R. Fews and their two children returned Monday to their home in Durham

after a weekend visit with Mrs. Few's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Dana.

Spending the past weekend with Bishop and Mrs. Louis C. Melcher were their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. James B. Dooley and Mr. and Mrs. Pick Simpson, both couples of Statesville. The Melchers spent Monday in Lexington as guests of Gen. and Mrs. Robert Sink. Bishop Melcher spoke to the Women's Auxiliary of the Episcopal Church in Lexington.

Here for the weekend with his father, John O. Hobson, were Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hobson of Raleigh.

Mrs. Robert E. Harlow and Eddie Ervin of Golf World returned Wednesday from Dunedin, Fla. where they attended the annual PGA Championship. They were accompanied by Miss Ann Brechin who returned home also. Mrs. Harlow Monday attended a meeting of the National Golf Fund of which she is a board member.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry W. Gebhard of Evanston, Ill. are here in the Homer Johnson cottage on Midland Road, which they have leased until May 1 through Biddle & Co.

Woman's Exchange Rummage Sale Has Garden Center

A garden corner, with plants and bushes of azaleas, camellias, and other species, will be a new feature of the rummage sale to be held March 1-2 under sponsorship of the Sandhills Woman's Exchange.

This popular spring sale will also feature a food table, with pies, cakes and other pastries donated. There will also be the usual articles associated with a rummage sale, household furniture and furnishings, and clothing.

Doors will be open from 9 a. m. to 4:30 p. m. in the Community Club, next door to the Fire Station, where the rummage sale will be held.

Persons with articles to donate are asked to leave these at the Community Club on Tuesday, February 27, or they may call CYPRESS 4-5962 for pick-up.

Ft. Bragg Officer Talks on STRAC To Lions Club

The Pinehurst Lions Club held its regular semi-monthly supper meeting at Leaverne's Grill on Wednesday, February 14.

Everett A. Horrell, program chairman, introduced the speaker, Lt. Col. Harry M. Rising, commanding officer, United States Army Garrison, Fort Bragg.

Colonel Rising gave an informative talk on the Strategic Army Corps or STRAC, the United States Army ready force and its mission—to be prepared for limited and/or general war anywhere in the world.

The features of STRAC are being ready now, having a balanced force, making use of all types of weapons and being variable in size; its motto—"Be skilled, tough, ready—round the clock."

Cooke, von Schlegell, Tin Whistle Winners

Donald D. Cooke and John B. von Schlegell turned in point sides of 40-42-82 to win Saturday Tin Whistle Club's car-boogey tournament for the better ball of pair.

Runners-up, with 38-42-80 were Dr. F. L. Owens and A. Carl Moser.

Forty-two members played Country Club Tourney.

In a par-boogey event for better ball of pair played last Wednesday by 22 Pinehurst Country Club members, Col. Arthur G. Dezenford and John R. Burr scored 40-46-86 points to win the tournament.

In runner-up position, with 34-50-84 points were Robert M. Pearse and Charles A. Pitts.

DANCE POSTPONED

The Teen Age Round Robin and Square Dance, scheduled by the Pinehurst Tennis Club for Saturday, February 24, has been postponed because of a conflict in dates.

TEERING OFF * WITH deNISSOFF

Birthday Dance

The annual Washington's Birthday Ball beginning at 9 tonight in the Carolina Hotel ballroom, will be preceded by a candlelight dinner in the hotel's main dining room.

There will be special dances for prizes at the "red-white-and-blue" dancing party.

Modern President—Lucky

U. S. presidents in modern times, while reserving the largest proportion of their time to the public interest and to the demands of their office, still in one sense are better off than their predecessors.

When and if possible, the nation's top executive today can take off by plane for his home, be it in Maryland or on Cape Cod, or to any designated spot for at least a few days' relaxation and recreation.

Our first President, whose birthdate we celebrate today, was not so fortunate. Mount Vernon, the home George Washington inherited from his half-brother, Lawrence, and which he loved saw him seldom.

His tours of duty with the English Army in the French and Indian War, as Commander in Chief of the Virginia Army, later extended to first C-in-C of the government of the 13 American Colonies in the war against the British kept him from home; then when he had hoped to return to Mount Vernon to live out his days

as a gentleman farmer, Washington was called to New York as America's First President.

Ironically Jefferson also, who said of his beautiful Monticello, "all my dreams end where I hope my days will end, at Monticello," did not realize his dream of ending his days on his Virginia mountaintop home.

Pitching Cartwheels

One of the golf holes on the course at Fred Waring's Shawnee-on-Delaware Club is a pitch over the Delaware, supposedly on the spot where Washington tossed a silver dollar across the River. The silver "cartwheels" must have been more plentiful in those days than now.

New Assignment

The USGA has picked off another of the section's top sportsmen for assignment at its Golf House headquarters in New York City. Eddie Ervin, Golf World's associate editor for the past two and a half years, goes to New York March 1 as public information manager for the U. S. Golf Association.

P. J. Boatwright, Jr., former executive secretary of the Carolina Golf Association, two years ago traded his CGA headquarters in the Sandhills for the Metropolitan-area job of assistant to USGA Executive Secretary Joseph Dey.

Good luck, Eddie, in your new post.

PINEHURST SCHOOL NEWS

By GENE MAPLES

PHS Boys Victors

The Pinehurst Rebels Friday downed the Blue Knights of Southern Pines by a score of 47-45. The Knights were undefeated up to Friday. The Rebels are now holding second place in conference standings. The Blue Knights are first, having beaten every team in the conference at least once.

Knowing it was going to be the season's hardest game, the Rebels went in fighting and came out the victors. Confidence played an important part in Pinehurst's game—the lead never fluctuated more than a few points, though Southern Pines was ahead at varying intervals.

At the final buzzer, the teams were tied at 45. In the resulting three-minute overtime, Pinehurst held possession of the ball to run the clock out. Then, with only seconds left, Marty McKenzie took a long, outside shot which narrowly missed and was put up and in by Butch Hardy. As the final seconds ticked away, Southern Pines didn't have time for a long desperation shot.

High scorers for Pinehurst: Butch Hardy, 21 points; Marshall Lewis, 15; Marty McKenzie, 5; Gary Cameron, 5; Bill McDonald, 1; Oldham, Beddingfield, Black and Diethofer.

The Southern Pines team can be commended for a well played game and good sportsmanship. High scorers for the Knights: Johnny Bristow, 13; Harold Williford, 11; Eddie McKenzie, 9; Wallie Wallace, 8; Dick Seymour, 4.

Girls Win Too

The Pinehurst girls pulled a 41-40 game through the final minutes. The Rebels had somewhat of an off-night, lagging behind until late in the game.

Judy Cameron was high scorer for Pinehurst, and for the game, with 31 points; Patsy Hunt scored 3; Linda Hinson, 2 and Barbara Stutts, 2.

For Southern Pines, Peggie Worth scored 24 points; Cathie Niles, 9; Joan Grover, 7.

Valentine Dance

Miss Judy Cameron was crowned 1962 Valentine Queen at the Valentine Dance held Saturday at the Village Chapel Hall.

Seniors Buy Invitations

The Senior Class was recently visited by representatives from Josten Jewelers, printers and engravers of the 1962 graduation invitations. The class has chosen a handsome invitation which is being made up.

Dr. Henderson Speaks

Dr. Charles Henderson, dean of student affairs at the University of North Carolina, addressed the Pinehurst PTA on February 13. He talked on the "how and why" of a college education, its importance and desirability.

Teen Club News

A new date has been set for the Sandhill Team Club dance. Since the basketball tournaments will be on the 24th, the dance has been moved to March 10. We are now changing the dates on the posters already out, so please bear with us.

We have big plans for a spring vacation record hop and we need everybody's support to make it a success.

Mr. and Mrs. Livingston L. Biddle, II expect to leave Saturday for a short stay in Palm Beach, Fla.

Sandhill Talent Show Moved Up; To Be March 31

The date of the Sandhill Talent Show has been moved up from March 23 to 31 because of a conflict in dates.

Sponsored by the Pinehurst Community Recreation Association, proceeds from ticket sales will benefit the summer recreation program.

Interested prospective contestants are asked to call Mrs. A. N. Derouin in Pinehurst before March 1. Prizes range from a summer vacation to an appearance on one of the state's major television networks.

STARTING TIMES

Reserved starting times on all five courses at the Pinehurst Country Club became effective as of last Saturday. Hotel guests will get times at their individual hotels. Cottagers will make application two days in advance of play at the club's starting times desk in person, or by calling CYPRESS 4-4621.

MATINEE DATES

James W. Tufts, secretary-treasurer of the Pinehurst Driving and Training Club, announces that dates for two spring trotting matinees were set at a recent meeting of the club. The initial racing event of the 1961-62 season is scheduled for Sunday afternoon, March 11, at the local track, with the second meet to be held on Sunday, March 18. In case of rainout, Sunday, April 15th, has been set as the alternate date.

The date for Trotting Time Trials, run each year at the Pinehurst track prior to the departure of horses for the summer racing circuit, has been set for Tuesday, April 24, with the 25th designated as alternate in case of rain.

LUTHERAN SERVICES

Following is the Sunday schedule of services at St. James Lutheran Church, Missouri Synod, at James Street and New Hampshire Avenue: Sunday School—10:30 a. m. every Sunday; worship services—7 p. m. first and third Sunday of each month.

Turtle Rock: Rock Hound Club Symbol

The Moore County Rock Hound Club adopted the "Turtle Rock" as their club symbol at their regular monthly meeting on February 2. That night, a common, nondescript rock was accepted by the members as a symbol to represent the beginning of the club when the value of the rock depended on its appeal to the finder, purely from appearance and not from any known value.

Why the name "Turtle" and where did this rock come from? Two men who are now ardent members of the Rock Hound Club were "rock-hunting," just looking for any rock of interest or eye-appeal. They were riding along a country road somewhere between Asheboro and Farmer.

One of the men spotted a rock on the bank some 50 feet away. The first man then said, "I want that rock." The second asked "What do you want that rock for?" The former replied, "Just because I want it and because it looks like a turtle sitting there."

Thus the Turtle Rock was born. Since that day it has been the object of much kidding among the members. However, this true of interest symbolizes the true rock-hound who is interested in what he sees in rocks, whether it be valuable or a common rock. It may be an unusual shape or color or but a real rock hound never comes home empty-handed and sometimes he may have a rock which will cut into a stone for an attractive piece of jewelry.

LAWN BOWLS

The fourth annual Holly Inn Lawn Bowls tournament, postponed from Monday, began today. Cottagers and hotel guests interested in competing in the event should register with Louis Forte at the Bowls Pavilion at the Pinehurst Country Club.



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SEATS NOW — CALL PINEHURST 294-7051



IN THE DRIVERS SEAT of a 1932 Chrysler Imperial sports car is Leslie Henry, curator of the Henry Ford Museum. Mr. Henry and four colleagues were here last week to inspect the car, which belonged to the late John Warren Watson and has been stored in the garage of Drydocks Cottage. Mrs. Watson has given the Chrysler and an early-model Duesenberg, stored at the Watson home in Wayne, Pa., to

the Ford Museum at Dearborn, Mich. The inspection team, left to right, Tom Ketten, Andrew Hotten, Harold Dorste, Howard Sally, and Mr. Henry, pronounced the car, of the same yellow color used in present-day models, in perfect condition. It will be taken to Dearborn in a truck within the next two weeks and placed, as is, on the museum floor (Hemmer Photo)