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ENTER GOLF TOURNEY

LOCAL CLUB PRO TO PINEHURST & GREENSBORO OPEN

Ed Riccoboni, golf pro at the Roanoke Rapids Country Club, has entered the North-South Open tournament to be held at Pinehurst on March 18 to 20. From that tourney the local pro will go to Greensboro where he will compete in the Greater Greensboro Open on March 21 to 23.

The young golfer, who came to the Roanoke Rapids Club from Warrenton on July 1, 1940, has proven himself an excellent teacher of the game and promises to go far in the two meets. He says, however, that he does not expect to walk off with the trophy, but that he wishes to get the experience which the two tournaments will give him.

The Country Club at present has approximately 100 members, three-fourths of which are playing golf. Reports are that the members have found the young pro very efficient in his work with the golfers and the greens.

Last week Dr. Upshur Higginbotham was elected president of the club for the ensuing year. Gordon Berkstresser was chosen vice-president. Edwin Akers was elected secretary-treasurer some time ago.

Richard H. Gray Rites Are Held Near Garysburg

Richard Henry Gray, 71, died at his home in Richmond, Va., last Sunday following an illness of several months. Funeral services were held Tuesday at Lebanon Methodist Church by Rev. G. E. Garlington in charge and burial was in the family cemetery near Garysburg. Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Ada Jordan Gray, and one daughter, Miss Avy Gray; two sisters, Mrs. Annie Butler of Roanoke Rapids and Mrs. Charlie Cook of Garysburg; two brothers, T. L. Gray of Garysburg and B. D. Gray of Roanoke, Rapids.

Scout Leaders Attend Meeting

The following scout officials and leaders of Roanoke Rapids attended a meeting for leaders held at Greenville on Saturday, March 8: Misses Margaret Poyner, Frances Newsom, Eileen Fisher, Louise Brown, Margaret Watson, Mary R. Robertson, Mesdames Sam Bunn, A. O. George, Cecil Buxton, and Graham Shell.

The conference at Greenville was held in connection with National Girls Scout Week which began yesterday.

Finch - Daniel

Mrs. Alice Daniel announces the marriage of her daughter, Willie, to Dewey Finch on March 10, 1941, in the House of Prayer, Roanoke Rapids, the ceremony being performed by the pastor of the church, Mrs. H. J. Finch. The couple will make their home in Roanoke Rapids.

CIRCLE MEETS

The Lottie Moon Circle held its regular monthly meeting last Thursday evening, March 6, in the home of Mrs. Scott Hasty on Williams Street. The meeting was opened with the hymn, "The Way of the Cross Leads Home". Mrs. I. B. Leslie led in prayer. Then the watchword for the year was recited. Following Mrs. H. W. Wheeler read the Scripture which was taken from Psalms 107:1-16. "America" was then sung. Mrs. Wheeler read and discussed the lesson. The topic was "An Urgent Gospel-Need of Homeland". Both old and new business was discussed and the closing hymn was "Jesus Saves". At the conclusion of the meeting Mrs. Hasty, assisted by Mrs. Wheeler, served delicious refreshments to the following: Mesdames C. W. Moore, M. M. Moore, Eddie Wilson, I. B. Leslie, J. M. Faison, and Miss Elizabeth Brown.

Business Circle Meets

The Business Girls Circle of the First Presbyterian Church met in the home of Miss Winifred Beckwith last Thursday evening, March 6. The meeting was called to order by the chairman, Miss Margaret Wood. The report of the secretary and treasurer was given by Mrs. John Buck. Both old and new business was discussed. The members were invited to attend a supper given in the Recreation building of the church by the Auxiliary on Tuesday. The topic for the program was "How Better Serve My Church", which was presented by Miss Nellie Morris, assisted by Misses Gertrude Wood, Gladys Morris and Winifred Beckwith. The Bible Study was conducted by Miss Gertrude Wood. At the close of the meeting Miss Beckwith served delicious refreshments to the following: Mesdames Rupert Hardy, C. A. Wyche, John Buck, Graham Shell, Charles Dickens, Russell Daniel, Zeb Denny, Edward Hutcherson, J. C. Bryant, Hubert Parrott, Misses Gertrude Wood, Mildred Lee Moore, Susan Holliday, Nellie

Morris, Louise Brown, Gladys Morris, Louise Daniel and Margaret Wood.

Mrs. Vaughan Honored

Mrs. C. E. Vaughan was given a surprise birthday party Feb. 25, honoring her 53rd birthday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. A. W. Harper, with Mrs. Harper and other children of Mrs. Vaughan as hostesses. Spring flowers were effectively used throughout the house. A salad plate was served to the following: Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Vaughan, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Vaughan, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Hawkins, Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Daniels, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Harper,

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Vaughan, Mrs. Dora Drewett, Misses Maude Armstrong, Effie Lee, Annie Mae Davis, Edna Speight, Lila Lee Harper, Helen Hawkins, Dorothy Armstrong, and Joe Ann Bailey, Crosby Vaughan, Charles Daniels, Edward Harper, Rabon Casper and Jimmy Bailey. Mrs. Vaughan received many useful gifts.

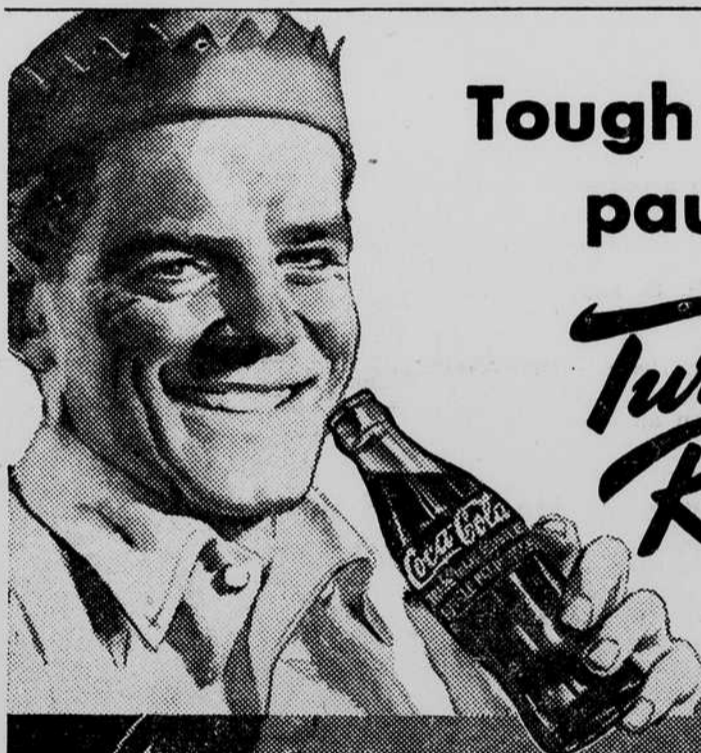
Mrs. Pope Hostess

Mrs. R. M. Pope was hostess on Wednesday evening to her bridge club and other guests. After several progressions the scores were added and Mrs. H. E. Gibson won high, Mrs. Chas. Fitts second high

for club, while the guest prizes were presented to Mrs. W. C. Williams for high and floating. Mrs. M. F. White, a club member who has been absent on account of illness, was also remembered with a gift. A salad course with coffee was served at refreshment time.

Guests and members present were Mesdames George Cook, Bill Cherry, Ellis Crewe, Clyde Liske, Clarence Coburn, Bernard Allsbrook, W. C. Williams, John Lupton, Beaman Helms, Chas. Fitts, Francis Starke, Calvin Kennemur, T. M. Bullock, M. F. White, H. E. Gibson, Miss Janie Lassiter. Mrs. Bill Carter came in for refreshments.

J. R. Statler of Martinsville, Va., was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Fisher Sunday.



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