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A Pinehurst Ode.

(Written for The Outlook.)

TUNE:—"Rejoice and be Glad."

There's a town in the South, and Pinehurst its name.

It has many attractions, to spread wide its fame; For no air is so pure, and no sunshine so bright, In this land of the pine we find life a delight.

CHORUS:—

It's for Pinehurst, yes, for Pinehurst, Our voices we'll raise.

Sing for Pinehurst, yes, for Pinehurst, The place that we praise.

There is health to be found, and you drive or you ride;

There are picnics and hunting, and much else beside.

There are tennis and baseball, and bridge, if you will;

And again, if you're sick, there is always a Hill.

CHORUS:—

So, with games out and in does the time speed away

But it's sooner or later at golf all will play.

How they drive, how they putt; it's the talk day and night,

For at Pinehurst it's golf that we play with our might.

CHORUS:—

Then we sit in the sun, or the shade, while we chat,

And some write and some read, the young dance and all that.

Soon the strangers grow friends, and good will doth abound,

For the joy of free living at Pinehurst is found.

CHORUS:—

'Tis the land of the pine, with its long leaf of green,

With its sand and its forests, true land of hygiene,

For this town of the South, with its freedom from ill,

For our Pinehurst, a cheer we will raise with a will.

CHORUS:—

—CHARLOTTE F. HAMMOND, M. D.

The Hand I Pressed.

The little hand I pressed—ah, me!— That I but pressed and did depart;

How tenderly I think of thee, I wonder fondly where thou art.

I wonder whether thou shalt e'er Feel once again my tender clasp;

With thee the world and all were mine, I saw the prize within my grasp.

The little hand I pressed—ah, me!— And held with all the lover's art—

A royal flush—the house was pinched— I left the pot and did depart.

—CORNELL WIDOW

TO PROMOTE GOOD ROADS

THE recent formation of the PINEHURST GOOD ROADS ASSOCIATION is significant of permanent interest in this particular, another gratifying indication of the solidification of Village character. Organization has been effected by the choice of Leonard Tufts as president, and Gilbert N. McMillan as treasurer; other members including Frederick Bruce, George F. Blake and W. P. Mundy.

In this connection it is interesting to note that over \$4,000 has been expended in this vicinity on the building and improvement of public roads, during the past year, exclusive of private roadways. In various ways over \$500 has been raised during the last few weeks.

It is hoped neighboring towns will form similar associations and each local one have a representative in a Moore County organization. In this way it is hoped that much can be accomplished in securing general interest and improved roads throughout the county.

As a demonstration of just what can be done, the Pinehurst-Southern Pines Boulevard, is an object lesson for the entire county, and is working wonders in the matter of practical education for the residents. Through Mr. Tufts' generosity, the work of completing this road is well under way, and will soon be accomplished. A good road exists from Southern Pines to Aberdeen, and another is under construction and assured to West End, making over twenty-eight miles of good public roads in this vicinity, in addition to twenty miles of private road. A road to the north is also under discussion.

Sandelay roads can be built in this vicinity for about \$600 per mile, and with the new law in operation, much will be done by public funds from taxation, raised in the different townships, and it is hoped by securing general interest in this work, that much will be accomplished in the near future. In line with this is a good roads conference arranged for Tuesday next, and concerning which details are given at the end of this article.

PINEHURST-SOUTHERN PINES BOULEVARD

The following are the contributors for the building of the Pinehurst-Southern Pines boulevard:

W. P. Murdy	\$150	James Boyd	\$120
G. N. McMillan	55	Jones & Powell	20
C. C. Martin	20	G. G. Herr	5
Alex. Cameron	50	J. A. Kavanaugh	15
M. S. Sugg	100	H. C. Flint	25
Mrs. A. P. L. Dull	50	C. L. Hayes	20
G. A. Kimball	20	A. J. Thomas	20
K. M. Ferguson	25	J. S. Reynolds	15
E. Ghadmon	10	R. E. Wiley	25
A. McN. Blair	15	W. D. Sweet	50
J. L. Smith & Son	25	H. A. Southworth	10
A. S. Newcomb	55	E. M. Fulton	50
John Wilker	25	Chas. Williams	25
E. & B. W. Leavitt	10	C. B. Grant	10
W. F. Junge	25	N. J. Mills	10
C. G. Stovick	5	J. P. Corders	5
Fred'k Bruce	50	Geo. F. Blake	15
Patch & Richardson			50
Total			\$1,180

N.B.—In addition to this sum Mr. Leonard Tufts has built two miles and a half of this road at an expense of \$1,529

Making the total expense for this road \$2,709

N.B.—Mr. Tufts has generously undertaken, with the funds available (the balance of the subscription fund amounting to \$365) to finish the road and scrape and steam-roll it.

OTHER FUNDS.

Other good roads funds include one for a road to West End, now building, for which Mr. Tufts has contributed \$700 and W. P. Mundy \$15. It is expected that the balance necessary will be raised by special taxation of the township. The total length of this road will be about six miles.

D. S. Packard has contributed \$5 for a road towards Pine Bluff, and W. P. Mundy \$50 towards a road to Carthage.

GENERAL FUND.

In the treasury of the Pinehurst Good Roads Association are the following contributions to the "General" good roads fund:

J. M. Robinson	\$10	W. L. Murphy	\$10
G. N. McMillan	20	J. C. Spring	50
Fred'k Bruce	10	S. E. Buck	10
Arthur Malcolm	25	Miss Bruce	5
S. A. D. Sheppard	10	Geo. F. Blake	20
Peter F. Mayo	10	W. P. Mundy	50
Harry McCormick	10	H. W. Priest	25
The Misses Valentine			5
Total			\$270

ROADS BUILT.

Roads already built, by miles, include the following:

	MILES
Pinehurst-Southern Pines	6
Southern Pines-Aberdeen	6
Pinehurst-West End (building)	6
Southern Pines roads	4
Pinehurst roads	4
Pinehurst to Poultry Farm	1
Pinehurst to Dalry	1
*Mr. Boyd's roads	20
Total	48

*N. B.—Through the public spirit of Mr. James Boyd, twenty miles of roads on his private property are thrown open to the public for pleasure driving and riding. In view of Mr. Boyd's generosity it is hoped that the privilege will not be abused.

PROSPECTIVE ROADS.

Prospective roads include:

	MILES
Pinehurst to M. B. Blues	4
Southern Pines to Blues	4
Blues to Carthage (trunk line)	8
Pinehurst to Aberdeen (via Sunbright)	6 1-2
Total	22 1-2

GOOD ROADS CONFERENCE.

A conference of the supervisors, commissioners and those particularly interested in good roads in the townships of Greenwood, Carthage, Mineral Springs (Pinehurst), and McNeil's (Southern Pines)—the four townships which have gone in under the good roads special tax law—has been arranged by Mr. Tufts for Tuesday next, to be held in Pinehurst, at which time it is planned to try and decide upon the main trunk lines, discuss matters of general interest regarding building roads, and to try and have the funds available spent to the greatest advantage to the largest number of people.

Later on Mr. Tufts will give a barbecue for the county.

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