

The Week in Pinehurst



SENATOR ALBERT B. CUMMINS,
OF IOWA



SPEAKER FREDERICK H. GILLETT,
OF MASSACHUSETTS



SENATOR WARREN C. HARDING,
OF OHIO

THESE THREE FAVORITE SONS CAME TO PINEHURST TO PLAY GOLF AND, INCIDENTALLY, TO SETTLE GRAVE MATTERS OF STATE.

THE CHRISTMAS SEASON has been a record breaker. A surprising number of people remained in town over the holidays and the stream of visitors scarcely let up at all at the hotels. The winter homes on the hill are opening up one by one; paper is coming down from the windows; blue smoke curls up from the chimneys; gardeners are raking the lawns, and the purr of the limousine is heard once more. In short, the season is on, and the little world that is Pinehurst advances merrily from one tournament to another, from tee to tea, from dance to dance, on until it reaches the towering pinnacle of social and athletic fame; and the dear debutante with the pert, powdered nose, and the quiet expert with the rifle, racket and golf club, and the successful business man with his wife and family all proclaim again in emphatic chorus that the North Carolina resort is unquestionably the place to spend the winter.

The Ladies' Contest at the Rifle Range was won by Mrs. W. B. Ferguson, Philadelphia, scoring 141. Dr. Dorothy C. Smiley, London, England, was second with 140, and Mrs. Lawrence Barr, Pittsburgh, Pa., third with 138.

Recently at the Carolina were Owen Moore, a prominent star of the silver screen, and his producer, Mr. Silznick. Josiah C. Thaw, of Pittsburgh, Pa., is making his customary visit to Pinehurst

Among the young people home from school for the holidays are Miss Clarissa Metcalf, who is at the Walnut Hill School, and Mr. James Tufts, a Freshman at Middlesex.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Hall spent Christmas with the Nat Hurds and are now at The Carolina.

Judge and Mrs. Russell Wiggins, of Middletown, N. Y., are settled in the Hall cottage for the winter. The Judge plays golf under the *nom de guerre* of "Henry Russell."

Mr. and Mrs. John C. Spring, of Boston, Mass., have opened up the Log Cabin. Mrs. A. Craige Spring, Mr. Spring's mother, is in her lovely new home on the hill.

Mr. M. B. Johnson has gone to attend the wedding of his son Malcolm in Cleveland, Ohio, and is expected to return to Pinehurst in a few days.

Mrs. Walter Hines Page was a recent visitor in town, stopping with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph W. Page, of Garran Hill.

Mr. Will Blue of Aberdeen, N. C., entertained a dinner party of fourteen at The Carolina last Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Johnson and their children, of Cleveland, Ohio, are now at their winter home, The Rosemary cottage. Mr. Johnson, who served the State of Ohio in the capacity of Fuel Administrator during the war, has also

this past summer served as a member of the American Salvage Commission in France, appointed for the purpose of reclaiming and disposing of American war material and supplies in Europe. Mr. Johnson was accompanied to France by his wife and children, the latter attending school in Geneva, Switzerland, during the summer.

One of the interesting guests at The Pine Crest Inn is Mrs. Wood, mother of Eric Fisher Wood, whose recent "Note Book of an American Attache" is one of the notable books of the past year. Mrs. Wood aids her son in the preparation of his manuscript.

Mrs. S. A. Sheppard, who is a regular habitue of this Carolina resort, is again at The Honeysuckle with Miss Child, having just returned from a trip to California and points on the West Coast.

Dr. and Mrs. Terry, of Long Island, stopped over Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Huson, en route for Miami, where they have a houseboat.

Mr. J. G. Splane, of Detroit, Mich., has recently purchased the Cherokee Cottage belonging to the estate of the late Mrs. R. Z. Bliss, of Providence, R. I. The Cherokee is now occupied by Mrs. Harriet Waters.

Mrs. W. S. Butterfield, Battle Creek, Mich., whose beautiful voice delights all

in Pinehurst who have been fortunate enough to hear it, is now with her family at the Waters Cottage on the hill. The Butterfield Children, even the smallest, are now counted among Pinehurst's most proficient equestriennes.

The Arlington, The Concord and The Cypress have all been repainted and are much more pleasing to the eye. Foundations have been laid for the new Roman Catholic Church and unless further unexpected delays are encountered it is hoped to have the church completed by next season.

Mrs. John P. Bowditch, of Boston, has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Roger Derby at their plantation on Drowning Creek.

Mrs. F. A. Georger, nee Mary V. Healey, of Chicago, has sold her building lot to Richard Tufts and Charles P. Mason.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Silverthorne, of Sharon, Conn., have sublet the Albe-marle to Mr. Harrison B. Huntoon, of Providence, R. I.

Miss Sarah C. Brayton, of Fall River, entertained two tables at auction last Wednesday morning. Miss Brayton has leased the Cypress Cottage for the season.

Mr. Jerry V. Healy is writing our racing news. Mr. Healy has just returned to Pinehurst after work on the Winston-Salem Journal.