

SOCIAL NOTES

The family of Mr. C. L. Bausher are here and have opened their cottage on the hill.

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An old-fashioned Fiddlers' Convention will be held in the ballroom of the Carolina Hotel on Thursday evening, February 3, at 8:15. In addition to the Fiddlers, a number of banjo artists will be among the performers, and a real "jazzy" time is in store. Mr. Andrew Frye, who has charge of the affair, and who is a past-master for such occasions, is in communication with a number of the old-time stars who reside in the vicinity of Pinehurst, and those who recall a similar entertainment several years ago will know that a rare treat is in store for all who attend.

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Mr. Malcolm McGregor and family have leased Fernleigh cottage from Mr. Henry S. Houston and have arrived for the winter. Pinehurst friends of Mr. and Mrs. Houston will be sorry to learn that on account of the illness of Mrs. Houston's mother they will not be able to come to Pinehurst this winter.

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Dr. Cecil P. Wilson of Boston, has returned for the season after spending the holidays in Boston, and is registered at the Pine Crest Inn.

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Mr. Frank G. Steiner of Salt Lake City, has joined his friend, Mr. Russell Tracey, Jr., at the Pine Crest Inn, and will make an extended stay at Pinehurst.

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Captain A. Loftus Bryan has returned from a trip to New York and Washington. While in Washington Captain Bryan attended the reception given at the British Embassy on January 17, to the Marquis of Carrisbrook.

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Mrs. Stuyvesant Peabody and family have arrived for the winter and are pleasantly located at the Cypress Cottage.

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Mr. and Mrs. Tyler L. Redfield and family came in last week and have opened up Box Court. Mr. and Mrs. Redfield spent the summer at Greenwich, Conn.

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Mr. and Mrs. Tracy H. Lewis of New York, are visiting Mrs. Lewis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Tufts. Mr. Lewis was among the high guns in the big target tournament held last week, winning high average for the week with 615 targets out of 650 thrown.

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Mr. J. Macy Willetts, Secretary of the Association of American Horse Shows, Inc., with Mrs. Willetts, will visit Pinehurst during the early part of April. While here, Mr. Willetts will judge the Harness Classes of the Pinehurst Horse Show, which is to be held on April 5-6. They will be accompanied by their friends, Mr. and Mrs. George Greer.

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Mrs. P. B. O'Brien and Mrs. E. L. Merrow have returned from a trip to Florida points. They took in Jacksonville, St. Augustine and Palm Beach and

report a delightful time, but say they are glad to get back to Pinehurst.

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Mr. J. Anthony Haskell, Vice-president of the General Motors Corporation, and Mrs. Haskell, are registered at the Carolina.

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Mrs. E. C. Bliss has returned from a trip to Washington where she went to visit her daughter, Mrs. L. C. Buckingham.

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Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Fuller have opened their newly acquired cottage, the Cherokee, for the season. Mr. Fuller's father, Mr. W. W. Fuller of New York, is visiting them.

COUNTRY CLUB NOTES

George Fotheringham of the Richmond County Club, joined the professionals here this week.

In a letter received by W. C. Sherwood, Harry Vardon says he is just beginning to feel the strain of his American tour and that he would have to take things easy for a while.

Donald Ross is back at the Club after a business trip to Biltmore, N. C.; where he is constructing an 18-hole course. Mr. Ross is also engaged in remodeling the 18-hole course at the Country Club of Virginia in Richmond, laying out a new

Donald Ross and Willie Wilson engaged in a keenly contested match on the championship course on Tuesday last, which resulted in a win for the former by 1 up. Wilson was 4 down at one stage of the journey. Both went around in the early seventies.

George Bowden, Massachusetts open champion, arrived this week. He will play in all the Southern open tournaments before going to Cincinnati where he has signed up as professional for the Hamilton Golf Club, having recently resigned as instructor at the Commonwealth club, Boston. Bowden shared with Lou Tellier and John Cowan, the best rating among Massachusetts professionals. He qualified in the national open at Toledo last year and has a fine competitive record. He reports that Mike Brady will stop off here shortly and take in some of the coming events.

W. C. Sherwood, sales manager for the Burke Golf Company, Newark, Ohio, has been in Pinehurst several days introducing the Burke Company's new Grand Prize golf ball among Pinehurst golfers, which they have found highly satisfactory. Mr. Sherwood accompanied Vardon and Ray on their western tour when the English golfers visited this country last summer. He makes the interesting announcement that his firm has opened a standing offer to present a box of golf balls to every player making a hole in 1 during the 1921 season. Major Harold Porter was the first Pinehurst golfer to benefit by this generous offer.

There was considerable action at the Club Sunday afternoon when three exhibition matches were played for the benefit of the golfers who enjoy taking an afternoon off and following a match. It was only natural that the foursome in which Davy Herron played should draw the largest gallery. Herron was paired with H. C. Fownes, 2nd and played against Parker W. Whittemore and Donald Parson, two of the foremost amateurs in the Pinehurst Winter colony. Whittemore and Parson won easily, 6 and 4. Whittemore's 76 was the best ball of the round, and he and Parson had a best ball of 72 against 76 for Herron and Fownes. Herron had an individual round of 77. He did not get into his stride until near the end of the match his last four holes being 3, 4, 2, 4.

Two professional matches were played. Emmet French and George Bowden defeated Charles Mothersele and W. C. Sherwood. French had the best ball of the four. Harold Calloway and Joe Capello defeated Walter Howe and Ernest Silva, one up.

Emmet French, the Southern Pines professional, who has been going at such a merry clip on the local course this season, added another remarkable achievement to his list on Tuesday last, when he set a new record for the Southern Pines course with 32-35-67, all putts holed out. Par for that course is 70. The new record was made in an amateur-professional match in which French and Donald Parson defeated John D. Chapman and Charles Mothersele, 4 and 2



Miss Betty Close and Miss Elizabeth Burrage "Talking it Over"

Mr. and Mrs. John C. Spring were recent arrivals and have opened their cozy cottage, the Log Cabin.

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Mr. Verdell Budell of Westfield, N. J., has joined his mother and sisters at the Pine Crest Inn.

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Mr. Charles D. Lanier, of *Review of Reviews*, and Mrs. Lanier are guests at the Carolina.

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Miss J. S. Kiggins of Montclair, N. J., has joined Mr. and Mrs. Murray C. Kiggins at the Pine Crest Inn for an extended visit.

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Members of the Pinehurst Red Cross Chapter have arranged for a novel golf tournament to be held on Thursday, January 27, for which only the local and visiting members of the Medical Fraternity will be eligible.

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Mr. and Mrs. Edward McKeithen entertained a number of guests at a luncheon at Adors Inn, several miles from here, on Tuesday last. Their guests included Mr. and Mrs. Dickinson Bishop, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Page, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Lee Page, and Mrs. Calvert Johnson

nine there, and in building a new course at Lake Side, Richmond, for the Hermitage Country Club of that city.

Pinehurst golfers welcomed S. Davidson S. Herron and his bride on Saturday last, but were disappointed that Mr. and Mrs. Herron could not make a longer visit here. They will probably return later on for the North and South championships. The former champion played a number of rounds and showed enough good golf to indicate that he will be well able to hold his own in the keen competitions of 1921.

Larry Paton, golf editor of the *Boston Herald* and one of the low handicap players in the Massachusetts golf association will arrive in Pinehurst Saturday for the St. Valentine tournament. Larry is one of the best known golf writers in the east. Last summer he made the trip to England to cover the British open championship at Deal. He has qualified in the national amateur championship, reached the semi-final round of the Massachusetts Amateur, and won many of the open tournaments held by the Massachusetts Golf Association each season.