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NELSON!

National Champion In Lead at Miami With 205 Shots

McSPADEN 206, NEXT

By the Associated Press
MIAMI, Dec. 16—Byron Nelson, after a bad start, rolled out today his third straight sub-par round, a 68, for a 205 that gave him the undisputed 54 hole lead in the \$10,000 Miami open golf tournament.

Nelson, national open champion, who is firing for a clear cut right to the year's professional supremacy, bogeyed the first three holes, but came breezing in with a four under par 31 on the second nine.

A new threat emerged when Harold McSpaden, last year's winner, ripped off a four below par 66, to move up a single stroke behind Nelson with 206. Sam Snead, back in the form which made him the most feared pro in the land, hammered out a 67 for 207, to re-enter the first place fight.

Nelson was leading Picard by but five points for the Vardon trophy, awarded to the golfer who obtains the best record for the year in tournament play, when the Miami event started. His six stroke lead over Picard with one round to play in the final event of the year appeared to make the open and North and South champion, a sure winner of the Vardon award, and make him the undisputed king of pro golf for 1939.

Nelson	137-68-205
McSpaden	140-66-206
Knees	137-70-207
Guldahl	138-69-207
Snead	140-67-207
Armour	140-68-208
Harrison	138-70-208
Shute	139-69-208
Hogan	139-69-208
Heafner	140-69-209
Williamson	144-66-210
Metz	139-71-210
Oliver	145-66-211
J. Turnesa	140-71-211
Picard	140-71-211
Bulla	142-70-212
L. Mangrum	141-71-212
Bevolta	138-74-212
Wehrle	141-71-212

THANE McDONALD TO GIVE ORGAN RECITAL

Thane McDonald, head of the organ department at Davidson College and organist and choir master of the First Presbyterian Church of Charlotte, N. C., will give an organ recital of sacred Christmas music at the Pinehurst Community Church at 8 p. m., Thursday, December 21.

This will be an important musical event bringing an exceptionally talented musician to the concert of the beautifully toned Alfred Hull Ramage Memorial organ of the Community Church. His last engagement as recitalist was at a joint meeting of the North and South Carolina chapters of the American Guild of Organists meeting in Charlotte in November. Assisting Mr. McDonald will be a quartette consisting of Rev. and Mrs. A. J. Gibson of Sanford, N. C. and Rev. and Mrs. A. J. McKelway of Pinehurst.



The Pinehurst Christmas basket committee reports that there are thirty needy families in Pinehurst. A basket costs only \$2.50, and it contains all of those things for which a Christmas dinner is noted. Mrs. H. Foster Kelly is chairman of the committee, and donations should be mailed to her immediately. Pinehurst, where so many tables will be filled to overflowing with good things on Christmas, will surely provide for its needy, so that everyone in the village will enjoy the good cheer of the day.

KENNEDYS TO SHIP JUMPING HORSES HERE; LEASE BILYEU PLACE

Special to the Outlook
DEDHAM, Mass., Dec. 16—Mr. and Mrs. William J. Kennedy, prominent society and sports people, have leased Bilyeu Farm, Pinehurst, the home of Mr. and Mrs. George K. Livermore, and will occupy it from January 1 until April 1.

The Kennedys will ship six horses of their stable of prize winning horses to Thomas & Alexander, and plan to enter the equestrian activities in Pinehurst during the winter and spring season.

Erin's Son, a champion jumper, who has taken prizes in New York, Boston and Canada, is among the horses being shipped to the southern resort. Another prize winner will be Little Squire, purchased last June by the Kennedys and winner of six championship prizes in seven performances.

Mrs. Kennedy rides and jumps, and has shown her horses in many competitions. She formerly lived in Southborough, and is a daughter of the late William Kennedy, prominent New England merchant, with stores in Boston and many other cities.

MRS. PURCELL RETURNS

Mrs. Frank Purcell has returned to Pinehurst following a buying trip in New York, where she purchased a select stock of ladies' apparel for the Purcello Shop, located in the Pinehurst Theatre building.

BOLSTERS VISIT VILLAGE

Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Bolster of Marblehead, Mass., are visiting in Pinehurst, with their daughters Janet and Anne. Mrs. Bolster has many friends here as she served for a number of years, when she was Miss Helen Bamfort, as private secretary to Leonard Tufts.

LITTLE RALPH LEACH IN SERIOUS STATE FROM KNIFE WOUND

Little Ralph B. Leach, three-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Leach of Aberdeen, is in a serious condition in the Moore County Hospital as the result of a knife wound in his throat.

The little fellow, attempting to help his mother set the table for dinner Saturday at noon, climbed on a small chair to take silver from a drawer. In turning, he slipped and fell to the floor, and the knife he was holding penetrated his throat near the jugular vein.

After receiving first aid treatment from Dr. A. H. McLeod, the little boy was rushed to Moore County Hospital where, barring complications, he is expected to recover.

GARNER FORMALLY ANNOUNCES ENTRY IN PRESIDENTIAL RACE

By the Associated Press
UVALDE, Tex., Dec. 16—Vice President Garner formally entered the Presidential race today and became the first Democrat to seek his party's nomination without indicating he would step aside if President Roosevelt should seek a third term.

"I will accept the nomination for President," said Garner. He added:

"I will make no effort to control any delegate. A candidate should be selected at primaries and conventions as provided by law, and I sincerely trust that all Democrats will participate in them."

THE WEATHER

Partly cloudy. Continued cold Sunday and Monday.

PINEHURST SCOREBOARD

by ROBERT E. HARLOW

Up until this season there were two Pinehurst Horse Shows. It appears that all we have left is one-half of one horse show.

The more important show was organized way back in March, 1918, and has been carried on ever since as the Pinehurst Horse Show. Last spring, members of the committee voted, after some protest, to change the name of the twenty-two year old Pinehurst Horse Show, to the Sandhills Horse Show.

The second horse show, also a Pinehurst Horse Show, is held in December. It was organized three years ago by Lloyd M. Tate of Pinehurst, who has done most of the work in putting this event across.

Yesterday afternoon, horse enthusiasts of the countryside met and decided to change the name of this Pinehurst Horse Show to the Pinehurst-Sandhills Horse Show.

The Outlook pauses to consider if some morning we will wake up and find out that, the forty year old North and South amateur golf championship has been changed to the Southern and Eastern Sandhills amateur championship.

Changing the name of a sporting event which has been promoted for twenty-two years under the name given it at birth would seem to be a matter of considerable importance. The national reputation of this section rests largely on the more than 40-odd years of effort which has been put in by Pinehurst institutions to create and maintain first class sporting events.

When, last spring, the committee voted to change the name of The Pinehurst Horse Show to The Sandhills Horse Show, Pinehurst took it like a gentleman.

Yesterday another group of horse people decided to "cut up" our three-year-old December exhibition. Pinehurst representatives at this meeting should have fought to retain the original name until the last horse was shot from under them. Perhaps they did this, and their last mount was shot from under them.

The Outlook knows of no instance in which there has been an effort by Pinehurst representatives to change, mutilate, abbreviate, hyphenate, expurgate, or even meddle with the name of any established sporting event which was started and maintained in other communities of this section.

Records indicate that Pinehurst has contributed aid to sports events held on neighboring playfields. Sportsmen drawn to Pinehurst have been encouraged to compete in events in the other communities. This is as it should be. Every sporting event held in the Sandhills deserves the support of all the sportsmen able to contribute.

The Outlook does not for one minute believe that it is necessary to sacrifice the names of Pinehurst events in order to attract entries from the sportsmen who live in this section, but outside our village limits.

Plan Midwinter Horse Show

A group of Sandhills horse owners and horse enthusiasts met at the Thomas & Alexander Stables on Midland Road yesterday afternoon to form plans for the annual mid-winter horse show which is scheduled to be held at the Pinehurst Race Track show grounds Friday, Dec. 29.

Eleven classes, the same number as in last year's show, were announced by Lloyd M. Tate, director of the show, in three divisions. These are, horsemanship, hunting and jumping.

The horsemanship classes include a children's class for those 12 years of age and under, another for children of 16 and under, a best pair of riders, ladies' horsemanship and another for horses used locally on Sandhills bridle trails.

Hunters classes will include those for lightweight hunters over the outside course, combined middle and heavyweight hunters over the outside course, and working hunters over the outside course. The jumping events, to be judged on performance only, all inside the ring, consist of classes for children 16 years of age and under, an open jump and a pair jump.

A committee of four, composed of Mrs. Ralph K. Trix, Lloyd M. Tate, A. Corbett Alexander and Nick Crotty volunteered to get the outside course in shape for

the show, and directly after the meeting the four made a trip to the show grounds to study the condition of the course and the work necessary to bring it up to the best shape for the show. This foursome will begin work on the setting-up of the outside course Tuesday afternoon at one o'clock. All those who can help in this construction are invited to assist the committee in their task, and to show up in suitable "go to work" clothes Tuesday afternoon.

To avoid confusing this event with the annual Spring Sandhills Horse Show, a name to identify the mid-winter event was decided on as the "Pinehurst Sandhills Horse Show. This name was suggested, since it identified the mid-winter show as a Sandhills affair, and at the same time properly placed the location as Pinehurst. It was also pointed out that Sandhills equestrians were also planning a show to be held in Southern Pines in February. In view of this, it was suggested that the Southern Pines show be named "The Southern Pines Sandhills Horse Show."

The attendance included Mrs. Ralph K. Trix, Dr. J. I. Neal, Nick Crotty, Lloyd Tate and his two sons, Billy and "Junebug," Elliott Barta, Mr. Thomas, Mr. Alexander, Leonard Hibbits, "Bing" Hunter, Lou Koch, and a number of others.

WAR EPIC

World Watching As Graf Spee Points Nose to Sea

EXPECT DASH IN FOG

A late radio broadcast stated the Uruguayan government was expected to grant an extension of time to the Graf Spee. Another report said the Admiral Scheer was steaming for Montevideo to aid the Graf Spee to escape. A major sea battle is in prospect.

By the Associated Press

Although the war news last night told of large infantry action in the Russian assault upon Finland and of hand to hand fighting on the Western Front, interest throughout the world focused on the German pocket battleship, Admiral Graf Spee, which had pointed her nose for the breakwater in Montevideo harbor and was expected at any hour to make a dash for the open sea.

A British and French armada was waiting outside to blast the German warship out of the ocean if her officers attempted to run the gauntlet in an effort to escape.

While German diplomats to Uruguay made a furious attempt to obtain an extension of the time limit the Graf Spee can remain in Montevideo harbor without being interned for the duration of the war, the battleship moved into position for a get-away. All nearby craft was ordered to stay clear.

A fog shrouded the warship, and observers expected the commander would take advantage of the thick weather to lift anchor and steam out if the Uruguayan government insisted he clear the harbor not later than six p. m. today, as originally demanded.

The German minister insisted that the battleship could not be made seaworthy in the time allowed, while British diplomats demanded ejection or internment.

WHAT TO DO AND SEE

Today

BUFFET SUPPER

At the Holly Inn each Sunday night.

Putting tournament at Pine Needles this afternoon.

Tin Whistles tournament tomorrow, postponed from Saturday.

Shooting Exhibition, bow and arrow trick shots at Southern Pines Country Club this afternoon at 3:00 o'clock.

AT THE THEATRES

- Pinehurst -

Tonight and tomorrow night at 8:30, matinee tomorrow at 3:00, Deanna Durbin in "First Love."

- Southern Pines -

Tomorrow and Tuesday nights at 8:15, matinee Tuesday at 3:00, "Henry Goes Arizona."

- Aberdeen Theatre -

Tomorrow and Tuesday nights at 7:15 and 9:00, "The Secret of Dr. Kildare," with Lew Ayres and Lionel Barrymore.