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FROSTED LANDSCAPE ADDS TO SANDHILLS REGION'S GLORIES

Glaze Storm Crystallizes Foliage Into Fairyland Picture; Power, and Wire Service Temporarily Interrupted; No Driving Accidents Reported

By Harry Yorke

The Sandhills a fairy region—a crystal panorama of wondrous beauty!

Pinehurst and Southern Pines, and vicinity, awakened yesterday morning to look out on a scene so beautiful as to defy any words to describe. Everywhere, everything was bedecked in a crystal coating. Trees, shrubs and grass—all were adorned. The noble pines in many cases bent over to form archways over drives, borne downward under the added weight. Deciduous trees were solid presentations in glass. Roofs were fringed with dainty glistening pendants. The scin-

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HOMER H. JOHNSON IS SPEAKER TODAY AT CHAMBER SESSION

Plans in Hand for Annual Banquet Friday of County Units; Pittsboro Attorney Will Give Talk

Homer H. Johnson, Cleveland attorney, friend of former President Woodrow Wilson and for many years a Pinehurst winter visitor, will speak today to the Pinehurst Chamber of Commerce at the meeting to be held in the Community church at twelve, noon.

On Friday, the third annual banquet of the Moore County combined Chambers of Commerce will be held in the Carolina Hotel. Hon. Walter D. Siler, Pittsboro attorney will be the speaker. Charles Picquet will serve as master of ceremonies, and has arranged an entertaining program.

Jerry Mack and his orchestra from the Dunes Club will furnish music for the evening.

The banquet provides the one opportunity during the year when when the residents of the entire county get together for a neighborly evening full of good fellowship and fun. It has grown in popularity each year since its inception, and a capacity crowd is expected for this year's event.

WHAT TO DO AND SEE

Today

Bridge luncheon at the Country Club today.

AT THE THEATRES

- Pinehurst -
Tomorrow, at 3:00 and 8:30, "Charlie McCarthy, Detective."
- Southern Pines -
Today at 3:00 and 8:30, "Geronimo," with Preston Foster and Chief Thunder Cloud.
- Aberdeen Theatre -
Tonight at 7:15 and 9:00, "The Cisco Kid and the Lady," with Cesar Romero and Marjorie Weaver.

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Out of Wilderness



LAWSON LITTLE

LAWSON LITTLE WINS LOS ANGELES GOLF; HEAFNER IS SECOND

Former Amateur King Cards 65 in Final Round for 72 Hole Total of 282

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 8.—(AP)—Lawson Little played a remarkable 32-33-65 for his final round and won the 15th Los Angeles open golf tournament today with a 72 hole total of 282. Starting five strokes behind Clayton Heafner, Charlotte, going into the last round, the former amateur king nosed out the North Carolina star by a single stroke. Heafner finished with a 71 for 283 and second place. Little won \$1,500.

Still one stroke back of Heafner with nine holes to play, Little ran down an 18 foot putt for a birdie two at the 15th, played the 16th in one under par, went one over at 17, and finished with a par.

Three thousand trailed Heafner over the final holes, as he made a desperate effort to maintain his diminishing lead against the onrush of Little's superlative golf. Needing a birdie four at 17 and a par four at 18 to tie Little, Heafner gave the gallery a great thrill when he hit two tremendous wooden club shots to the 17th green. But he three putted.

Again at 18, his second, a full wooden club stroke, finished four feet from the hole, but he missed his putt for a tie with Little.

The Los Angeles Country Club course was soaked by rain from start to finish of the tournament.

Leaders:

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| Little | 65-282 |
| Heafner | 71-283 |
| Dutra | 69-285 |
| Dawson (amateur) | 75-289 |
| Hines | 72-289 |
| Kowal | 70-290 |
| Penna | 72-290 |
| Harrison | 70-290 |
| Kruger | 75-290 |
| Thomson | 72-290 |
| Demaret | 72-291 |
| Hogan | 76-291 |
| H. Smith | 74-292 |
| Ghezzi | 70-292 |
| Fry | 77-292 |
| Metz | 73-294 |
| Goggin | 70-294 |
| R. Mangrum | 75-298 |
| Horne | 78-298 |

END PACT EFFORTS

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—(AP)—The United States and Argentina have agreed to terminate their negotiations for a trade agreement, the State Department announced today.

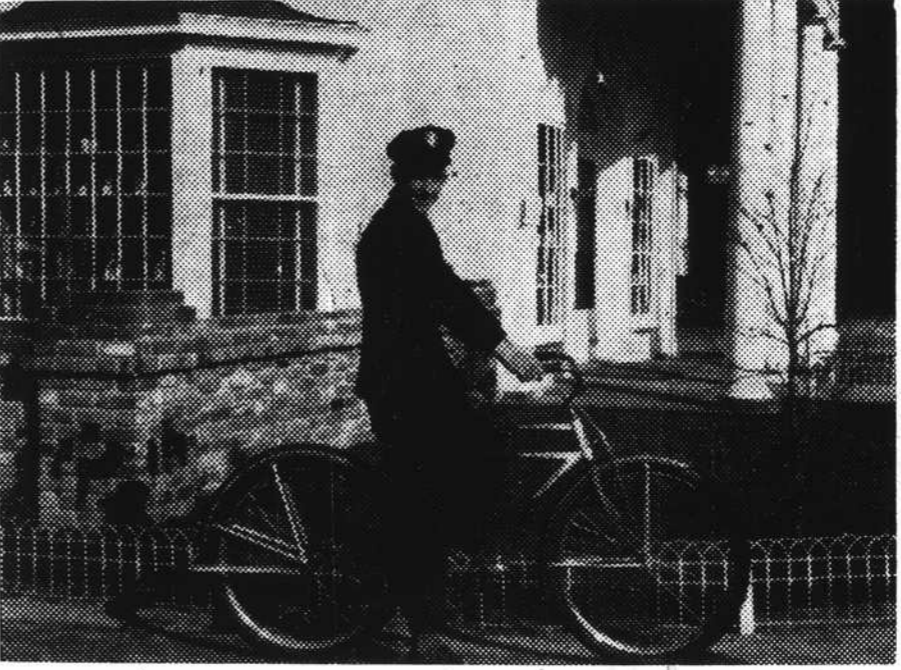
The announcement means that negotiations have not merely broken down as the department said Friday, or been temporarily suspended, as Buenos Aires said, but have been abandoned.

WARMER TOMORROW

The weather man held out no hope of immediate relief last night as North Carolina was held fast in the grip of winter, with snow, sleet, and slippery highways hampering transportation.

Fair and colder today, warmer Wednesday was the forecast. No more sleet or snow was expected in the next few days. While the snow and sleet seemed fairly general in the state, the heaviest fall was in the north western section.

MESSENGER OUTLOOK IS GOOD



(Outlook Engraving)

"The Happiest Boy in Town," is the title a number of people around town have given Postal Telegraph messenger Leaverne Maness, shown above with his new Roadmaster bike, for which 36 of his friends "chipped in" quarters, half-dollars, dollar and even a few two-dollar notes. The Pinehurst Outlook staff organized the subscription campaign for the bike. Before he received this holiday present, Leaverne had to "hoof it" with all telegraph messages, sometimes walking as much as three miles with one message. Getting the money for the bike was not difficult, in view of the fact that everyone approached was glad to donate. Several donations even had to be refused when the amount necessary was already subscribed.

Contributors included Bill Armont, Karl Andrews, Miss Mildred Burns, Justice of the Peace Barbour, James Black, Floyd Currie, Frank Correll, Keith Daniell, Miss Douglas Doak, Frank Dieck, Police Chief Dees, Frank Dupont, Howard Dupont, Leo Fuller, R. S. Gerry, Paul Garrison, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Harlow, Mrs. Dena Johnson, Police Officer A. D. Jones, Karl Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Kehoe, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Koch, F. H. Krebs, Miss Irene Lewis, E. C. Maness, Jesse McQuay, Larry Rose, Karl Recor, Ralph Sutton, Harrison Stutts, Miss Verdyn Shaw, Herman Tyson, Eldon Thompson, George Venio and R. G. Wallace.

PINEHURST SCOREBOARD

by ROBERT E. HARLOW

An elaborate weekend of sport was put out of commission by an Act of God, but with it He contributed a mantle of glistening splendor. Glass flowers and crystal pines bloomed in gigantic bouquets. At no time has the abundant foliage of the village put on such a gorgeous spectacle as yesterday, when a breath of winter, added to it a touch of glacial elegance.

The ladies golf match, the first polo match in the 1940 revival of the sport, the Tin Whistle tournament and the first meeting of the Sandhills amateur-pro league scheduled for Pine Needles, were among the principal events which were postponed, and yesterday the field trials could not be run.

The Tin Whistle tournament is now set for Wednesday, and the amateur-pro for Monday, Jan. 15.

Mrs. Estelle Lawson Page of Chapel Hill, former national women's golf champion, would like to know if her three holes-in-one, scored within a period of 15 days, is a world's record? She does not want to claim it until she has given other candidates an opportunity to come forward, and has asked Donald J. Ross, chief of The Pinehurst Country Club, to make an investigation. Mr. Ross would like to hear about it if any other golfer has beaten or duplicated Mrs. Page's mark.

These three aces are members of a group of eight made by Mrs. Page, all having been scored on her home course at Chapel Hill. The first of the series of three was made on December 22, 1939. The second on December 29, 1939, and the last on January 6, 1940.

The holes, the distance, club used and Mrs. Page's partners, when these perfect strokes were played:

December 22, on 9th hole, 87 yards, while playing with her husband Julius and North Carolina assistant football coaches Johnny Vaughn and Chuck Erickson. With seven iron.

December 29, on 4th hole, 170 yards, while playing with Oscar Hamilton and her father, Dr. Robert Lawson. With six iron.

January 6, on 9th green, 87 yards, while with same players as on December 29, and with the same club as on December 22.

The other five holes-in-one made by Mrs. Page were registered since she took up golf about seven years ago.

Mrs. Page was very disappointed that the match scheduled for Sunday afternoon in Pinehurst could not be played. She said that she has been hitting the ball well and anticipates being among the contestants in the St. Valentine's tournament, and the North and South, in Pinehurst.

While her summer plans are not completed, Mrs. Page feels that it will be too much of a financial strain to attend both the South-

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SIGNS INDICATE DUCE IS WEAKENING ON ROME - BERLIN AXIS

Nazis Confirm Report Germany Has Refused to Allow Italian Planes for Finns to Cross Reich; Hungary Pact Significant

By Cable

Italy, long suspected of having lost faith in the Rome-Berlin axis, furnished further proof of discontent with late developments on the European front, when it was reported that the foreign ministers of Italy and Hungary had agreed on a defensive military alliance assuring Hungary of Italian support against invasion by Germany or Russia.

A late bulletin from Berlin confirmed reports that Germany had refused to permit Italian planes destined for Finland to pass through the Reich, adding to the reports of trouble between Germany and Italy.

The Italian-Hungarian agreement was said to have been made because of fear that Russia might strike against a southeastern neighbor, but also because of advances from Germany that Nazi leaders, disgruntled with Rumanian refusal to send greater food supplies to Germany, were strongly considering marching through Hungary to Rumania.

Another reason was Germany's fear that Britain, France and Turkey planned to create an eastern front, and that the Nazi government must find good defensive frontiers deep in the Balkans, quickly.

AMATEUR-PRO GOLF TOURNAMENT LISTED FOR NEXT MONDAY

The first tournament in the Sandhills amateur - professional league will be played next Monday, January 15, at the Pine Needles Club.

It now appears certain that each professional will play with a full quota of amateur partners. According to the regulations of the league, each professional may play with one, two or three amateur partners.

Records will be kept of all rounds, and the club winning the league championship, as well as the individual team champions, will be arrived at on the following terms:

In order to win the individual championship a professional and amateur must play together in each of the four tournaments. The club championship will be awarded on the basis of the lowest four round total returned by any pair representing a club in each of the four events. Thus, a club can enter as its score in each tournament the lowest made by any team entered from that club.

Each event will also constitute a complete tournament, with prizes given by the host club. All awards will be for net returns, as the competition is with handicaps.