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## ARMORED SLEDGES USED BY RED ARMY N SURPRISE THRUST

Swarm of 130 Battle Planes Support New Offensive Against Finns Aimed at Viipuri; Attack Made at Summa

#### ASSAULT WITHSTOOD

HELSINKI, Feb. 2-(P)-The Russian army struck with surprise force at the Mannerheim ine last night, employing a new offensive technique, with armored sledges supported by a swarm of 130 battle planes, even as Finland's white haired president was peace.

The Red army, which has been inactive on the Karelian Isthmus since mid-January, while fierce hattles were waged along the Arctic circle and north of Lake Lagoda, suddenly came to life with a violent attack aimed straight at Viipuri, Finland's second largest city.

The attack was made at Summa, 20 miles inland from the mastal fortress of Koivisto, which has withstood nine weeks of ammering from land, naval artillery and air bombardments.

Advices from observers with the Finnish Karelian army said e attack had been met by ento their positions.

#### TEST 400 M. P. H. PLANE

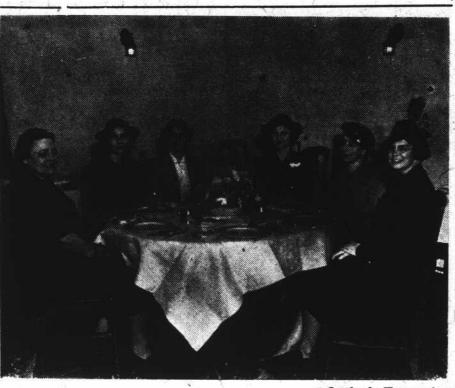
WASHINGTON, Feb. 1-(P)-One of the army's newest and fastest pursuit airplaines — a 400-mile-an-hour, cannon-carrying speedster went through preliminary paces today at Bolling field. With Captain George E. Price, army test pilot from Wright field, Dayton, Ohio, at the controls, the "Airacobra" exhibited a fraction of its possibilities before a group of army air corps officers.

### **PARKING SPACES FOR** issuing a plea for an honorable POLO GAMES OFFERED **AT SEASON PRICES**

Campaign Started to Push Sale of Reservations Already Showing Signs of Being Very Successful; Map at Carolina

The Sandhill Polo Club is promoting a campaign for the sale of parking spaces to residents and visitors of this section. John R. (Jock) Bowker has been named executive-secretary of the drive, which has already shown a promising outcome, with many of the 180 reserved spaces already applied for. There are 120 season spaces selling at \$25 and trenched men holding doggedly 60 at \$15. They can be procured by writing or calling the Sandhill Polo Club, Tel. Pinehurst 3862. Sam Lacks, Carolina hotel doorman, has an outlined map of the field and its parking facilities, and arrangements are being made for Southern Pines residents to order conveniently through the Hayes' Sandhill Book Shop. Honorary boxes have already been assigned for the Governor of North Carolina and for General Bryden, commanding officer of Fort Bragg. In addition to season space subscriptions, daily reservations may be made, either at the gate or through members of the sales committee for the price of \$2 each car, regardless of the number of passengers. All those interested in procuring spaces are urged to apply for them as early as possible, because the best will go first, as usual. The polo matches promise to be a thrilling and wellsupported fixture on the sports calendar for the remainder of the season.

#### **GIRL SCOUTS AND LEADERS FETED**



**Outlook Engraving** 

Mrs. W. H. Parkinson (on the left) was a recent luncheon hostess at the Manor to Girl Scouts and members of the scout committee. The others in the group above are Mrs. J. W. Harbison, Mrs. True Cheney, Mrs. B. U. Richardson, Dr. Alice Presbrey and Mrs. Donald Sherrerd

#### sorry I can not subscribe." The name is being left on the subscription list. PLAN ANNUAL DINNER **OF UNIVERSITY ALUMNI** AT CAROLINA FEB. 16

LIKES OUTLOOK

In reply to a bill for a year's

subscription to The Outlook,

the following letter was re-

ceived from Southern Pines.

"I have been sick for a year

or two, and it is taking all my

spare money to pay doctors'

bills. I think the paper is

better than ever before. Am

"Gentlemen:

Plans for Get-Together Well Underway; Dean House and Other Members of Faculty Will Be Present

Sepecial to the Pinehurst Outlook

SOUTHERN PINES, Feb. 1-Plans are getting well under way for the Moore County Alumni of the University of North Carolina dinner to be held at the Carolina Hotel on Friday evening, February 16. J. Talbot Johnson, chairman of the alumni committee, has plans under way for a most interesting program. Myron Sanders, secretary of the alumni association, has an- and guest badges will be mailed nounced that he is bringing along subscribers on or before March Dean House and several members of the faculty. It is his plan to line them up along the Steeplechase and Racing Associwall and put them through a quiz. This feature of the program, which has not-yet been P. Hawes, George Watts Hill, fully completed, promises to be Nelson C. Hyde, Almet Jenks, most interesting. In addition, Coach Wolf, who piloted one of the most successful teams this past season, is expected to be on hand to show a picture of the Tulane and the Pennsylvania games, These were two of the outstanding games played by the University of North Carolina during the past fall.

## WALLACH DUE TODAY **TO PREPARE PLANS** FOR STEEPLECHASE

Officer of Racing Association Will Set up Office on Barber Estate to Carry on Business of Meeting

**EVENT MARCH 16** 

Richard Wallach Jr. is 'expected today to set up an office on the Barber estate course to carry on the business of the sixth annual Sandhills Steeplechase and Racing Association meet to be run on Saturday, March 16.

Invitations to become subscribers for parking spaces in the clubhouse enclosure will be mailed shortly, and spaces near the finish line will be given out in accordance with the order in which they are received.

The card will be similar to other years, with five races scheduled, as follows:

The Catawba, one and one-half miles over hurdles.

The Croatan, two miles over brush for non-winners over a brush course.

The Sandhills Challenge Cup, three miles over timber.

The Yadkin, handicap, two miles over brush. The Midland, one mile over

flat. Parking space stickers, badges 111. The officers of the Sandhills ation are: James Boyd, chairman, L. L. Biddle II, Col. George Verner Z. Reed Jr. and Richard Wallach Jr.

## **WVIET AMBASSADOR** PROTESTS REMARKS IN JOHNSON SPEECH

Oumansky Complains to Hull in Interview at State Department of Speech by Assistant Secretary of War

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2-(AP) -Constantine Oumansky, Russan ambassador, complained to Secretary Hull today because of speech made by Louis Johnson, assistant secretary of war, in which the American declared that "the world beholds the truth <sup>of the</sup> age old axiom th**at a free** man is worth at least a dozen serfs."

The Russian ambassador also stated that his government ob-<sup>lected</sup> to Mr. Johnson's remarks hat Finland was fighting against forces of bigotry and oppres-

Soviet-American relations were discussed today by Secretary and Oumansky during a 35minute conference at the state epartment.

## t. Valentine's Event ostponed to Feb. 7

The thirty-fifth annual St. Valatine's tournament for women wheduled to start today, has been ostponed until Wednesday, Febmary 7.

This will be a medal play, 18 We event, best ball of pair, uner handicap. The winners last Mar were Mrs. Estelle Lawson age and Miss Helen Waring, then the event was held at medal <sup>ad match</sup> play.

Mrs. Page and Miss Waring <sup>bhia, by one</sup> up.

## WHAT TO DO AND SEE

#### Today

Bridge luncheon at The Berkshire today.

#### AT THE THEATRES

- Pinehurst -

Today at 3:00 and 8:30, 'Slighty Honorable,' with Pat O'Brien and Edward Arnold.

#### - Southern Pines -

Today and tomorrow at 8:15, matinee tomorrow at 3:00, "Congo Maisie," with Ann Sothern Special March of Time Maga zine, "The Finnish Republic."

#### - Aberdeen Theatre - ,

Today at 7:15 and 9:15, "Four teated Mrs. T. R. Hulme and Wives," with Claude Rains, John Rs. Karl T. Scheidt of Philadel- Garfield, May Robson and Jeffrey Lynn.



(Outlook Engraving)

A GROUP OF PINEHURST GIRL SCOUTS

#### **PINEHURST SCOREBOARD** by ROBERT E. HARLOW

Tuned in just in time to hear a sports commentator interviewing HEARS MRS. HOWARD (Happy) O'Brien, who claims to be the world's/greatest caddie. This brought up the subject of caddies. Here in Pinehurst during IN FORUM ADDRESS the past few days a good job of work has been done in feeding the colored boys and men and their families, who earn their living in winter, carrying clubs on Pinehurst courses.

A committee of caddies asked the Outlook last night to express the gratitude of themselves and families , for the food provided by members of the Tin Whistle Club and Pinehurst Country Club members and staff, during the days when old man winter took away their employment.

This (Happy) O'Brien has been touring about getting himself on radio broadcasts. The commentators at this season are looking for somebody in sports to interview and (Happy) walks in with a scrapbook filled with clippings and has little trouble in getting on. O. B. Keeler interviewed O'Brien in Atlanta recently. They were good enough to say some nice things about Pinehurst.

#### 'But when caddies are mentioned I think first of Joe Horgan. Joe is America's number one caddie and has been for 40 years. The incident that marked Joe as number one caddie transpired in 1929, when a well known figure in golf lost his roll, not just the crust of it, but the filling and the bottom. Joe knew this person well, and he heard that he had been cleaned out. Joe went to the man's office and said:

-, I haven't got much, but I have got \$100 I could "Mr. let you mave."

Walter Hagen was the only golfer who ever took a caddie to (Continued on page four)

# **RESPONSIVE AUDIENCE**

Mrs. Georgette Ross Howard's talk on "Washington, Inside and Out," was enthusiastically received by a large and responsive Forum audience at the Country Club last evening. The question period, which seems to gain impetus with each speaker, is now a well-established part of the program, and one of its most interesting features.

Mrs. Howard, who kept her audience enthralled with just the correct amount of whimsical seasoning in dealing with the affairs of state, gave a touching eulogy to the late Senator Borah, the man who was nick-named by Will Rogers "the American Prime Minister."

Touching upon the Finnish situation, the national debt, the terrific expense of war, Mrs. Howard cited H. R. Knickerbocker's recent Washington ad-(Continued on page three)

#### WEATHER

Partly cloudy Friday. Warmer Friday. Rain or snow Saturday. Slightly colder in west portion.

## GERMAN SHIP, WITH GRAF SPEE IN RAIDS, **REACHES NAZI PORT**

Sources at Buenos Aires Say the Altmark had Penetrated British Blockade and was at Bremerhaven

BUENOS AIRES, Feb. 1-(AP) -German sources said today that they had learned the German escort ship Altmark, which accompanied the pocket battleship Admiral Graf Spee, had penetrated the British blockade and reached, Germany with 300 British seamen.

The Altmark reached the German port of Bremerhaven on Jan. 25, these sources said.

The British seamen were crew members of ships sunk by the Admiral Graf Spee before she was driven into Montevideo harbor Dec. 13 in a running battle with three British cruisers.

#### CALLING ALL BOXERS

Young men who can box are wanted at the Amusement Center over the Pinehurst Printing company, at 7 o'clock tonight to report to Myron Barrett, who will take charge of training.

The boys who show up the best will be used later in boxing contests held at the bowling alleys.