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## Today's Pairings

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|-------------------------|-------|
| 8:30 and 12:00          |       |
| Vincent Eldred          | (156) |
| * Lonnel Parks          | (156) |
| 8:35 and 12:05          |       |
| Tommy Shannon           | (155) |
| Johnny Gaucas           | (156) |
| Milton Trish            | (155) |
| 8:40 and 12:10          |       |
| James Crichton          | (155) |
| Joe Belfore             | (156) |
| * H. H. Mandley         | (155) |
| 8:45 and 12:15          |       |
| John Malutic            | (151) |
| Tony Longo              | (153) |
| * Jim Ferrier           | (153) |
| 8:50 and 12:20          |       |
| Ted Luther              | (147) |
| Gene Kunes              | (148) |
| Herman Keiser           | (148) |
| 8:55 and 12:25          |       |
| Chandler Harper         | (147) |
| Jim Turnesa             | (147) |
| Geo. Picard             | (146) |
| 9:00 and 12:30          |       |
| Art Clark               | (149) |
| Tony Penna              | (150) |
| Joe Turnesa             | (151) |
| 9:05 and 12:35          |       |
| Lawson Little           | (148) |
| Jimmy McHale            | (148) |
| Jim Goulis              | (147) |
| 9:10 and 12:40          |       |
| Jimmy Hines             | (147) |
| Jimmy Thomson           | (147) |
| Frank Walsh             | (150) |
| 9:15 and 12:45          |       |
| Chas. Farlow            | (149) |
| Tommy Wright            | (152) |
| Jules Huot              | (153) |
| 9:20 and 12:50          |       |
| Paul Runyan             | (144) |
| * Bobby Dunkelberger    | (141) |
| Victor Ghezzi           | (145) |
| 9:25 and 12:55          |       |
| Gene Sarazen            | (143) |
| Henry Picard            | (145) |
| Dick Metz               | (144) |
| 9:30 and 1:00           |       |
| Lloyd Mangrum           | (144) |
| Felix Serafin           | (146) |
| John Bulla              | (146) |
| 9:35 and 1:05           |       |
| Jack Patroni            | (142) |
| Horton Smith            | (144) |
| Harold McSpaden         | (145) |
| 9:40 and 1:10           |       |
| Stanley Horne           | (141) |
| Byron Nelson            | (142) |
| Harry Cooper            | (142) |
| 9:45 and 1:15           |       |
| Ted Turner              | (150) |
| Tony Manero             | (152) |
| Geo. Slingerland        | (149) |
| 9:50 and 1:20           |       |
| Sam Snead               | (140) |
| Craig Wood              | (141) |
| Ed. Oliver              | (142) |
| 9:55 and 1:25           |       |
| Leonard Dodson          | (147) |
| Rod Munday              | (148) |
| Willie Goggin           | (147) |
| 10:00 and 1:30          |       |
| Henry Rogan             | (152) |
| * Wilford Wehrle        | (153) |
| Ben Loving              | (152) |
| 10:05 and 1:35          |       |
| * Skip Alexander        | (147) |
| Rut Coffey              | (148) |
| Sol Di Buono            | (151) |
| 10:10 and 1:40          |       |
| Ben Hogan               | (133) |
| John Revolta            | (140) |
| Clayton Heafner         | (142) |
| Qualifying score (156). |       |
| * Denotes Amateurs.     |       |

### LAFFOON SAYS MISSED PUTTS DRIVE ONE 'NUTS'

Ky Laffoon, Ryder Cup golfer, became so annoyed yesterday because his putts refused to drop that he decided to withdraw from the North and South although he would have returned a score of 145 and been in position to win prize money today.

"For two days now," said Ky, "they have been hanging on the lip or sliding just off to the side. It's enough to drive a fellow nuts. That's why I picked up."

### MRS. PAGE PILES UP 26 STROKE LEAD TO CAPTURE MID-SOUTH

Chapel Hill Golfer Winds up With Round of 74 for Total of 225, Possibly Setting Record; Deborah Verry, Helen Waring Tied for Second.

By Howard Burns

SOUTHERN PINES, March 20.—Mrs. Estelle Lawson Page of Chapel Hill probably established a new record today when she defeated the field by 26 strokes and won the 54 hole medal play Mid-South tournament at Southern Pines Country Club with 225.

Mrs. Page was 76-75-74. She got better each succeeding day, and her play warned America's golfing girls that she is going to be very "tough" competition this year whenever she leaves her fireside and starts in big time competition.

Next week Mrs. Page will defend her North and South title in Pinehurst.

Mrs. Page was driving from 250 to 275 today, and playing from the back tees over the 6,700 yards hazardous course she came within one stroke of Patty Berg's record for this event. Miss Berg failed to show up this year to defend her title.

Miss Helen Waring, Pinehurst and Miss Deborah Verry, Worcester, Mass., tied for second with 251.

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### WHAT TO DO AND SEE Today

Final 36 holes of North and South open golf tournament at Pinehurst Country Club today.

Keno and dance at The Carolina tonight.

Buffet supper and forum event at Pinehurst Country Club tonight.

### AT THE THEATRES

**Pinehurst** - Tomorrow at 3:00 and 8:30, "Three Cheers for the Irish," with Priscilla Lane, Thomas Mitchell.

**Southern Pines** - Tonight and tomorrow night at 7:15 and 9:15, "Broadway Melody of 1940," with an all-star cast including Fred Astaire, Eleanor Powell, Florence Rice, George Murphy, Frank Morgan and Lynne Carver.

**Aberdeen** - Tonight, tomorrow night and Saturday night at 8:15, matinee today and Saturday at 3:00, Walt Disney's "Pinocchio." (Continued on Page Six)

### PATRICIA WITH HER BUDDY



Miss Patricia, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George D. Murphy, goes to the Sandhills dog show with Hercuveen Buddy, her St. Bernard, who was judged best of breed. Hercuveen has also been judged as having one of the finest canine voices in Pinehurst, noted for volume, pitch and tone.

### North-South Open Scores 36-Hole Totals

Ben Hogan	66-34-33-67-133
Sam Snead	71-33-36-69-140
John Revolta	70-34-36-70-140
Craig Wood	72-33-36-69-141
Stanley Horne	72-35-34-69-141
* Bobby Dunkelberger	71-35-35-70-141
Clayton Heafner	71-37-34-71-142
Jack Patroni	70-36-36-72-142
Harry Cooper	71-34-37-71-142
Ed Oliver	71-36-35-71-142
Byron Nelson	70-36-36-72-142
Gene Sarazen	73-34-36-70-143

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### Valerie Hogan Crosses Fingers - Awaits Results

By ARCH MURRAY (Golf Editor of New York Post)

PINEHURST, N. C., March 21.—With a howling pack in mad pursuit of Bee-Line Ben Hogan today, the 38th annual North and South Open had settled down into strictly a pursuit race. Seven shots to the fore going into today's final 36 holes, the lean Texan seemed on his way to his first major golf championship. But his wife, Valerie, refused to believe it.

"Don't pinch me," she said last night, "I'm afraid I'll wake up. Ben's always said that the only way he'd win his first title would be to get so far out

in front of the field that nobody could catch him. That seems to have come true now. But I don't believe it."

Those words expressed the anguish and hope that a young golfing wife keeps locked in her heart during the bitter days when her husband is hammering at the door. Few, though, have suffered quite as much as the slender Valerie.

"Ben's been so close so many times, only to see one fatal shot crumble all his hopes. He's never given up trying, though, even in his darkest hours. That's why I'm so proud of

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## Hogan's Amazing Golf Leading North-South

Texan Adds 67 in Second Round for 36 Hole Total of 133; Out in Front By Seven Strokes

### TIP FOR COOPER

Harry Cooper had just hit a bad shot, something unusual for Cooper. A few minutes later a lady approached Mrs. Emma Cooper and handed her a slip of paper. On it was written: "Tell Harry he is standing too close to his ball."

### PHYSICIANS EXPECT MIAMI WOMAN TO DELIVER QUINTUPLETS

MIAMI, Fla., March 19.—(P)—In a few weeks, it will be known whether a second set of quintuplets will grace the North American scene.

The Herald said today physicians were watching closely the case of a Miami woman who was expected, on the strength of x-ray photographs, to give birth to five babies.

A physician who is also an x-ray specialist was quoted by the newspaper as saying there was "a very good chance" that she would deliver quintuplets. The identities of the doctor and the prospective parents were not disclosed.

While the medical authority told the newspaper that the babies could not be expected for two or three months, another source was quoted as saying they were due in May.

## War

(By Associated Press)

### RAID STORIES DIFFER

Berlin and London are far apart in official reports of an attack by German bombers on a British convoy yesterday off the Coast of Scotland.

Germany claims that in a "fierce attack" nine British warships and merchantmen were severely damaged.

Britain reports that three neutral ships in the convoy were damaged, and that the crew abandoned one vessel.

### FRENCH CABINET

In Paris Paul Renaud said today (Thursday) he hoped to form a "push the war" cabinet within twelve hours to replace the Daladier cabinet, resigned. Daladier has been asked to head the war ministry. The new cabinet will be representative of all parties.

### IN WAR SERVICE

The Mauretania sailed from New York yesterday for transport duty.

### WEATHER

Fair, slightly colder Thursday. Increasing cloudiness, followed by rain Friday and Friday night.

Sam Snead and Johnny Revolta in Tie for Second with Scores of 140 as field Plays Final 36 Holes Today.

### BOBBY TOPS AMATEURS

By WILLIAM D. RICHARDSON (Golf Editor of The New York Times)

### COUNTRY CLUB, March 20.

Any of the contestants in the North and South open championship who failed to take Ben Hogan's fairwells seriously yesterday became convinced today that the 140-pound ex-Texan really meant just that when he fired his sensational six-under-par 66 at them in the opening round of the tournament.

The quiet-spoken young professional at the Century Country Club in White Plains today came within a stroke of duplicating his first round score with the result that he has turned what ordinarily is a nip-and-tuck chase right up to the finish line into a one-man show with the survivors for today's final two-round stretch apparently battling desperately for second money.

Bombing Ben's 67 gave him a 36-hole total of 133, perhaps the lowest two-round score ever made in a major event in American golf, and left him exactly seven strokes out in front of the pursuing pack led by Sam Snead and Johnny Revolta.

Hogan's total set up a new record for the first two rounds of this thirty-eight year old Sandhill fixture, clipping the old mark by six strokes. A search of the record-books failed to reveal its equal in a major event on a championship course in this country although Byron Nelson, defending North and South champion, registered

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### TEMPERATURE UP, PRES. ROOSEVELT ORDERED TO BED

WASHINGTON, March 20.—(AP)—President Roosevelt's temperature was up again today and he was ordered back to bed.

His physician, Rear Admiral Ross T. McIntire, said, however, he was "not in the least concerned" about the President's condition and that his cold was "just one of those things that hang on."

He said Mr. Roosevelt's temperature this morning was 99.4 degrees, nearly a degree above normal and two-tenths of a degree higher than it was yesterday morning.

### HOW COME? OUTLOOK LOSES

CARTHAGE, March 20.—The Pinehurst Outlook basketball team lost to Charlotte tonight in the semi-final of the Sandhills semi-pro league 50 to 46.