

Mrs. Page Bags Title by 4-3 Win over Miss Kirby

Defending North and South Champion Scores Her 4th Win of Tourney Since 1935

Atlanta Girl's Putter Fails Her in the Pinches, Her Outward Nine Needing 42 Strokes to 39 of Her Opponent.

SHOWERS SLOW COURSE

By LESTER RICE
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PINEHURST, N. C., March 30.—What has become an old tale was retold with exclamation points today when Mrs. Estelle Lawson Page won her fourth North and South championship since 1935.

The chubby matron of Chapel Hill, making herself thoroughly at home in changed conditions, defeated Dorothy Kirby, the medalist, by the undoubted difference of four holes, the match ending at the fifteenth with a gentle patter of rain washing out the Atlanta girl's last wan hope.

Mrs. Page's 4 and 3 margin of victory was the most pronounced she has registered over Miss Kirby in their four meetings. When she was but seventeen Miss Dorothy defeated Mrs. Page in the Southern championship but since then has been compelled to bow her pretty head on three occasions. She lost to the Carolinian in the semi-finals of the Southern two years ago and was a 3 and 2 victim of Mrs. Page in the finals of the North and South a year ago.

Miss Kirby contributed largely to her own demise today by her failure to gauge properly the speed of greens which had been considerably slowed by overnight showers. The light-headed putting blade she employed was not enough to get the ball up to the cups with her customary stroking and, in consequence, lost her touch. She three-putted five of the carpets, thereby losing holes she

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NORTH AND SOUTH FINALS
Championship Division
Mrs. Estelle Lawson Page defeated Miss Dorothy Kirby 4 and 3.

Consolation
Mrs. J. P. Meador defeated Mrs. James M. Robbins 2 and 1.

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First Flight
Mrs. J. G. Batterson defeated Miss Joanne Faris 3 and 2.

Consolation
Mrs. L. F. Porteous won by default from Miss R. D. Hall.

Second Flight
Mrs. John K. Weeks Jr., defeated Mrs. C. B. Shea 3 and 1.

Consolation
Mrs. McLeod Thomson defeated Mrs. J. C. Prizer 4 and 3.

WEATHER
Partly cloudy, slightly warmer in west portion Sunday, preceded by showers in east portion Sunday morning. Monday generally fair and mild.

LEAVES \$8,700,000

DURHAM, March 30.—Mrs. John Sprunt Hill, who died last Thursday, left an estate of \$8,700,000, of which \$5,600,000 will go to the state and federal governments in inheritance taxes, according to her will filed for probate today. Mrs. Hill left the bulk of her estate to be divided equally among her husband and her three children, George Watts Hill, Valinda Hill DuBose and Frances Faison Hill Fox.

RALPH GULDAHL IN FRONT AT ASHEVILLE WITH TOTAL OF 134

ASHEVILLE, March 30.—Ralph Guldahl shot into the lead today at the half way mark of the \$5,000 Land of The Sky open tournament. The two time U. S. open champion combined his own fine 70 with a wavering by the first round leaders to gain a one-stroke margin with a 36-hole score of 134.

Playing conditions were none too good over the long Beaver Lake course because of showers and sticky soil. Guldahl played well except on the short holes, three of which he bogied.

Ben Hogan, winner in Pinehurst and Greensboro, and Lloyd Mangrum are in second place at 135.

Leading scorers:

Guldahl	64-70-134
Hogan	67-68-135
Mangrum	64-71-135
Metz	64-72-136
Little	68-68-136
Picard	65-73-138
Walsh	65-73-138
Walper	69-70-139
H. Keiser	68-72-140
V. Keiser	71-69-140
McSpaden	68-73-141
Nelson	67-74-141
Bulla	72-70-142
Revolta	72-70-142
Demaret	68-74-142
Harrison	69-73-142
Dodson	68-75-143
Serafin	71-72-143
xW. Turnesa	72-71-143
Hines	70-73-143

xDenotes amateur.

FACTION FIGHTER WINS CAROLINA CUP

CAMDEN, S. C., March 31.—(AP)—Faction Fighter, seven year old brown gelding from the Rokeby stables of Paul Mellon, Pittsburgh, won the eleventh running of the Carolina Cup today over the Camden steeplechase course. It was his second consecutive win.

Postman Home, owned by Mrs. Eva S. Spillman of Warrenton, Virginia, was second. Gil Blas, owned by Charlton H. Palmer, New York, was a poor third.

Pinehurst-Ramblers Polo Game at 3.00 P.M. Today

Provided the weatherman gives the Pinehurst Polo Club a break, the No. 2 field will be the scene of a good polo game this afternoon, beginning at 3:00 o'clock. Pinehurst will play The Ramblers. The lineup:

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| <p>PINEHURST</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Lieut. Alex Graham. R. B. Green. Merrill Fink. B. R. Brown. | <p>RAMBLERS</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Henry Gibson Barnard Jr. James B. Murray. Capt. Dave Erskine. Lieut. T. G. Bilboe. |
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Referees: Col. George P. Hawes and Earl Shaw. Timekeeper, William E. Baker. Announcer, Elliot Barta.

Reserved parking spaces on the field line may be obtained by calling the Pinehurst Polo Club office, Tel. 3694 or 3862. All unreserved tickets at the gate.

James Dewey Moore, director of polo of the New York Athletic Club informed Pinehurst Polo Club officials yesterday that the New York Athletic Club team will come down to play Pinehurst on April 14. Plans are being made for a return Camden engagement also.

PHILLIPS, JOHNSON AND HOLLINGSWORTH WIN WHISTLE PRIZES

Medal Play Tournament for Non-Winners of Major Prize Held Yesterday With 31 Entries.

The medal play tournament of the Tin Whistle Club yesterday for non-winners of a major prize was held with 31 entries, and Howard G. Phillips won in Class A with 77-11-68. Phillips played number one.

C. B. Hollingsworth won in Class B with 91-22-71 over the number one course and the Class C prize was taken by W. C. Johnson, who played number three in 93-27-69.

Scores:

Class A	
H. G. Phillips	77-11-68
H. D. Vail	79-8-71
Robert Finney	78-7-71
F. A. Norman	85-13-72
C. H. Scott	79-5-74
Robert Lowry	82-9-75
J. A. Ruggles	88-14-77
Class B	
C. B. Hollingsworth	91-22-71
F. T. Wheeler	90-18-72
R. H. Youngman	87-16-74
G. T. Malmstead	93-21-75
C. B. Shea	90-18-75
C. W. Stage	93-17-78
B. L. Tyrrel	98-22-79
J. M. Jamison	99-21-80
V. D. Cliff	102-19-85
Class C	
W. C. Johnson	93-27-69
J. K. Love	97-28-72
Fred Wardell	94-23-73
J. C. Prizer	95-23-75
Chas. Franck	98-24-76
Norwood Johnston	104-30-77
F. B. Howland	101-24-80
L. M. Atherton	107-25-82
R. H. Dunham	108-26-85

PRINCETON vs. PINEHURST

Princeton and Pinehurst will meet at golf this afternoon over the championship course. The match will be played in four fourball bestball matches, scored on the nassau system. The lineup:

<p>Pinehurst</p> <p>Dunlap</p> <p>Scott</p> <p>Jones</p> <p>Finney</p> <p>Thomson</p> <p>Robertson</p> <p>Vail</p> <p>Williams</p>	<p>Princeton</p> <p>Page</p> <p>Robertson</p> <p>Granbery</p> <p>Selby</p> <p>Fogg</p> <p>Vandervoort</p> <p>Jennings</p> <p>Jamison</p>
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MISS JEAN BAUER AND FRANK STRAFACI WIN FOURSOMES EVENT

Pair Card Gross of 73 in Country Club Contest; Miss Helen Waring and Howard Phillips Win Net First Place.

Miss Jean Bauer, Providence and Frank Strafacci returned a very fine gross score of 36-37-73 over the number three course yesterday to win the Pinehurst Country Club mixed foursome competition.

Alternate drives were the rule, and Miss Bauer drove from the odd holes. At the ninth Strafacci hit his second within two feet and Miss Bauer obtained the birdie. At 14 Miss Bauer holed a ten foot putt for a deuce.

Both Miss Bauer and Frank were playing well and had other opportunities for birdies.

The card:
544 443 453-36
445 424 455-37-73.

Low net was won by the Pinehurst pair of Miss Helen Waring and Howard G. Phillips with 81-9-72.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Page partnered, and returned a card of 91-7-84. Estelle, after the long grind of the North and South, was a bit tired, and her husband is not a champion golfer. So together they took a 91. But they said they enjoyed it.

Summary:
Miss Jean Bauer and Frank Strafacci, 73-1-72.
Miss Helen Waring and H. G. Phillips, 81-9-72.
Mr. and Mrs. William Kirkland Jr., 86-13-73.
Miss Betty Abernathy and Pat Mucci, 78-4-74.
Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Prescott, 90-15-75.
Miss Deborah Verry and Robert Knowles Jr., 79-3-76.
Miss Anne and Joe Hotchkiss, 90-13-77.
Mrs. A. Smith and Joe Thompson, 86-8-78.
Miss Peggy and C. A. Warren, 102-24-78.
Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Robbins, 83-4-79.
Mrs. Russell Holman and Dr. Robert Lawson, 87-8-79.
Miss Jean Thompson and G. W. Dodd, 102-23-79.
Miss Homer and C. I. Williams, 95-16-79.

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100 in Fast Golf Field Of Men's North-South

Frank Strafacci to Defend Title in Amateur Classic Starting Tomorrow Morning

GOLF GALORE!

PINEHURST GOLF—well exemplified in the competitive sense yesterday. There were the women's finals of the North and South, the finals of the women's Spring tournament, the Tin Whistles tournament, Pinehurst Country Club mixed foursomes, putting contest for ladies by both the Silver Foils and the Country Club. Practice rounds were played for the North and South Amateur, starting Monday and members of the Princeton Golf Team were tuning up for today's match against Pinehurst. All this, plus innumerable informal matches between individuals!

Bill Cozart of Durham, Medalist Last Year Also to Compete; George T. Dunlap Jr., Five Times Winner, Chief Threat..

QUALIFYING MONDAY

By JACK TUCKER
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With approximately 100 entries filed last night, the annual chase for the coveted North and South amateur golf title—which Flatbush Frankie Strafacci has no intention of relinquishing—is expected to attract a smart field of some 150 entrants when the firing opens tomorrow on Pinehurst Country Club's No. 2 course.

Flatbush Frankie meantime pursued his assiduous way around the soggy layout yesterday with a minimum of waste motion. He was hitting the ball crisply, rapping his putts and showing occasional flashes of the brilliance that has won this highly respected fixture twice running.

Entries now include Bill Cozart of Durham, whose 74 played last year in chilly weather won the medal.

Others interested in fracturing 80 are Guy Berner, a tremendous young hitter from Duke University, where they grow ^{him} rough; the venerable Paul Hyde of Buffalo, who still is capable of administering a spanking to our brasher youngsters; Duff McCullough, Philadelphia veteran; Jimmy Robbins, one time Princeton golf captain; James T. Hunter of North Adams, Mass.; John Mallaghan, Rhode Island State municipal champion, and Johnny Ryerson, a familiar contender here.

Probably the most colorful of all the entrants is H. S. Malik of Bombay, India. Malik is the turbaned, bearded golfer who intrigued Pinehurst habitués yesterday, and is reputed to be a

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UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA GLEE CLUB WILL SING AT FORUM

The University of North Carolina Glee Club, consisting of 29 young men, will sing at the Forum on next Thursday evening, April 4th.

The glee club is under the direction of Mr. John E. Toms, and the accompanist will be Mr. Herbert Livingston. These two young men delighted the Forum audience earlier in the season with a recital of their own. Next Thursday's program will include one set of solos by each of them, as well as the regular groups presented by the glee club.

This glee club, which is regarded as one of the finest undergraduate organizations of its kind, is making Pinehurst its first date in a state-wide tour during the month of April.

HARNESS HORSES AT TRACK TO PERFORM

A harness horse matinee will be held on Saturday afternoon, April 13, in order that guests in the Sandhills may see the excellent string of trotters and pacers in training here, and to raise money for the Pinehurst clinic.

The meeting will be sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce, and James Tufts is manager.

There will be at least four races. One of these will be for amateur drivers for three year old classified trotters. There will be an open two-year-old trot, a race for three-year-old and over trotters for both amateur and professional drivers, and a fourth race to be made up later.

There will be many added attractions such as the parade of two minute horses, with Peter Astra, the Hambletonian winner of 1939, leading the line.

WHAT TO DO AND SEE Today

Pinehurst-Ramblers polo game at No. 2 field this afternoon, beginning at 3:00 o'clock. Public invited to attend. Buffet supper at Holly Inn tonight.

AT THE THEATRES

- Pinehurst -
Tonight and Monday night at 8:30, matinee Monday at 3:00, "Too Many Husbands," with Jean Arthur, Melvyn Douglas and Fred MacMurray.

- Southern Pines -
Tomorrow and Tuesday night at 8:15, matinee Tuesday at 3:00, Abe Lincoln in "Illinois," starring Raymond Massey.

- Aberdeen
Tomorrow and Tuesday nights at 7:30 and 9:30, "Strange Cargo," with Clark Gable, Joan Crawford, Ian Hunter, Peter Lorre and Paul Lukas.