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Classy Harness Horses To Race Here Saturday

Matinee Program at Local Track Lists Many Speedy Trotters and Pacers in 4 Events

Benefit Meet for Summer Recreation Fund Will Bring Out Budding Grand Circuit Champions Now in Fine Racing Form.

MEREDITH ENTERED

By Wayne Groves
The matinee card at the Pinehurst race track next Saturday afternoon should furnish some very interesting racing. The horses are two weeks farther advanced in their training than they were at the recent matinee, and this will add much to the various contests.

The afternoon's program will carry four events, two for trotters and two for pacers. In the fast trot Playdale 2:07 1/2 and Truscon 2:08 1/2, that trotted in 2:13 1/2 at the first matinee will again be in the same field, and their rivalry is certain to result in a still faster mile. Then to make this race more exciting the remainder of the field has quite a bit more quality this time. Meredith 2:06 will for the first time carry the silks of his new owner, Mrs. L. B. Smith of Southern Pines, and this fellow can trot a lot. Renown 2:09 1/2, a member of the H. M. Parshall stable, is another capable trotter that will have a try at Playdale and Truscon. All told there will be no fewer than five in this event, and they can all trot fast.

In the three year old pace, will be seen a quartette of new steeds, and this is in fact a very classy lot of young pacers. From the Mahlon N. Haines stable, trained by Delvin Miller, will come Lonsdale and High Point. Lonsdale was raced extensively as a two year old, and took a race record of 2:10 1/2 over a half mile track. She is in good form right now, and will not be easy to beat. The Parshall stable will provide the other two entries in Toro and Fearless Peter. Toro was the

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WHAT TO DO AND SEE

Today

Weekly bridge party at the Carolina Hotel this morning under the direction of Mrs. Claude Ramsay.

AT THE THEATRES

- Pinehurst -
Last day today, performances at 2:00 and 8:00, "Gone With the Wind."

- Southern Pines -
Tonight and tomorrow night at 8:15, matinee tomorrow at 3:00, "It All Came True," with Ann Sheridan, Jeffrey Lynn, and Zasu Pitts.

Aberdeen
Tonight at 7:30 and 9:15, "The Courageous Dr. Christian," with Jean Hersholt, Dorothy Lovett, Tom Neal and Robert Baldwin. Cash award night and free consolation.

MRS. ROOSEVELT WILL VISIT SOUTH

WASHINGTON, April 23. —(P)—Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt leaves today for New York and on Wednesday will go to Miami, Fla. Thursday she will entrain for Asheville, N. C., for a visit Friday with Marvin McIntyre, a presidential secretary. On Saturday she will speak at Winthrop College at Rock Hill, S. C., and will visit some new projects in the northern part of the state.

ANNENBERG ADMITS EVADING INCOME TAX EXCEEDING MILLION

CHICAGO, April 23. —(P)—M. L. Annenberg, defendant in the largest criminal federal income tax case in history, pleaded guilty today to evading \$1,217,296.73 of income taxes for the year 1936.

The plea by the wealthy Philadelphia publisher and former head of an international racing news empire was entered to the fifth count of an indictment accusing him of evading \$3,258,809.97 in taxes for the years 1932 to 1936, inclusive.

Fifty per cent penalties and 6 per cent interest would bring to \$5,548,384.89 the aggregate which the federal government claimed against him.

A plea of guilty to the fifth count also was entered by Joseph Hafner, alias Samuel Goldfarb, a business associate of Annenberg, who with 11 others was accused of aiding and abetting the publisher in the alleged evasion.

William J. Campbell, United States district attorney, informed Federal Judge James H. Wilkerson before a courtroom packed with defendants, attorneys and spectators that the attorney general had directed him to advise the court that at the time of sentencing Annenberg and Hafner the government intended to dismiss all other counts of the indictment and other income tax indictments against them.

TO DINE AT POPE'S

Fifty members of the Sandhills Kiwanis Club will have luncheon today at noon at The Pilot Restaurant, popular Aberdeen eating place operated by Host Pope.

Col. Charles F. H. Johnson, president of the Botany Worsted Mills of Passaic, N. J., will talk on the European situation at the meeting.

THE WEATHER

Showers, slightly warmer in east and central portions Wednesday. Thursday fair, cooler in east and central portions.

JERRY MACK CONCERT TONIGHT



The popular maestro and his Dunes Club Orchestra will give a concert at the Civic Club in Southern Pines, starting at 8:00 o'clock tonight, for the benefit of Saint Anthony's Church of Southern Pines. A feature of the affair will be the presentation of Dianne, international songstress, who recently completed a 15-week engagement at The Dunes. Everyone is invited to attend the benefit, which is deserving of public support.

The Farms of Normandy

Editor's note: The author of this theme, just 15 years of age, came to this country last June, after spending her life in France. A student at the Cottage School, she shows an eager interest in economics, history and music. She is an expert equestrienne, having won several ribbons in the Pinehurst Horse Shows of this season. Her great-aunt is Mrs. Frank Edward May, Mr. S. B. Chapin's sister. The composition is excellent, especially in its commentary on the plight of the American share-cropper, in contrast to the apparent good life of the French farmer. Miss de Janze came to America for summer vacation, planning to return to France in September, when the European war broke out, preventing her departure for home.

By Miss Paola de Janze

The sun came pouring over the hills and the green meadows, through the woods, into the golden fields of wheat and the silver fields of oats. The wind rustled through the hay stacks and the heavy leaves of the chestnut trees. Hundreds of little apples danced gaily on the ends of their branches as they seemed to say, "Look at us and admire our glow, for in us thou shalt see the wealth of Normandy."

Slowly I crossed the meadow where many brown and white cows were grazing; as I passed they followed me with their great dark eyes. I stopped to look at the great expanse be-

fore me; here a field, where reapers were working to bring in their crops; there, a large valley covered with woods and meadows; a big wooden cart drawn by six powerful white horses; men and women singing as they piled up the hay; children playing with two enormous but gentle shepherd dogs; and down in the valley a flock of three or four hundred sheep.

When I came up to them, the farmers greeted me cheerfully, helped me on to the cart and gave me the reins and whip to hold. As I lay on the soft hay I could not help thinking how much I loved this country and these people, and I knew that they loved me, too, just as their parents loved my parents and their grand-parents my grand-parents, and this way for years and years.

Ever since our Chateau was built, three hundred and ten years ago, it has remained in our family, and the people have depended on us as we have on them.

What could France do without her crops and cattle? What could the farmers do without help and protection? We are the ones to give them those things. When they are in trouble, or when they are sick, they come to us, and we do our best to help them.

They rent our farms and lands, but if they are not able to pay us in money, they give us wheat, oats, barley, beets, or whatever their crops are; they

Fierce Battle Reported Raging In Skagerrak

Sea and Air Warfare Sparked by Allied Attack on German Transport Convoy

NOTED NAZI AIRMAN KILLED IN FLIGHT

BERLIN, April 23. —(P)—Captain Alfred Henke, 38, who flew the North Atlantic four times and took part in the Condor trans-Atlantic flight from Berlin to New York in 1938, was killed yesterday while making a test flight.

MISS ELWES, ARTIST, TO TALK ON MEXICO BEFORE CIVIC CLUB

Miss Mary Elwes of London, Eng., best known as a painter of gardens, also a lecturer of outstanding ability, lecturing in the largest clubs and hotels of Europe, is spending a brief time sketching in Southern Pines and has consented to speak before the members and guests of the Civic Club Friday at 3:00 p. m. on Mexico, showing water color pictures as illustrations.

Members of the cottage colony are cordially invited to attend at no cost. Tea will be served.

Miss Elwes spoke to the members of the Junior Civic Club last evening as a compliment to Miss Florence Campbell, founder of this organization. She told of the value of women's organizations throughout rural England.

TODAY LAST SHOWING OF GONE WITH THE WIND

Today's the last chance of seeing "Gone With the Wind," at the Pinehurst Theatre. Performances are at 2:00 and 8:00 o'clock.

NURSES BOWL

Dr. Michael Pishko and a group of nurses from Moore County Hospital held a bowling tournament at the Amusement Center last night, including Miss Camilla Johnson, Miss Mona Currie, Miss Katherine Pratt and Miss Mary West, Miss Lalan Patterson and Miss Vera Harrington.

Miss West rolled 104, the high string of the evening.

DEMOCRATS SUED INDIANAPOLIS, April 23.

(P)—Federal Security Administrator Paul V. McNutt, Governor M. Clifford Townsend and 26 other Democrats were sued here today in an action for a judgment declaring unconstitutional a 1937 law which exempted the Hoosier Democratic (two per cent) Club from the Senate corrupt practices act.

The plaintiff, Glenn W. Funk, candidate for the Republican nomination for Marion County prosecuting attorney, said the exemption act gave the club privileges and immunities denied him and other political campaigners.

British Steamer Lolworth Mined and Sunk Off English Coast; Fate of Another Ship, Also Reported Mined, is Mystery.

NAZIS ADMIT CLASHES

STOCKHOLM, April 23. —(P)—Fierce sea and air warfare, sparked by an attack on a German transport convoy, was reported raging in the Skagerrak tonight while Allied troops in Norway threatened Nazi positions on three fronts. The Stockholm newspaper Nya Dagligt Allehanda reported from Sweden's west coast that warships and airplanes were engaged in two battles in the Skagerrak.

SHIP MINED

LONDON — (Wednesday) — A mine sank the 1969 ton British steamer Lolworth off the southeast coast of England late last night, and the fate of another ship, also reported mined, was a mystery early today.

The sinking of the Lolworth followed a big aerial battle Monday night off the English coast, when mine laying German planes flew low over the Thames and Humber estuaries.

The tide of war on the northern battleground boiled tonight into southern Norway, and found Allied and German troops engaged in a battle of seeming decision for the "gate" to Oslo and, perhaps, command of the invaded nation's destiny.

Unofficial British and neutral military observers pieced together this picture of the land war:

1. The first major battle of the campaign is beginning near Lillehammer, where the great Gudbrandsdal valley enters the southern plain.

2. A flying column of Norwegians and British has thrust southward from Britain's central west coast landing places and, flanking the Lillehammer conflict is pushing for Hamar, 30 miles south of Lillehammer and 60 miles north of Oslo. This force has taken Moelven, about 10 miles north of Hamar.

BERLIN ADMITS STRIFE

BERLIN—The first admission of direct fighting between British and German land forces in central Norway came from authorized German sources today but German officialdom, analyzing reports of additional air and naval engagements, adopted the attitude that "the more the British attempt to land in Norway the better we like it."

Nazi confidence was bolstered by news of the German bombing of Andalsnes and Namsos, British debarkation point south and north of German held Trondheim; Grong, railway point west of Namsos and Dombas, another strategic rail point.