

### Pinehurst High School To Give 25 Diplomas

Largest Senior Class in the School's History Will Be Graduated on Thursday

Sunday morning at 11 o'clock the Rev. S. H. Fulton of Laurinburg will deliver the baccalaureate sermon to Pinehurst High School's graduating class of twenty-four, the largest in the history of the school, at the Pinehurst Community Church. Special music will be given by the High School Glee Club. Charles Templeton of the Fayetteville High School faculty will sing a solo and Miss Katherine Blue will be at the organ.

The calendar for commencement week follows: Monday morning, May 6 at ten o'clock, Play by Seventh Grade; Monday evening at eight o'clock, Music Recital under the direction of Miss Katherine Blue; Tuesday evening, May 7 at eight o'clock, Operetta under the direction of Miss Katherine Blue and the Elementary teachers; Wednesday morning, May 8, at ten o'clock, Seventh Grade exercises under the direction of Miss Marguerite McGinnis. The Rev. C. E. Ruffian of Ellerbe will address the class; Thursday evening, May 9 at eight o'clock, Graduation of Seniors. Literary address by Dr. Hubert Potteat of Wake Forest.

### PINEHURST

Dr. and Mrs. T. A. Cheatham, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Ross, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Carter, Miss Lillian Ross and Miss Blanche Daggett left Friday morning for Beaufort to attend the wedding of Miss Clyde Duncan, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Charles Duncan.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Calloway and baby daughter Sylvia, and Miss Jean Greer left by motor on Monday for Skytop, Pa., for the summer.

Miss Mildred Greer is visiting Miss Melba Wicker until after the close of school when she will join her family.

Mr. and Mrs. David L. Johnson and family returned to their home in Cleveland Tuesday after spending the season here.

The Rev. and Mrs. A. J. McKelway spent Monday in Raleigh as the guests of the Rev. and Mrs. F. D. Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Sledge and Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Jellison spent Sunday and Monday at Myrtle Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Sanders returned to Chapel Hill, Tenn., on Wednesday after spending the past two weeks as the guests of Mrs. Caunder's mother, Mrs. Ethel Journey.

Mrs. E. B. Keith went to Newberry, S. C., on Tuesday to visit her sister Mrs. Sumner.

Mrs. S. R. Jellison and Mrs. T. L. Black were joint hostesses Thursday afternoon when they entertained with bridge at the home of Mrs. Jellison. There were six tables in play. Mrs. E. G. Fitzgerald won high score prize. Mrs. W. R. Viall won second prize and Mrs. Clarence Lyman was awarded consolation.

Friday evening, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Johnson entertained with a fish fry at their home. The fish were cooked and served on the lawn. About twenty-five friends were present.

Those playing were Mrs. Charles W. Picquet, Mrs. John Fitzgerald, Mrs. E. G. Fitzgerald, Mrs. S. R. Jellison, Mrs. T. P. Cheney, Mrs. Alec Innes, Mrs. Gordon Cameron and Mrs. T. L. Black. Mrs. Black and Mrs. Ennis won prizes.

On Tuesday evening the Woman's Auxiliary of the Baptist Community church held its monthly meeting in the church parlors.

A very attractive and inspirational foreign mission program portraying an alumnae meeting of the Golden Castle College of Nagoya, Japan was presented. The Birthday offering of the Southern Presbyterian church has made it possible for this school to have a new chapel building this year.

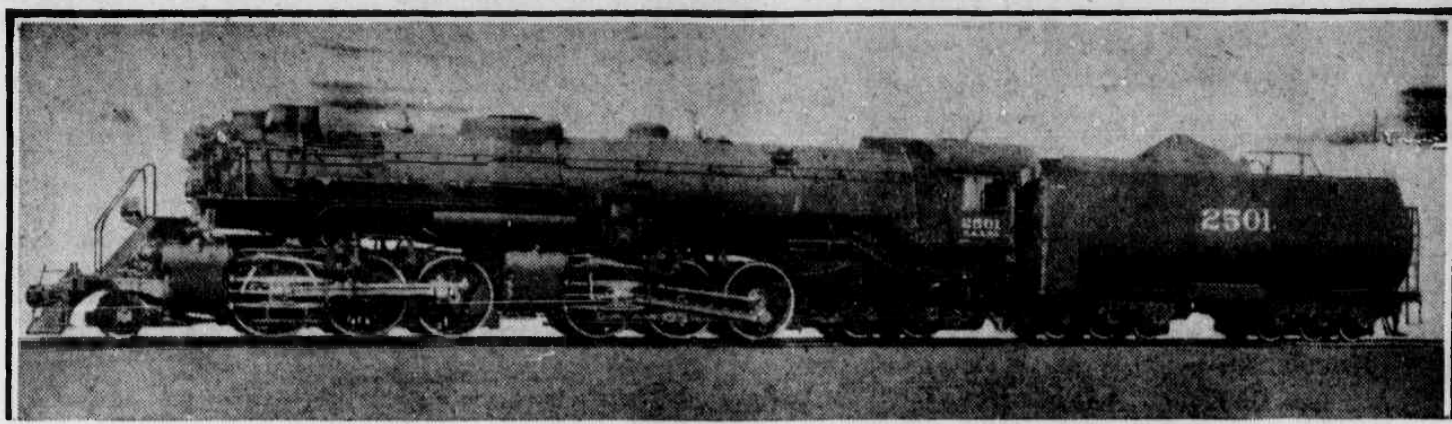
Those taking part wore Japanese costumes, and the room was effectively decorated with pink roses and blue iris.

On last Thursday afternoon Master Georgie Razoek celebrated his birthday with a party for twenty-five of his friends at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Razoek. Refreshments were served the children in the Village Grill Court yard.

### YADKIN GOLFERS QUALIFY FOR OPENING TOURNAMENT

Fifty-one golfers, good and bad, have joined the Yadkin Golf Club for the summer season at the Pinehurst Country Club to date, and 46 have qualified in the opening tournament. That there are many good golfers in the group is revealed by the fact that it took 77 or better to get into the first division for the opening event, the first round of which will be finished by May 4th.

### Seaboard's New Giant Freight Locomotive



### Improved Mouth Health of Pupils Reflects Saving to School Budget

Undernourishment and Improper Food Causes Irregular Attendance and "Repeaters"

By LeRoy Martin, Executive Secretary State School Commission

One of the great lacks in our school system is the vast number of children who are forced to repeat their grades. Only a small part of this can be charged to inefficient teaching. In the main, we have good teachers. A study of the reports which have been made as a result of school surveys, which show that approximately eighty-five percent of our school children are suffering from some physical defect, apparently finds the reason. A further look at the details of the report made shows that of those suffering from physical defects a larger percentage is caused by undernourishment than is assigned to any other reason. It is hard to see how this could be true in a great state such as ours where it is possible to produce an abundance of everything needed for a child's physical development. It is pointed out that people make the mistake of thinking that undernourishment means an empty stomach; this is not always the case, since well-balanced meals mean more than an abundance of any one article. We are also told that next to undernourishment bad teeth and bad tonsils are next in the class of physical defects. It is generally agreed that those three defects go together and that undernourishment, probably, is a greater contributing factor than the other two.

A study of the school attendance figures shows that a large number of repeaters in school is due to irregular attendance. The poor health of the child must be a substantial contributing factor in the poor attendance. Only a small part of the blame for the retarded child who is repeating his grade is due to the indifference of the parent except as that blame is attached to the indifference of the parent in taking steps to provide a more healthful environment in the home and to remedy apparent defects which are in the child. Everyone conversant with the operation of our schools must realize that there is room for great improvement in the health conditions of the children who are in school.

The efforts of the State Board of Health to correct and improve health conditions among the school children is to be highly commended. The Mouth Health Education campaign in the schools, conducted through the Division of Oral Hygiene, and to which the State has made contributions through the State Board of Equalization when it was in existence, appears to be doing good work. I believe it is shown conclusively that these campaigns have contributed to improve attendance; and as a result, grade repeaters are reduced. It certainly seems that this activity might be enlarged and an extension of health work in the public schools all along the line be undertaken.

### J. FRANK McDUGALL, LONG A WINTER RESIDENT, DIES

John Frank McDougall, winter resident of the Sandhills for a number of years and a pioneer here in the development of clubs for the entertainment of the winter colony, died in Pinehurst on Friday last. Mr. McDougall had been ill for about a year. He had endeared himself to a large circle of friends in this section, people of all classes. His many gentilities to the poor and needy were well known.

### F. POPE INMAN TO WED MISS SHELTON OF HAMLET

Mr. and Mrs. James Fred Shelton of Hamlet announce the engagement of their daughter, Aileen, to Franklin Pope Inman of Southern Pines. Miss Shelton is a teacher in the Richmond county schools, and is a graduate of East Carolina Teachers' College, Greenville. Mr. Inman is manager of the meat market of the local A. & P. Tea Company. The wedding will take place in June.

### Be Nice to Central

New Law Prohibits Bad Language and Pranks Over Telephone Wires

House Bill No. 586, to prohibit the use of indecent and profane language and misleading and false calls over telephones and to protect telephone subscribers, applying only to Cabarrus, Stanly and Moore counties, was ratified by the General Assembly Friday.

The bill, as first introduced, was State-wide, but was amended so as to apply only to the three counties. Its object is to prevent pranks by calls over telephone.

### Mrs. Everest Re-elected Head of Thistle Club

Women's Organization Winds Up Successful Season with Annual Picnic

The annual meeting of the Thistle Club was held at the Southern Pines Country Club last Saturday afternoon and the following officers elected for the coming year: Mrs. Charles P. Everest, president; Mrs. H. A. Gould, vice-president; Mrs. Carl G. Thompson, recording secretary; Mrs. Preston T. Kelsey, corresponding secretary and Mrs. H. E. Thrower, treasurer.

It was unanimously voted to hold the weekly meetings Wednesday afternoon instead of Saturday, when the club assumes its activities in the fall. A rising vote of thanks was extended to the president and all other officers and chairman for the successful and delightful year just closed. The usual game of bridge followed this meeting, the prizes being won by Mrs. Richards, Mrs. Everest, Mrs. Thrower, Mrs. Pelton and Mrs. Stutz.

On Wednesday the season closed with the 17th annual picnic of the club, held on the Country Club grounds. This was a most enjoyable affair attended by about eighty-five. After a delicious luncheon contributed by the members a social hour and bridge followed. The high scores were held by Mrs. Stutz, Miss Grover, Mrs. Everest, Mrs. Kelsey, Mrs. Wrenn, Mrs. Richards, Mrs. Woodward, Mrs. Spring, Mrs. Morell, Miss Pottle, Mrs. Skinner and Mrs. Grey.

### ELIZABETH GROVER WINS THISTLE CLUB TOURNAMENT

Miss Elizabeth Grover this week won the annual golf tournament for the championship of the Thistle Club of Southern Pines, defeating Miss Birdelia Bair in the final round by 1-up. Miss Grover advanced to the finals by defeating in turn Mrs. H. A. Page, Jr., of Aberdeen, Miss Laura Kelsey and Mrs. J. C. Musser, while Miss Bair defeated in order Mrs. William C. Mudgett, Mrs. Kenneth Trousdale and Miss Eleanor Barron.

Others competing in the tournament, which was a handicap event, were Mrs. Elmer Harrington, Mrs. Emmett French, Mrs. Hunter Eckert and Mrs. J. H. Andrews.

In the consolation tourney, Mrs. Page defeated Mrs. Mudgett in the final round, 1-up in 19 holes. Prizes for the tournament were donated by Mrs. M. G. Nichols.

### FURNITURE FACTORY FOR OLD VASS WAREHOUSE

Definite information that Vass is to have a furniture factory has been given out and within the near future detailed plans will be released. The tobacco warehouse will be repaired for use and additional buildings will be erected, it is understood.

Furniture stock is already being placed on the grounds to be in readiness when the factory begins operations, which date is not expected to be before the first of August. Local labor will be used for the greater part of the work.

### Women of County Hear Talk on Tuberculosis

Secretary of South Carolina Association Addresses Council of Home Demonstration Clubs

Mrs. D. McL. McDonald, Executive Secretary of the Tuberculosis Association of South Carolina, was the principal speaker at the spring meeting of the county council of home demonstration clubs of Moore county, which was held in the court house on Monday. Mrs. McDonald, who carries on much of her work through the women's organization in her state, spoke on relating the work of the farm women in the early diagnosis campaign and the child health month. She gave suggestions that will be of great worth to the health leaders.

Plans for the district meeting which is to be held in Pinehurst on May 31 were made and committees to be in charge of decorating, refreshments, and the tour of interesting points around Pinehurst were appointed. The counties of Moore, Lee, Montgomery and Richmond are included in the ninth district, and the hostess group is expecting an attendance of some 500 women. Struthers Burt will be the guest speaker and his message on roadside beautification is expected to bear fruit throughout the four counties.

### CHAPIN HOUSE, PINEHURST SOLD TO GEORGE H. BETTS

(Continued from page 1) Biddle was the broker in both of these transactions.

Senator James Walker of Massachusetts purchased during the season the R. C. Shannon cottage in the heart of town and plans during the summer to rebuild it into a modern winter residence. This deal was consummated by Col. G. P. Hawes and Arthur S. Newcomb. Mr. Biddle sold the Harry V. Maxwell cottage on Midland Road to Charles W. Picquet earlier this season, and Mr. Picquet has greatly improved the building and attractively landscaped the surroundings.

"Cherokee" cottage was sold during the winter to John Hemmer, Pinehurst's staff photographer, who was forced to move from his former abode when the U. S. government acquired the property for the new Pinehurst postoffice, now almost completed. This transaction was consummated by Harry B. Emery and Mr. Biddle.

"Spring House" was sold during the winter to H. Frederick Lesh, prominent leather manufacturer of Boston and affiliated with a large tanning concern in Morganton. On the outskirts of Pinehurst, the estate of the late Frank Page was sold by Mr. Emery to Dr. P. J. Chester of Southern Pines. Mr. Biddle sold the John D. Chapin residence in Pinehurst to William T. McCullough of Pittsburgh, and "Casa Blanca," on Midland Road, to Pinehurst, Inc. for the Barber estate. The Knollwood residence of Mrs. Jane Fuller was sold by Paul Barnum of Southern Pines to E. W. Reinecke during the season.

In addition to these residential sales, paramount in winter real estate deals were the sale of the Pine-Needles Inn and properties to George T. Dunlap and associates, negotiated by Harrison Stutts, and the sale of the Mid-Pines by Mr. Biddle to the Homeland Investment Company of Durham.

### TWIN HOUSES ON OLD ROAD TO PINEHURST BURN DOWN

May Day in Southern Pines was quiet until just before midnight when the clamor of the fire alarm brought not only the fire department but most of the population of the town to the old Chandler houses, known to three generations as the "twin houses" on the old Pinehurst road west of Leak street. This was the third time within two years, but this time the alarm came too late and all the firemen could do was to protect the nearby buildings from flying sparks, the "twin houses" being reduced to ashes with most of the effects of the three colored families occupying the premises.

Lida Duke Blue, Sarah Blue, Virginia Butner, Mary Frances Cameron, Lawrence Cliff, Mark Davis, Marcella Polley, Frances Jean Freeman, Edith Howie, Charlton Huntley, Alma Kirk, Ronie Lucas, Helen Meade, Emma Lee Norton, Margaret Rice, J. Vance Rowe, Jr., T. J. Tarlton, Frances Van Huel, Dorothy Williams and Theresa Zimmerman. The class mascots are Bobby Gwyn and Timmy Hyde.

### SOUTHERN PINES WINS OVER RALEIGH NETTERS

Southern Pines defeated Raleigh 4-3 in a high school tennis meet in Raleigh Wednesday. Raleigh defeated the Sandhills boys by a similar score in a previous meet.

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NECTAR TEA Orange Pekoe 2 1/4 lb. pkgs. 25c OUR OWN TEA, 1/2-lb. Pkg. 19c

CAMPBELL'S TOMATO SOUP 4 cans 29c COCONOG CHOCOLATE DRINK 1/2-lb. Can 19c

SWIFT'S JEWEL 8 lb. ctn. \$1.12 BAKING POWDER ANN PAGE 1/2-lb. Can 10c

IONA FLOUR Plain or Self Rising 24-lb. Bag 90c SHREDDED WHEAT, 2 pkgs. 25c

GRANDMOTHER'S BREAD Whole Wheat 16-oz. or Raisin Loaf 8c ENCORE OLIVE OIL 1/2 PINT CAN 35c

LIBBY'S Sauerkraut 3 No. 2 Cans 25c IONA PEACHES, 2 Lge Cans 35c

RAJAH SALAD DRESSING 1/2 Pt. Jar 12c Miracle Whip SALAD DRESSING 1/2 PINT JAR 15c

IONA PREPARED SPAGHETTI With Cheese and Tomato Sauce 4 CANS 25c Ann Page BEANS 4 16-oz Cans 25c

### FRUITS AND VEGETABLES

String Beans, 4 lbs. 25c Cauliflower, untrimmed, lb. 5c California Oranges, doz. 40c New Potatoes, 4 lbs 25c Lemons, doz. 19c Strawberries, 2 qts. 25c Bananas, lb. 5c Peas, English, 4 lbs. 25c

### MEATS

Veal Roast, Boned and Rolled, lb. 27c Pork Sausage, lb. 21c Leg Lamb, lb. 29c Lamb Chops, lb. 47c Rib Roast, lb. 33c Hams, lb. 27c

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