



# The Pinehurst Page

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MISS GRETCHEN ANN BARR STODDART, who will marry Edmond Wright Buckminster in April, is the daughter of Dr. Thomas W. Barr Stoddart of Invercargill, New Zealand, and Mrs. John F. Hamilton of Auckland, New Zealand. She graduated from Randiruru School and attended Canterbury University in New Zealand. Mr. Buckminster is the son of Mrs. James How of Pinehurst and the late Harold Chase Buckminster of Boston. A graduate of Aiken Preparatory School, Millbrook School, and La Salle University, he is president of Alcor Industries, Inc. in New York City. He is a member of the Pinehurst Country Club and of the Tin Whistles Club.

## Mrs. Harrington Weds Donald Blinn Saturday In Home Ceremony

Mrs. Sara Tufts Harrington was married Saturday to Donald Blinn, of Westport, Conn. The Rev. Roscoe L. Prince, pastor of the Community Church, officiated at the private ceremony, held at noon at the home of the bride's father, Richard S. Tufts.

After a European wedding trip, the Blinns will live in the Parks log cabin, which they have leased.

The newly-married couple were honored at a party given Saturday afternoon by Mr. and Mrs. Octave Blake at their home, The Arches.

## John C. Grier III On Dean's List At UNC

John C. Grier, III is one of 218 students on the dean's list at the University of North Carolina for the past semester. He is the only student from Pinehurst on the list published in the Daily Tar Heel.

A minimum of 15 semester hours, or an average grade of B or over, is the University requirement for the dean's list.

A political science major, John is the son of Dr. and Mrs. John C. Grier, Jr. of Midland Road. He is a 1960 graduate of Pinehurst School.

## Sandhills Players Win Majority Of Prizes At Carolina Duplicate Party

Nine tables were in play for The Carolina Hotel's Friday night duplicate bridge party. The Mitchell Movement was used with the following listed as winners: North-South — first, Mrs. W. O. Smith, Carolina guest from Cutchogue, N. Y., and Mrs. Daniel O. Delany of Pinehurst; second, Mr. and Mrs. Frank deCosta of Southern Pines; and third, Mrs. William J. Burke of Pinehurst and Mrs. Elree May of Southern Pines. East-West — first, Mrs. Roy Grinnell and Mrs. James M. Pleasants, both of Southern Pines; second, another Southern Pines player, Mrs. Betsy Hitson, partnered by Mrs. Louise McKeithen of Aberdeen; and third, a tie between Carolina visitors, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Blank of Short Hills, N. J.; and Pine Crest guests, Mrs. Edmund Mehl and Mrs. Herbert F. Jacobs, both of Erie, Pa.

**PRE-SCHOOL CLINIC**  
The Pre-School Clinic for the Pinehurst School will be held Tuesday, March 12, from 9 - 12. Parents of pre-school children are asked to have their children present for this clinic. Children who are six by October 16 may enter first grade, according to state law.

The school nurse will meet with the children though no vaccinations will be administered.

## Ragan Honored By Cum Laude Society Election At Culver

A Pinehurst student, Thomas C. Ragan, has been honored for outstanding academic achievement by his early election to the Cum Laude Society at Culver Military Academy. He is the son of Vice Admiral and Mrs. Thomas C. Ragan of Pinehurst.

Elections to Cum Laude, a national society organized for the purpose of recognizing academic achievement at the secondary school level, usually are announced at commencement in June. However, Culver began three years ago the practice of selecting a few of its more outstanding students for election to Cum Laude at an earlier date. Ragan was one of three from a student body of 850 who were so honored.

In announcing Ragan's selection, Arthur C. Hughes, president of the Culver Chapter of the Cum Laude Society said:

"Ragan has demonstrated an intellectual concern in summer studies to illustrate the fact that education is an on-going process. The purpose of his early election is to recognize Culver's most outstanding students and to stimulate intellectual concern within the rest of the student body."

Ragan, who is a semifinalist in the National Merit Scholarship competition, conducted a self-directed Spanish program last summer in an effort to prepare himself for an advanced course in Spanish during the current academic year. He returned to Culver in the fall, took a test in Spanish 3, the course in which he had prepared himself without the assistance of an instructor, and earned a "B". He qualified and is enrolled in Spanish 4, the honors section.

He is also enrolled in Honors English and recently won a Gold A given for academic achievement. Ragan is a commissioned cadet lieutenant, plays both the piano and the organ, and has varsity letters in tennis and fencing.

## Winners Named In 3 Country Club Events

Twenty-eight members turned out for Friday's club tournament for women at stroke play for best ball of all four partners on Number Three Course. The team of Mrs. W. J. Burke, Mrs. R. R. MacKenzie, Mrs. W. C. Harris and Mrs. J. B. von Schlegell took top honors with 33-35-68. Runners up were Mrs. D. O. Delany, Mrs. M. T. Pishko, Mrs. R. W. Calloway and Mrs. J. E. Barry at 34-35-69; while other winners were Mrs. J. J. Connor and Mrs. A. N. Derouin.

**Men's Event**  
The tourney for men, a par-bogey contest for better ball of pair postponed from Wednesday and played on Number Five, had an entry of 40. Tying at 78 points for first place were W. J. Burke and J. F. Remington and J. J. Conners and P. V. Tufts, each team posting an outgoing 38 and an incoming 40. In second place were J. B. von Schlegell and F. W. Bellows, 34 out and 42 in for 76; other winners were B. J. Darling, Fred Zoellin and W. N. Mellow.

**Non-Resident Winners**  
The non-resident members events for women and men, both individual par-bogey contests, were won by Mrs. Calloway, registering a front side 40 and a back nine 34 for 74 points on Number Three, and Mr. Zoellin, with an outgoing 32 and an incoming 38 for 70 on Number Five.

**Mrs. Webb, Former Teacher Here, Dies**  
Mrs. Sara Cobb Webb, wife of Ercell S. Webb died last Tuesday morning at her home in Greenville, N. C. Funeral services were conducted at the Memorial Baptist Church, Wednesday at 3 p.m., by her pastor, the Rev. Percy Upchurch. Burial was in Greenwood Cemetery.

Mrs. Webb was born and reared in Parkton and she attended Meredith College in Raleigh and East Carolina College, graduating in 1929.

She taught school in Griffon, Pinehurst, and Raleigh, prior to her marriage.

Moving to Greenville from Raleigh in 1945, she was a member of the Memorial Baptist Church. Surviving are her husband; one daughter, Miss Sara Collier Webb, a student at Wake Forest College, Winston-Salem; and her mother.

Mrs. Webb and her husband, who was a basketball coach at the Pinehurst School when his wife taught here, yearly attended the meetings of the Dairymen's association, held here in January.



MRS. ROBERT HUGH HEWSON  
MRS. ALLEN ATTENDS WEDDING OF NIECE, MISS MYERS, IN EVANSTON

Ferns and candelabra decorated the altar of St. Athanasius Church in Evanston, Ill., on March 2, for the 4:30 p.m. marriage of Miss Emily Lee Myers, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Robert S. Myers, of Evanston, to Robert Hugh Hewson, son of Dr. George F. Hewson, of Livingston, N. J., and the late Eileen Cook Hewson.

The bride is the grandniece of Mrs. Samuel G. Allen of Pinehurst who attended the wedding and reception.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore an ivory peau de soie gown with a scoop neckline, sabina sleeves, and a bell-shaped skirt circled with bands of antique ivory, Alencon lace, and self-fabric braid. The waistline was circled by a cummerbund of lacy braid with detachable court train of peau de soie featured slightly above the waistline in the back. Her tiered, silk-illusion veil was held in place by a matching pill box, and she carried white roses and stephanotis.

Floor-length overskirts were attached by self belts to the gold peau de soie sheaths worn by the bride's attendants. The bride's sister, Paula, who was maid of honor, carried white stephanotis. The other attendants, who carried white tulips, were Miss Sara Anne Coulter, Golf, Ill.; Miss Joan Dinkel, Chicago; Miss Deirdre Hands, Libertyville, Ill.; Miss Gail Smole, Evanston; and Miss Signe Anderson, Barrington, R. I.; a cousin of the bride.

Miss Louise Myers of New York, a cousin of the bride, and Miss Elizabeth Reid, of Evanston, were junior bridesmaids. They wore white organza skirts with gold sateen tops and carried white stephanotis.

Bouquets of tulips and hyacinths decorated the Evanston Golf Club where the reception was held.

## Ann Ehrhardt Elected Veep, Student Center Board At St. Andrews

Ann Ehrhardt of Pinehurst has been elected vice-president of the Student Center Board of St. Andrews Presbyterian College.

A rising junior, Miss Ehrhardt is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Ehrhardt, Jr. of Pinehurst. She has been acting vice-president of the Board and a member of its publicity committee this year.

Newly elected officers will be installed in April.

## Mrs. MacKenzie To Entertain Woman's Exchange Members

The executive board of the Sandhills Woman's Exchange will meet Friday, March 8, at 10 a.m. at the home of the vice president, Mrs. Frank R. Gramelsbach.

Members of the Exchange will be entertained at the monthly meeting and tea by Mrs. Roland R. MacKenzie at her home on Monday, March 11, at 3 p.m.

## Funeral Held For Mrs. Gilliland, 89

Mrs. Della Leslie Gilliland, 89, died Sunday at the home of her son, Leslie Gilliland in Pinehurst. Funeral services were held Wednesday at the Powell Funeral Home, Southern Pines, conducted by the Rev. R. L. Prince, pastor of the Pinehurst Community Church. Burial was in Morris Chapel Cemetery in Harnett County.

Surviving in addition to her son are five grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren; one sister, Mrs. Ora Douglas, and two brothers, L. G. and Oscar Leslie, all of Harnett County.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Strickland have returned to their Linden Road home after an extended stay at the Belleview Biltmore in Clearwater, Fla.

# Pinehurst School Highlights

BY BARBARA COLE AND HEIDI GRAMLBSBACH

## Themes Completed

Last week the juniors completed their World Peace themes, which were handed in to Miss Carolyn Harriss and Bob Gillis, who teach the juniors U. S. history. Miss Harriss and Mr. Gillis will select five or six semi-finalists who will present their speeches to a panel of teachers. The teachers will select the two finalists who will give their speeches at a student body meeting on March 11. At a Lion's Club dinner on March 13, the two finalists will again present their speeches, and at that time, the winner will be selected.

## Tests Given

On Tuesday, the National Educational Development Tests were administered to all freshmen and sophomores during the morning hours.

## Junior-Senior Prom Set

The juniors have announced April 27 as the date for the Junior-Senior Prom, which is given by the juniors for the seniors. The date is all that anyone, except the juniors, know about the prom—everything is being kept a secret.

## Glee Club Practicing

The Glee Club is busy practicing for the annual Spring Festival which is to be held in Aberdeen. Fourteen boys and twenty-two girls will be sent from Pine-

hurst. The Glee Club is directed by Miss Timmons.

## To Represent Moore

By defeating Robbins' boys 62-44, our boys' basketball team won the Moore County Basketball tournament on Monday night at Carthage gymnasium. Already Moore County Conference champions, the Rebels, with a 29 game winning streak, go to Red Springs on March 13 to represent Moore County in the District play-offs.

## Cubs Plant Azaleas At Community Church

Five members of Den 1, Pinehurst Cub Scouts, Monday completed a service project the planting of four azaleas on the grounds of the Community church.

The azaleas, given by Daniel P. McDonald, were planted in honor of the Sandhills Brotherhood Association by Jeff Viall, Ray Monroe, Duncan H. McLeod, Wade Garner, and Marshall Lewis.

## LENTEEN SERVICES

The Village Chapel is holding Holy Communion services at 5 p.m. on Fridays, during Lent. At the Sacred Heart Catholic church, Lenten services are being held each Friday at 5 p.m.

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