

**"Tee Time"**

By EARL TINSLEY  
All golfers at the Country Club are ready for summer. It was told by some of the wives that they would be happy also. Their husbands have been like sore-tail cats for the last two weeks.  
Qualifying for the annual club tournament starts now. We want all score cards turned in for the next few weeks. No definite date has been set as to when it will start. But probably about the middle of April. This is our match play tournament, so you fellows get your games sharpened up and be ready to start the matches.

The Lakeside Country Club was represented in the Tri-State Pro-Am in Aiken last week by Bill Barksdale, Larry Seward, Tommy Townsend and myself. Larry and I won second place in the tournament with a best ball score of 62. Len Young and his partner won first place with a 61. Larry had a 78 and I a 71.

The Laurens High School golf team has matches with Greenville, Anderson and Greer so far and is expecting to get matches with at least three or four more schools. The first match is March 22 at Anderson. The complete schedule will be announced soon.

The Ladies Golf Assn. of the Country Club invites all ladies who aren't members to join and play in the Ladies Golf Tournament. Qualifying will start now and continue through April 4. Pairings will be made April 5 at the luncheon. Match play will start the following week. We would like to have at least three nine-hole scores turned in. More than three scores will be that much better. Turn scores in at the Pro-Shop.

**Named Delegate**



**R. L. FLAXICO**  
R. L. Flaxico, of Clinton, chairman of the Laurens County Democratic party, was named as a delegate to the National Democratic convention in Los Angeles, convening on July 11, by the state convention in Columbia Wednesday.  
Mr. Flaxico will be a representative of the Fourth Congressional District.  
O. L. Long, of Laurens, was named as an alternate.

**Activities Planned By New Farmer Group At Bell Street High**

The following activities are planned for the remainder of the school term by the New Farmers of America chapter at Bell Street High School:  
March 18 at 8:15 p. m., third annual banquet social will be held in the school cafeteria and gym.  
April 7 at 1:10 p. m., lower federation speaking, quartet, quiz and talent contests to be held at Lincoln High School, Taylors.  
April 14 at 2:00 p. m., annual Federation livestock judging contest at Bell Street High School.  
April 21 at 2:00 p. m., district speaking, quartet, quiz and talent contests at Geer Gant High School, Belton.  
June 2-3-4, NFA members to attend New Farmers state convention at State College, Orangeburg.  
July 11 through 15, New Farmers attend summer camp at Orangeburg.  
Lee R. Pitts is president of the local chapter, and Fred W. Gist is adviser.  
The New Farmers of America is the national organization of farm boys studying vocational agriculture in the public schools throughout the United States. Organized in Virginia in May, 1927, with a few chapters and members, it has expanded until now it numbers 1,044 chapters and 46,586 active members.  
The New Farmers of America is a non-profit organization which has for its purpose the development of its members in their vocational, social and recreational life through established local chapters where vocational agriculture is taught.

**Car Owners Urged To Get Title Certificates**

Owners of motor vehicles currently registered in South Carolina may obtain certificates of title for their vehicles simply by completing an application form and mailing it, together with the 50 cents title fee, to the State Highway Department in Columbia, Chief Highway Commissioner Claude R. McMillan said.  
Mr. McMillan strongly urged vehicle owners to apply now for the certificates of title so as to comply with state law and to avoid the last-minute rush which is expected to occur late this year. A 1957 act of the General Assembly requires that a certificate of title be issued by the department for every motor vehicle registered in the state by January 1, 1961. Vehicles for which no titles have been issued on that date will not be eligible for registration until a certificate has been issued.  
Since January 1, 1958, every vehicle sold by dealers, whether new or used, has been issued a certificate of title. Vehicles passing through the hands of dealers were included under a special section of the title law which became effective two years ago. Numerous other vehicle owners have also obtained their titles during the past two years, although not required to do so until the end of 1960.  
Highway department officials estimate that there are several thousand vehicles operating in the state for which the titles have not yet been issued. They are, therefore, advising owners to file their applications now, since it will be impossible for the department to issue that many certificates during the closing weeks of the year.  
When preparing applications for certificates of title, vehicle owners are urged to be sure all writing is plain, accurate and legible. The certificates are produced by a photographic process, which means that any errors in the original application will be reflected on the finished title.

**Abercrombie Seeks Seat In Legislature**



**M. W. ABERCROMBIE**  
Marshall W. Abercrombie, Laurens attorney, announces his candidacy for nomination to the House of Representatives from Laurens County in the Democratic primary.  
Mr. Abercrombie is 37 years old and has practiced law in Laurens for the past eleven years. He was born at Fountain Inn, the son of Mrs. Jessie Kellert Abercrombie and the late C. L. Abercrombie. After graduating from Fountain Inn High School, he obtained his pre-law schooling at Clemson and Presbyterian Colleges and was graduated from the University of South Carolina Law School.  
In 1948 Mr. Abercrombie married Miss Linda Franks, of Laurens, and they have two children, Marty and Sadie Lee.  
He is a member of the Laurens Exchange Club, having served as district governor. He is a member of the First Baptist Church of Laurens, where he teaches Sunday School. Mr. Abercrombie is also a member of the Council of Social Agencies, County and State bar associations and he has been admitted to practice law before all courts of this state, including the supreme court and the United States district court.  
Mr. Abercrombie made the following statement: "In announcing my candidacy for the House of Representatives, I do so with a feeling of humility, and also with a stronger feeling and desire to serve the people of Laurens County in this high office in the manner and fashion that is essential to good government. If elected, I shall serve honestly, fairly, impartially and unselfishly and use whatever talents and capabilities I have for the best interests of Laurens County."

**SENSING THE NEWS**

By Thurman Sensing  
Executive Vice-President  
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**THE WORLD COURT IS PACKED**

If the Connally Amendment to the World Court Resolution is repealed, the United States will be subjected to an international judicial tyranny. A handful of judges, appointed by the United Nations—including neutralist and Iron Curtain countries, will be able to rule on U. S. tariff laws, immigration laws, economic relations with foreign countries, and the American presence in the Panama Canal Zone.  
The story of this amendment goes back to 1946, when the then Senator Tom Connally of Texas, made a six-word addition to a resolution approving American participation in the World Court. The resolution itself said the court wouldn't have jurisdiction over domestic matters. But the original language of the resolution left unclear who would decide what is or is not domestic matter. Senator Connally added these words: "as determined by the United States."  
The meaning of this amendment is that the United States cannot be sued in the World Court without its consent. This is the same situation that prevails within the United States, for the U. S. cannot be sued in a federal district court without its consent.  
Senator Humphrey (D-Minn.) and Senator Javits (R-NY), two of the most extreme "liberals" in the Senate, have banded together to repeal this protection for the United States. The President and apparently the vice-president mistakenly lend support to the repeal move.  
To repeal the Connally Amendment would be like repealing the Monroe Doctrine or other legal documents protecting the national interest. Repeal will be an invitation to the enemies of the United States to engage in legal harassment of this country.  
The rise of the Afro-Asian bloc in the United Nations insures that the United States and its free world allies will have a very small voice in selecting future judges of the World Court. In all likelihood, the court will be made up of a Russian, a Czechoslovakian, a Khazian, an Indian, a Cuban, and other judges with little or no desire to treat the United States with fairness. In other words, the advocates of repeal of the Connally Amendment are urging that the sovereignty of the United States be subjected to men who dislike the American way of life. The World Court is a stacked court, and one that is even more radical and bent on judicial tyranny than Earl Warren's court.  
Repeal would enable the World Court to interfere with race relations in the United States. It would also enable the Court to order U. S. ships and Marines out of Guantanamo Bay, Cuba, or demand continued sugar subsidies. Repeal would open the way for Asians to insist that handsome immigration quotas be opened to members of the yellow race. Indeed there is no limit to the amount of trouble-making, or to the number of invasions of national sovereignty that the World Court would stir up.  
Some of the advocates of repeal are perfectly open in expressing their hopes and wishes. Walter Lippman, syndicated columnist, said recently that "we have an interest that every property dispute, as with Castro today, should be decided by a court, and not left to propaganda, coercion, and force." And what chance would the U. S. have before a World Court dominated by neutralist and communist nations? None at all, of course. No doubt the U. S. would be branded an aggressor in Cuba and told to compensate Dictator Castro with American assets on the island.  
The seriousness of the threat to American sovereignty contained in

the repeal proposal should be made apparent to all thoughtful citizens. Elimination of the Connally Amendment would be a heavy blow to the United States.

God? To take an extreme example, it is difficult to believe that a marriage performed by some civil official for a man and woman under the influence of alcohol is made or blessed by God.  
When a minister, priest, or rabbi unites a man and woman in marriage, he functions both as an officer of the state and as an officer of his church or synagogue. The contracting parties are then bound by state and religious law.  
While a minister, priest, or rabbi as a state officer may re-marry any person who is legally divorced; as an officer of his church or synagogue he is bound by the laws of the religious organization of which he is a representative. The laws of God and the Church are one thing; the laws of the state are another.  
My correspondent who raises this question should discuss her case in

detail with her minister, priest, or rabbi. There is no single yardstick which can be used to cover all cases where re-marriage is desired after divorce.

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**House Members To Constitute Majority**

Columbia—Two bills involving the lack of a senator from Laurens County were introduced Thursday in the General Assembly.  
One provides that in such event as the vacancy in the office of senator, a majority of the members in the House of Representatives would constitute a majority of the legislative delegation. That majority would have the authority to approve the expenditure of funds, make appointments and carry out all other acts which require the approval of a majority of the delegation, including the senator.  
The other bill provides that upon the expiration of the terms of the present Laurens County magistrates their successors would serve for four years.  
Both measures were proposed by the Laurens delegation in the House and placed on the calendar without reference to committee.

**Don Dunlap Elected President Of Alpha Sigma Phi At P. C.**

Don Dunlap of Charlotte, N. C., was elected this week as president of PC's chapter of Alpha Sigma Phi, national social fraternity.  
Chosen to serve with him is Robert "Bo" Jeanes of Easley.  
Others elected included: Penn Neil of Marion, recording secretary; Graham Edmunds of Decatur, Ga., corresponding secretary; Jim Lowery of Great Falls, treasurer; and Robe Eshbaugh of Louisville, Ky., as Inter-Fraternity Council Representative.  
Jimmy Thompson of Manning was chosen as house chairman; Dave Waters of Charleston, as Marshall, and Ervin Varner of Bennettsville, as editor.  
Members at large of the organization's Prudential committee are Varner and Mike Brown of Atlanta.

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