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Weather Monday: High 71, low 47, Rel. Hum. 65 . . . General Omar Bradley is hopeful of peace based on sound principles for future. President Truman says plans underway to expose any officials guilty of wrong doing . . . California has had the worst winter yet. . . Tryon Merchants meet today at 2 p. m., at Oak Hall to discuss holidays, closing hours and other problems. Officials of merchants organizations from all sections of North Carolina will gather at Chapel Hill Feb. 18th, for a conference on objectives and methods of operating a merchants association . . . The Grace Thomson Hospital at Union, S. C., now requires a deposit to cover one week's hospital care. Obstetrical patients must pay \$35 in advance to cover three days service. Persons unable to make deposit will be admitted to the charity wards and will be attended by a physician who is donating his services . . . The annual meeting of the Tryon Country Club was attended by more than 80 persons Monday night, following a delicious spaghetti supper. New directors elected were E. C. Prather, Gaden Corpening and A. R. Herron for three years; and James Gibson and Cary Page to fill vacancies made by resignations of A. W. Britton and

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Three Tryon Men Honored At Scout Annual Meeting

At the annual meeting of the Piedmont Council Boy Scouts of America held in Gastonia, Monday night, two Tryon men were given solid gold medals and certificates of award in recognition of years of training and successful performance in outstanding service to boyhood. One of these medals went to Dr. C. W. McCall in recognition of his 10 years achievement as Scoutmaster of Tryon Troop No. 1, and the other went to R. H. Brady for faithful service as troop committeeman, board of review counselor and other activities on a district wide basis. Last year he received the Silver Beaver in recognition of his services on a Council-wide basis.

The third Tryon man honored was the new president of the Council, Nelson Jackson, a holder of the Silver Beaver and the Silver Antelope awards for service in prior years to the Council and Region. Mr. Jackson was honored in speeches by business and civic leaders of the Piedmont Council who praised his work in Scouting for more than a quarter century.

Chapman On Safety Council

Demus Chapman of the Tryon Processing Co., has been named a director of the Blue Ridge Safety Council which met in Gastonia on January 10th. The council is made up of seven counties including Burke, McDowell, Rutherford, Polk, Cleveland and Gaston.

The Council seeks to promote safety education within industrial plants in the State, and within other organizations interested in accident-prevention. The motto is: "Safety For All."