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Weather Thursday: high 70, low 31. Friday was another spring like day.

Comedian Carol Burnett won a \$1.6 million libel judgment against the National Enquirer on Thursday for a 1976 gossip item that said she had a boisterous run-in with Henry Kissenger in a Washington restaurant. She said she would give the money to charity.

Consumer representatives and members of Congress assailed the Reagan White house on Thursday for accepting \$270,000 from oilmen to redecorate the president's living quarters.

Shiela Macqueen will be at the Fine Arts Center Tuesday at 2:30 p.m.

Thursday at 8 p.m. the Polk County Showcase will be at the Fine Arts Center. There will be some outstanding local talent and the proceeds go to the American Cancer Society. According to an ad tickets are available at NCNB, Northwestern Bank, Tryon Pharmacy and Columbus Pharmacy.

Saturday is The Steeplechase, the most colorful of all the events held in this area. Many people come back each year and renew

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Recreation Committee Meets April 5

The Polk County Recreation Committee, Inc. will have its annual meeting on the 5th day of April at 3 p.m. at the Agriculture Extension Room. New members are invited

Hospice Volunteers Have Choice Of Jobs

To speed the launching of the greater Polk County Hospice program, a wide variety of volunteer assignments are available in assisting with compassionate care for the terminally ill cancer patients.

The following volunteer jobs need filling now: (1) Companionship; (2) Relieving the patient's primary care person in the home; (3) Homemaking skills: (4) Transportation: (5) Bereavement follow-up; (6) Crisis phoning; (7) Clerical work; (8) Assisting with staff social get-togethers; (9) Speakers bureau; (10) Work with training program (11) Assist with fund raising program.

On April 2nd a special Hospice Training Clinic will be held at the United Methodist Church, Landrum at 7:00 p.m. Interested persons are asked to call Mrs. Barbara Trumble 859-5261 or Mrs. Cam Lawrence 457-4469 after 4:00 p.m.

More On The Jefferson Awards

When we heard that Mrs. Lynne Wood Director of the Polk County Sheltered Workshop had won a Jefferson Award for the Carolinas, we weren't familiar with the award. The Jefferson Awards and the American Institute for Public Service were founded in 1973, to honor the highest ideals and achievements in the field of public service in the United States. Through its annual Jefferson Awards, the Institute recognizes the dedication, sacrifice and accomplishments of individuals serving the American people and strives to develop new leadership. There are five Award Categories: 1. The Greatest Public Service Performed by an Elected or Appointed Official; 2. The Greatest Public Service Performed by a Private Citizen; 3. The Greatest Public Service Benefiting the Disadvantaged .: 4. The Great Public Service Performed by Benefiting Local Communities. Mrs. Wood was named for The Greatest Public Serving Benefiting the Disadvantaged.

The Jefferson Award is a 2¹/₂ inch proof medallion, gold on silver, featuring a replica of the Seal of the United States on the front: "In Recognition of Outstanding Public Service" on the reverse. The Jefferson Awards are donated as a public service by the Franklin Mint.

At the national level five thousand dollars is granted for each award category.

Mrs. Joan Nash Is Kiwanis Speaker

The Tryon Kiwanis Club will meet Tuesday at 12:45 p.m. at the Pacolet River Plantation. The guest speaker will be Mrs. Joan Nash, Director of the Polk County Community Schools Program. Mrs. Nash will discuss the program which involves the schools and the community. David Cromer is in charge of the program.

Precinct No. 1 Elects Officers

The Democrats of Tryon Precinct No. 1 elected the following officers Thursday night: Chairman Monk Phillips; 1st Vice Chairman, Katherine Garrett; 2nd Vice Chairman, Warren Carson; 3rd. Vice Chairman, Margaret Barnette, Sec.-Treas., Joyce Arledge. Other members of the committee are Betty Davis, Eric Fox, Sue Alewine, Clestelle Dalton and Ruth Simpson.

Delegates elected to the County Convention were Monk Phillips, Doris Scoggins, George Fant, Clestelle Dalton, Katherine Garrett, Sue Alewine, Sadie McKaig, Margaret Barnette, Ruth Simpson, Warren Carson.

A note from Mrs. J. Arthur Reynolds of Warrenton, Va. asks to be remembered to her Tryon friends and stated that the Reynolds and Oares look forward to seeing their friends in April.