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Mr. B. L. Ballenger, Treasurer: I I notice in the Tryon Bulletin Find Polk News that St. Lukes Hospital will have to close unless several thousand dollars are raised in the near future. We all, I am sure, regret this to be the case. The institution is Polk's choice asset and benefactor and deserves our financial support.

Enclosed is a check for \$10 to add to your Hospital fund. Although I do not expect to live in Polk County again, the eight years spent there endeared me to its people and its worthwhile institutions. I hope the people will rally to this urgent cause.

John Artz

^am Mr. Artz needs no introduction to our readers. As a former County Agent for Polk and as a president of the Tryon Kiwanis club he became interested in everything for the welfare of this county. H_e and Miss Cox, whose letter was published yesterday, exemply true, unselfish citizenship, and loyalty to those things we hold most dear.

Tryon Defeats Inman

Tryon Town girls basketball team defeated Inman, S. C. 18-14 at Inman last night.

BASKETBALL TONIGHT

Tryon High School boys and girls will play Uasketball with Duncan, S. C. teams tonight at the Tryon gymnasium at 7:30.

BALLENGER CO. PAINTING

The store front of the Ballenger Co. is being painted gray-white like the Hester building adjoining, and will be trimmed in green.

TUBERCULOSIS - There has been some doubt about whether the state should enlarge the present tubercular hospital in the Sand Hills or construct a new unit in the mountain section of the state. During debate on the matter it was brought out that no private tubercular sanitoriam in the world is as large as the present state unit. It was also established that some patients recover in one climate and lose ground in another. As a result it now appears that if anything is done it probabaly will be authorization for construction of a new hospital for the teratment of tuberculosis.

More than 30 prizes have been secured for the bridge and game party to be given Friday evening in the Parish House by the Parent Teacher Assn. Come and win one of them. Make your reservations through Mrs. W. A. Schilletter or Mrs. W. C. Ward.

Drama Fortnightly postponed until next week.