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## Chief Kiser Says Police Eager To Help Visitors

*(Editor's Note: The Tryon Daily Bulletin in cooperation with the Governor's Hospitality Committee of which Senator F. P. Bacon is chairman of Polk County, is publishing a series of articles by local officials and civic leaders emphasizing the need for hospitality to visitors. The third of these articles appears below from Chief Hague Kiser of the Tryon police department).*

While there has been a decided improvement in the methods, manners, and attitudes of police officers in most cities of the country during recent years, still the average person continues to expect that an encounter with an officer, or even a casual contact with him in his official capacity, is something not wholly pleasant. Consequently, members of our department have an unusual opportunity to express cordiality and hospitality to our visitors that will vividly impress and lastingly please them. It is a kind and sympathetic attitude coming from an unexpected source, and therefore all the more to be remembered by visitors.

A visit to a town by a traveller is often remembered favorably or unfavorably as the direct result of treatment received by an officer in that town. Since this is surely true, we in the police department are undertaking to be more and more alert to our opportunity to be of service to our visitors. It

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## Cap. Maj. Smith Is Made Colonel

Special dispatch from the Adjutant General's office at Washington, D. C., announces that Maj. Arthur L. Smith of Tryon and Washington who retired in June, at the age of 64, was promoted on June 30th, to the rank of Lieutenant Colonel of the National Guard of the District of Columbia by President Franklin D. Roosevelt. Colonel Smith has been an ardent army man all his adult life. He has delivered lectures on historical battles of the Civil War and has attended the two great reunions of the North and South at Gettysburg, the first in 1913 and the other a few weeks ago. He has always been active in civic affairs while in Tryon and hopes someday to make his permanent home here.

## It Is All A Mistake

By THOMAS A. BOYNTON

The New York-Dublin non-stop mystery flight completed Monday by what the Irish termed a "crazy but wonderful pilot" seems to have stolen the show from the glorious earth-circling spin of Howard Hughes that ended in triumph for the youthful financial wizard last week.

Certainly, the more recent achievement has not been without significant consequence. Almost speechless when Corrigan dropped his 9-year-old crate thru the clouds of sunny Ireland, in seemingly open defiance of the

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