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TRYON, N. C., TUESDAY, JULY 2, 1940

Group Meets Tonight

The Polk County Rehabilitation organization will meet tonight at 8 o'clock at Missildine's Hall for the purpose of completing the organization.

At a meeting held June 11th, at State Prison Camp, Spindale, composed of representative citizens from Polk, Cleveland, Gaston, McDowell and Rutherford counties, and presided over by Rev. L. A. Watts, Director of Religious Training, Central Prison, Raleigh, steps were taken to set up a Prisoner Rehabilitation Bureau in each of the counties represented. These bureaus will be organized in every county in the State.

The objective is to reduce the number of persons who are being tried and convicted in our courts; to give encouragement and opportunity to discharged prisoners and their families to attend church, to seek employment, and to keep the children in school. The plan, as outlined by Dr. Watts, has the endorsement of Governor Clyde R. Hoey, Hon. Frank L. Dunlap, Chair man of the State Highway and Public Works Commission, and many other leading officials and prominent citizens of our great Commonwealth.

At the Spindale meeting Rev. Edward M. Graham was selected chairman and Miss Ina T. Tyler, secretary of the organization for Polk County.

Dr. Allen Jervey, Jr., has arrived from New Orleans, La. where he has served an internship at the Charity Hospital and will practice medicine in Tryon. Dr. and Mrs. Jervey are occupying the Hutcherson house on Melrose avenue.

Big Increase In Bank Resources Reported

The statement of the Tryon Bank & Trust Co., published in to-day's Bulletin shows an increase of approximately \$100,000 compared with the same period last year. The total resources todate are listed at \$609,844.11 with deposits amounting to over half a million dollars.

Dr. Whims Leaving

Dr. H. C. Whims of the Rutherford-Polk Health Department leaves the unit on July 15th to take over the health work in the Catawba-Lincoln County district. Since Dr. Whims has been the county doctor for this unit the health program in Polk County has made tremendous strides. His successor has not been named.

Big Day for Fourth

Plans are going forward for a big day on July 4th. Two baseball games are on the program. The greased pole has been cut and skinned. The barrel ride has been made and everything points to a full day of fun which is free to every person in this section. Bring your basket lunch for dinner and supper and make a day of it at Harmon Field. Poles for lighting the field for the square dancing have also been put up. The largest crowd ever seen in Polk County at on time enjoyed the fun at Harmon Field last year, and there will be new wrinkles and new sports this year.