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Weather Friday: High 60, low 29, rel. hum. 53; Saturday high 63, low 20, rel. hum. 72; Sunday high 55, low 36, rain .28, rel. hum. 72 . . . . United Nations continue retreat in Korea . . . .

Miss Iris Jackson has returned from Asheville where she attended the three day victory celebration of the First Baptist Church which paid off the mortgage on its building. Many noted Baptist leaders throughout the state were present including Dr. E. Gibson Davis, a former pastor. Miss Jackson is a former member of the church, and her sister, Mrs. F. H. Snipes, of Knoxville, Tenn., a former church secretary when Dr. Powell was pastor, also came over for the celebration.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard R. Williams, formerly of New York and New Canaan, Conn., who bought the Hope Washburn house, have moved in and are making Tryon their permanent home.

Tryon High School boys and girls play Chesnee in Tryon Tuesday night at 7:30.

Columbus plays Chesnee Town Teams tonight at Chesnee.

In the Tryon High games with Landrum Friday, Landrum girls won 34-14 and Tryon boys won 55-28. Ann Pittman was high for the girls and Bob Ramsey for the boys.

## HAROLD P. ERSKINE

Harold Perry Erskine, 71, of New York and Tryon, sculptor and architect, passed away Friday, January 5th at Lenox Hill Hospital, New York City, after several months illness.

Mr. Erskine was born in Racine, Wis., in 1879. He was graduated from Williams College and the Ecole des Beaux Arts in Paris, and studied at the Columbia University School of Fine Arts.

Of the various distinguished organizations to which he belonged the two dearest to his heart were the Delta Psi Fraternity, and the Century Club of New York.

While still a young student he designed the Congregational Church of Tryon. In 1936 he won an award in competition for a facade of polychrome sculpture for the Dry Dock Savings Bank. His work included a portrait bust of Carl Akeley in the American Museum of Natural History; the Walter J. Trav's Memorial at the Garden City Golf Club; a war memorial for the St. Anthony Club, the Wilton Merle-Smith Memorial for the Central Presbyterian Church in New York City; the Founders Memorial of the National Chi Psi Fraternity in Ann Arbor, Mich. Mr. Erskine also did numerous portrait and garden sculptures. He formerly was a member of the firm of Hazzard, Erskine & Bladgen, New York City architects.

A big-game hunter, Mr. Erskine presented many of his African trophies to the American Museum of Natural History, as well as the lifesize bust of the late Mr. Akeley, African explorer and naturalist, which he made in 1924 and exhibited in the National Academy

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