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Weather Monday: High 60, low 40, rain .11, Rel. Hum. 85. This good rain will help the wells, springs, and reservoirs . . . Call 53 if you don't have transportation to the bloodmobile at the Parish House. The wounded in Korea need it. It is said that it is more blessed to give than to receive. Donations to the Trade Street Christmas Decorations will give cheer to thousands of people during the Christmas season, both rich and poor and to the stranger passing through. The lights will beam out "A Merry Christmas to All." Additional contributions have come through the Bank, the Chamber of Commerce and The Bulletin from the following: Mr. and Mrs. James W. Baxter, Mr. and Mrs. Edward G. Ince, E. C. Wagner, Miss Edith Allen, Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Salsich, Miss Laura Peasley . . . John Landrum Jr., reports that the next Civic Music program at Spartanburg will be held Monday at Twitchell auditorium at 8 o'clock . . . One of the most interesting exhibitions in Tryon is that of Cowan's Farm Supply where two pigs have been raised in the store. Both are from the same litter. One named Mike was raised on Purina Feed entirely and the other, Ike, was raised on

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## Business People Must Have A Social Security Card

Self-employed persons should apply now for their social security account number, urged Glenn H. Pittenger, Manager of the Asheville Social Security Field Office. Although self-employed persons are not required to report their 1951 earnings until they file their income tax returns early in 1952, Pittenger said that every self-employed person who does not have a social security account-number card should apply for one now to be certain he had the account number when the tax report is made. Applications for account numbers can be obtained from the local post office, or by contacting the Asheville Social Security office.

Most owners or partners in a trade or business who have net earnings of \$400 or more a year are required by the new social security law to pay in full the tax of 2½% of their net earnings, up to the first \$3,600 earned in the year, at the time the combined income tax and social security tax form is filed. This coverage of self-employed is not voluntary, Pittenger emphasized. Participation is required by the law unless net earnings from self-employment are less than \$400 a year, or if the income is derived from the ownership or operation of a farm or from certain professions excluded by the law; such as, physicians, lawyers, dentists, professional engineers, public accountants, and some others.

A new booklet entitled Do You Work For Yourself? which gives a complete explanation of the new social security law applying to the self-employed can be had at no cost

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