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Weather Tuesday: High 84, low 60, Rel. Hum. 43 . . . It's still nice and cool. . . . Charlotte Observer vacation section today had a full page on the opportunities in Tryon and area for summer vacation. A large picture of Pearson's Falls, Lake Lanier and the Country Club illustrated the pages and a story by Graves Taylor told what the pictures didn't . . . Tonight at 7 o'clock the Masons will have their annual picnic supper at Harmon Field. At 8 o'clock at the Tryon High School Dr. Paul A. Reid, president of W. C. T. C., Pege, Cullowhee, will deliver the commencement address . . . Thursday night duplicate bridge tournament at Oak Hall at 7:45 . . . Saturday International Golf Tournament Day will be observed at Tryon Country Club. Life Magazine has telegraphed Pro Ted Fox to send it the tournament sheet by airmail no later than June 4th. A special award will be presented by Andrew Heiskell, Life Publisher to winners in the National Contest. The results will be broadcast the following Saturday over CBS . . . At the Tryon Country Club Saturday all members who wish to will play golf in the tournament and enjoy a picnic supper around 6 o'clock. Chairman James

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## REPORT OF LIBRARIAN, MAY 1, 1951 - MAY 1, 1952

The Lanier Club is fortunate in its Presidents and in those whom they choose as co-workers. The preparation and presentation of these new By-Laws is an important achievement for the year 1951-52, for it gives the club a secure legal standing and a sound financial backing. It is a "golden event" in this, the 62nd year of the history of the Lanier Club. To more fully appreciate its growth let's look at its beginning.

Three occupants of a little red octagonal house said to one another, "Why cannot there be a weekly social or intellectual gathering of the women of the village, with the object of starting a town library?" There were only 23 or 24 houses in all of Tryon—but just before the end of 1889, there was born a sudden enthusiasm which resulted in the Lanier Club as it stands today. The club was inaugurated January 1st, 1890, to "meet for mutual improvement and to procure a library for the town." The first program consisted of foreign news and the reading of a letter from Mrs. Sidney Lanier, and related facts about the poet's life and death at the home of Mrs. L. N. Wilcox. During the winter the plays of "Julius Caesar" and "Anthony and Cleopatra" were read, with members taking the different parts; also the history of Julius Caesar was studied and the lectures of Cicero and Marcus Aurelius. Members were now paying a fee of 15c quarterly and an entertainment was planned. This was Madame Tussaud's Wax Works and Tableaux of the Na-

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