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Weather. No official report today. Albert Simpson took the rain measure Monday afternoon and reports 4 tenths of an inch, almost a half inch. Spartanburg reported a high of 90, Asheville 87. Low at Asheville 64 . . . The rains certainly make things look better, but Mayor C. D. Stevens states that we must still conserve water. The rain during the week-end permitted the service stations to wash cars Saturday only, but is no indication that it will be permitted this week-end as officials expect two months of dry period. Several states in the South have been declared disaster areas in order to get help from the government. The loss in crops due to dry weather has been estimated at over a billion dollars . . . 29 people killed when two buses collide near Waco, Texas . . . A group of Negro Republican leaders say they will back Eisenhower because he will advance the civil rights program . . . Georgia Democratic organization back the National party . . . Sam Boykin, Camden, S. C., has accepted the invitation to judge "My Favorite Hunter," the hunter trials held at Tryon on the George Brannon place the day after Thanksgiving. This event has proved to be so popular that it has outgrown the private

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Lt. Col. William C. Ward Given Permanent Commission

Camp Lejeune, N. C.—Marine Lt. Colonel William C. Ward Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Ward of Tryon, N. C., recently received his permanent commission in his present rank.

The presentation was made by Maj. Gen. Edwin A. Pollock, Commanding General of the Second Marine Division, who promoted Col. Ward to the rank of Major during World War II, while both were serving in the South Pacific.

A 1936 graduate of Tryon High School, Ward attended Georgia School of Technology, graduating in 1940. In October of that year he was commissioned and served throughout World War II, winning the Bronze Star Medal for action against the enemy on Guadalcanal. Colonel Ward also fought in the Cape Gloucester campaign.

The colonel and his wife, Mrs. Kittie W. Ward, reside at Camp Lejeune with their children, William, 10, and Susan, 6. He is presently serving as commanding officer of the 1st Battalion of the Second Marines, an infantry regiment of the Second Marines Division.

"THE CORN IS GREEN"

Flat Rock, N. C.—The Vagabond Players' 7th production of the current summer season is "The Corn Is Green," a stirring drama by Emlyn Williams, opens tonight (Tuesday) at 8:30, at the Flat Rock Playhouse.

Dodee Wick will be starred in the Ethel Barrymore role of Miss Moffatt, the warm-hearted school

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