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Weather Monday: High 39, low 24, Rel. Hum. 50 . . . Some intimate letters of St. Paul will be discussed tonight at 8 at the Parish House when Dr. George Farland Taylor gives the final of a series of four lectures on St. Paul. . . . December is a busy month in Tryon and this area with countless Christmas programs and parties. Sunnydale has scheduled a dance for December 26th, day after Christmas . . . The Crusade for Freedom is on and those wishing to have a part in fighting Communism through the propaganda method may send contributions to Avon Bank & Trust Co., or The Bulletin office . . . And here at home if you wish to convert old man Scrooge and help keep alive the Christmas spirit for friend and stranger, you may send contributions for the lighted Christmas trees on Trade Street to the Chamber of Commerce or to The Bulletin office. As a good deed shines in a naughty world, so does a light send forth its beam to cheer us when we are gloomy. . . . As evidence of how fast Columbus is growing try to reach the County Capital by telephone. This reporter tried six times in two days and finally gave up. "Lines busy". And this in spite of a new exchange and dial system.

## Shields Flynn Awarded Eagle Scout Rank

Shields Flynn, 14 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Broadus B. Flynn of Tryon was advanced to the Eagle Scout rank Monday night at the Polk County Boy Scout Court of Honor. The advancement had the approval of the Piedmont Council and of the national headquarters in New York.

According to custom Piedmont Council Scout Executive R. M. Schiele of Gastonia gave the Eagle badge to the Scout's mother, who pinned it on her son. Then the Scout was given a miniature badge to pin on his mother. The father was recognized for the part he has played in the advancement of the Scout and of Scouting in General. Scoutmaster Seth Vining Jr., who took over the job after the Scout had started under Scoutmaster C. W. McCall, presented Eagle Scout Flynn with his credentials from national headquarters. Scout Executive R. M. Schiele congratulated the parents and the Scout on the many achievements necessary to become an Eagle. Mr. Flynn, the father, thanked all who have had a part in helping his two sons to become Eagle Scouts. The other is Ligon Flynn, a student of architecture at N. C. State College.

Ted Newhall, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Newhall, who was also advanced to the Eagle rank, will receive his award at a public meeting during the holidays. He is a member of Troop 3 of the Tryon First Baptist Church.

Other advancements included: Tenderfoot rank for Donnie Farthing; personal health. Bill Wallace of Columbus; firemanship,  
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