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Weather Wednesday: High 97. low 71, rain .05, Rel. Hum. 81. Weatherman Creasman said the thermometer reading dropped the fastest he had ever seen it in Tryon Wednesday when it fell 26 degrees, from 97 to 71 in about 20 minutes. The storm that passed over Tryon without doing any damage, uprooted trees and did thousands of dollars worth of damage in the mountains above us and went on to Woodruff in Spartanburg County, S. C., and Greer, S. C., and did more damage with . 65 miles per hour wind, rain and hail, disrupting electric and telephone service. Woodruff was without outside communications. W. L. Roach of Tryon was at Woodruif around 6 o'clock when the storm struck. He was in his truck headed home and the wind was picking up his truck and moving it about. He got out until the storm blew over. The tornado in Massachusetts left 86 dead, 800 injured and 2,500 homeless. Federal government is to help there and in Ohio and Michigan . . . Austria and Russia have resumed diplomatic relations with exchange of ambassadors . . . Tryon Coach David Prince has cone to Chapel Hill for summer study at the University of North Carolina.

COLUMBUS NEWS NOTES

Bu Mrs. Edward Staggs.

Mrs. Robert E. Wilson Jr. and children, Eddie and Collyandre of Mountain View, Calif., are visiting Mrs. Wilson's parents, the Rev. and Mrs. LeRoy D. Leppard.

Mrs. Genia Poag and granddaughter, Susie Gilliam, are on an extended visit with Mrs. Poag's son, Roy C. Poag and family at Dayton, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Shields and children, Buddy and Aline of Johnston, S. C., were week-end guests of Mrs. Shields' mother, Mrs. Mollie Shields.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Burgess Jr. and daughter, Vickie, and Mrs. W. A. Burgess have returned after spending several days vacationing in the Mountains at Cullowhee.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Gilliam of Kingsport, Tenn., were week-end guests of Mr. Gilliam's brother, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Gilliam. Mr. and Mrs. James T. Thomp-

son spent the past week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Thompson and family.

Mrs. Preston Splawn and daughters, Harriette and Margaret, left Sunday for Cullowhee, where Mrs. Splawn will attend Western North Carolina Teachers College the first six weeks. Harriette and Margaret will enroll in the Training School.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Simmerson of Salisbury, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Lee Wall, nee (Jessie Foster), moved into the Mary White apartment Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chreston Shields and Chreston Jr. of Columbia were week-end guests of Mr. Shields' mother, Mrs. Mollie Continued on Back Page