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## The World's Smalle AILY Newspaper. Seth M. Vining, Editor -No 104 YON, N. C. THURSDAY, JUNE 25TH, 1953

Weather Wednesday: High 91, low 62, Rel. Hum. 62. . . The most critical time in Tryon and Columbus Friday is that period between 12:30 and 6:30 p. m., when volunteers will go to the Parish House in Tryon or Stearns school in Columbus to donate blood to the cause of suffering humanity in our communities as well as to the armed forces and those in need all over America. It is a swap and trade system. We donate blood while we are strong and healthy with plenty to spare; then when our loved ones need blood we will draw from the generous supply donated by other patriotic citizens for our benefit . . . . Carroll P. Rogers has returned from several meetings in the eastern part of the State. He was on the commission meeting at New Bern making rlans for the restoration of Tryon, Palace, and then at Raleigh for a meeting with the State Stream Sanitation Committee of which he is a member . . . . L. W. Anderson will be in charge of the Tryon Potary Club program Friday at p. m. at Oak Hall hotel, and will have a banker from Charlotte as guest speaker.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Barber of Tryon are parents of a daughter born June 25th, at 10:20 a. m.

## Escapee Caught Near Inman Thursday Morning

Polk County Prison tendent Amos D. Foster reported today that Raymond Whitesides who escaped from a work crew near Melrose, in the Picnic Park area on Wednesday, was apprehended early Thursday morning. Whitesides, who is described by

the prison official as about 22 years old, was serving a prison sentence of from 6 to 8 years for breaking

and entering.

The prisoner was caught near Inman, S. C., after a dragnet had been stationed throughout the area following the escape. Mr. Foster said that the prisoner's home was reported to be in Asheville.

The prisoner had been sent to the Polk County Prison Camp No. 909, and he escaped from the guards during work in the mountainous area of Melrose while working on Highway No. 176.

## FIRE DESTROYS HOME

The home of W. L. "Dub" O'Sullivan was completely destroyed by fire Wednesday morning about 6 on the old Lynn-Columbus road. There are nine children in the family ages 2 to 16, and all their clothing was lost as well as household goods. Mr. O'Sullivan is employed at State Line Texaco Service Station.

## HOSPITAL NEWS

Discharges from St. Lukes Hospital include Mrs. Joshua Burgess and baby son; Mrs. Grayson Horton; Samuel James Walker: Charles Carson.

New patients include Mrs. Clyde Pack of Tryon; Eulas Kirkendoll,

Tryon.