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Weather Wednesday: High 90, low 58, Rel. Hum. 45 . . . Another 100 prisoners freed by Communists . . . Jerry Settle of Inman has offered \$1,000 for information leading to the recovery of his brother, Dr. Harry G. Settle, missing since last week on a flight from Charlotte to Charleston. Civil Air Patrol planes have been searching the area every day since Dr. Settle was reported as missing . . . The U. S. Air Force at Greenville Friday will start airlifting a 50-bed hospital from Greenville to Altus, Oklahoma, and set it up ready for operation, all within 12 hours time including time of taking the hospital down in Greenville. We are living in an age of speed. This means that our planes could fly a hospital to the battlefield area within a few hours. . . . A rolling stone gathers no moss, but the Rotary Club will have a Moss made program Friday when W. D. Moss Jr., brings out a formula that will change things or dye for the Rotarians. . . . Al "Fuzzv" St. John will not come to the Tryon Theatre next week on account of the illness of his wife, according to Manager Jacoby . . . Abbott and Costello Meet Dr. Jekvl and Mr. Hyde at the Tryon Theatre Sunday and Monday instead of the place men-

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Direct Air Mail From Tryon To Tampa, Fla. Completed

Miss Ersell, a year old carrier pigeon, named for Mrs. Ersell Turner of the Red Bird Associates, made a flying trip recently with a letter from J. P. Horne of Tryon Route 1 to his son, J. R. Horne of 6805 Wellington Avenue, Tampa, Fla.

J. R. Horne, circulation representative of the Tampa Tribune, raises these pigeons as a hobby. His son, Harold C. Horne, is a professional pigeon raiser, and has used pigeons to carry war messages. J. R. Horne was in the Bulletin office Wednesday and had one of the little cylinders that are used to hold the messages when tied to the pigeon's leg.

When "Miss Ersell" was nearly a year old, Mr. Horne shipped her by express to his father on Tryon Route One. He wanted to try her out. The father, J. P. Horne, who is 80 years old, wrote a message to his son and fastened it to the pigeon's leg and released her early one morning. The next morning she arrived in Tampa, Fla., at J. R. Horne's pigeon roost. Ersell had travelled the 500 miles distance in 9 hours and 30 minutes during the daylight time. Mr. Horne stated a pigeon doesn't fly at night and stops at trees to spend the night.

MIDWAY REVIVAL

Revival services will begin Sunday morning, August 16 at Midway Baptist Church. The new pastor, the Rev. Lewis Griswold, will do the preaching. Public is invited.