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No official weather report for Wednesday, but it was summer time. Thursday was more of the same.

Exxon Corp. the world's largest oil company, reported Wednesday that its earnings doubled to \$1.925 billion in the first quarter from a year ago — the largest quarterly profit ever for a U. S. Corporation. Other oil companies also reported huge profits.

The cost of business borrowing fell for the second time in less than a week Wednesday when Chase Manhattan cut its prime rate to 19 percent.

Marshall Tucker Band bass player Tommy Caldwell remained in critical condition in the neurological unit at Spartanburg General Hospital late Wednesday. He was injured in a Tuesday afternoon traffic accident.

Daylight savings time goes into effect Sunday at 2 a.m. Saturday night when retiring, move the clock up an hour. So if it is 10 p.m. move the clock forward to 11 p.m.

Master Sgt. Samuel K. Doe who was the leader of the group which toppled the Liberian government was one of about 170 Liberian officers and non-commission officers who were trained by the

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Wins Scholarship

Donna Teresa Champion, a senior at Polk Central High School, has won a four-year Scholarship from the Lutz-Yelton Foundation. The scholarship is based on Scholarship, Leadership and Participation, and is awarded to seniors from Polk, Rutherford and Cleveland counties.

Miss Champion is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Champion of Rt. 1, Tryon and plans to attend UNC-Charlotte in the fall.

Tryon School Bd. Budget Meeting

The Tryon School Board will meet Monday at 7:30 p.m. at the high school for a special meeting on next year's school budget.

Singing Sunday

The Golden Trumpets of Forest City will sing Sunday at 7:30 p.m. at the New Testament Church of God in Tryon. The public is invited.

NEW ARRIVAL

Mr. and Mrs. John Williamson, III (Kaki Jackson) of Denmark, S. C. are parents of a daughter, Kathryn Salley, born April 21st at Baptist Hospital in Columbia.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Jackson, II of Myrtle Beach, S. C. and the paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. John W. Williamson of Denmark. The maternal great grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Jackson of Tryon.

Carolina Birders To Meet At Boone

The Carolina Bird Club will hold its spring meeting in Boone, N. C. on the week-end of May 9-11. The CBC is composed of interested bird watchers from both North and South Carolina. The Tryon Bird and Nature Club is one of its club members.

Registrants will meet in Boone, Friday afternoon, May 9. A number of different bird and nature walks are planned for both Saturday and Sunday morning. It is expected that the meeting will coincide with the end of the migrating season and that many wildflowers will be in bloom. Among other scheduled events will be a dinner Saturday evening.

The Club headquarters will be the Holiday Inn in Boone. All members of the community are invited to attend. Registration forms may be obtained from Mrs. Robert G. Paterson, 859-9329. Mrs. Raymond M. Safford, 859-5731, is serving as coordinator for persons desiring a ride to and from Boone. Anyone planning to attend the week-end meeting and having extra seats is requested to notify Mrs. Safford.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Washington and Mrs. Washington's mother, Mrs. Faurett, all of Daytona Beach, Fla. are here for a month's stay at the L'Auberge of Tryon. The Washingtons' daughter arrived last Thursday to be with her parents and grandmother for a few days.

"The Animals Are Crying"

"The Animals Are Crying" is the title of a short film that will be run repeatedly at the Polk County Health Fair today. Paul Toney, Animal Control Officer of the Rutherford-Polk-McDowell Health Department, will present it during the morning and early afternoon hours primarily for groups of young students.

It deals with one of the less recognized health hazards of our area — the abandonment of unwanted pets.

The Health Department will also have a booth depicting the other services it offers to Polk County residents. Fair hours are from 9 a.m. to 8 p.m.

MEN'S BRIDGE

Results of the Mens Duplicate Bridge Tuesday night at the home of Fred Margolf were as follows: 1st. Earl Riber and Ed Delehanty, 2nd. George Stotoff and R. B. Scruggs, 3rd. Russ Grater and Charles Stratford. Game next week will be at Lou Pettit's.

DECLARES DIVIDEND

Charlotte, N.C. — The NCNB Corp. board of directors today declared a quarterly dividend of 18 cents a share, payable June 27 to shareholders of record June 6.

NCNB Corp. is a Charlotte-based holding company which has North Carolina National Bank as its principal subsidiary.