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Weather Wednesday: high 89, low 68. Thursday morning was another summer day.

The Columbus Baptist Church is having a Bazzar Saturday beginning at 9 a.m. at the church. The proceeds from the Bazaar will go toward repairing the fire damage that was done to their Education Building several months ago. There will be handmade crafts, bake sale, rummage sale, homemade ice cream, house plants, bird houses, macrame, etc. Quilts and Afghans will be auctioned at 2 p.m. An opportunity to help the church and help ourselves at the same time.

Grand Island, Nebraska was hit by a number of tornadoes during a three-hour period Tuesday. The confirmed dead was placed at three, but no one knows what is under the wreckage of more than 250 homes and businesses.

The 1980 General Assembly convened at noon Thursday.

By overwhelming margins, both the House and the Senate ignored a veto promise Wednesday and voted to kill President Carter's dime-a-gallon gasoline fee.

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### New Chef At **Pacolet River** Plantation

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The Pacolet River Plantation on Hwy. 176 in Pacolet Valley has opened agin after extensive renovation. The new chef is Ralph Capps, a native of Hendersonville. Mr. Capps was trained at Cornell University and had 11 years active duty in the Army in Food Service. He is a Major in the Army Reserves.

Mr. Capps was a dietitian at Brooks General Hospital, an Executive Chef in the Hilton Hotel, Inc.; was a chef in the Heather Hills Country Club in Indianapolis, Indiana; Highland Falls Country Club and the Asheville Downtown City Club.

Mrs. Capps (Shirley) is also a native of Hendersonville. She comes to the Pacolet River Plantation from the Etowah Country Club.

Mr. Capps said that they will feature gourmet meals with special seasonal items, plus homemade soups and desserts. He said that they would be glad to help plan your parties, banquets and other special occasions. An added attraction is a screened-in porch overlooking the Pacolet River.

#### CED TRAINEE

Shelton Rhodes of Deep Run, N. C. (in Lenoir County) has been assigned to the Polk County ASCS Office as part of his training to become a County Executive Director. He will be work



FRIDAY, JUNE 6, 1980

Mrs. Frances J. Pittman

Mrs. Frances J. Pittman who is retiring from teaching this year after 33 years in the classroom, was honored Tuesday at Mill Spring School with a special luncheon in her honor. She was presented a gold locket by the Mill Spring faculty and staff and her 30 year pin. Supt. David A. Cromer said that in her 33 years of teaching in Polk County she had missed five days of school and one PTA meeting.

The former Frances Jackson. she was reared in the Sunny View Community. She is a graduate of Sunny View High School, and received her B.A. and M.A. degrees from Appalachian State University. She taught one year at Sunny View and 32 at the Mill Spring School. The third grade teacher was honored Tuesday by the children of the school who planted a red dogwood in training in all phases of ASCS recognition of her 32 years at the

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## **Tryon Eighth Grade Graduation Exercises**

The following Tryon eighth graders were promoted into high school:

John Amen, Amy Arledge, Tonya Arledge, Billy Barham, Julie Bishop, Doug Boothe, Rebecca Bradburn, Lisa Burns, Jeff Carson, Michael Carson, Tammy Case, Carol Cloud, Everett Durham.

Jennifer Faggart, Kimberly Ford, Tammy Foster, Lisa Green, Tammy Hill, Beth Hutcherson, John Jackson, Will Keesler, Jessica Lonnes, Rebecca Maxwell, Ruth Ann Mathis, Constance MacVean, Katrina Michel, Wanda McDowell, Eric McKaig, Lee Roy Miller, Elaine Morrison.

Kim Omohundro, Brian Pellatt, Joey Phillips, Camille Ratliff, Tracy Reynolds, Michael Ross, Andrew Scruggs, Kim Shehan, Abby Sherer, Penny Tipton, Andrew Voso, Scott Warren, David Webster, Samantha Wheeler, Angela Whitmire, Katey Williams, Monta Wray.

# New Employee At Polk ASCS

The Polk County ASCS Office has a new employee. She is Marsha Carson, daughter of Mrs. Christine Carson of Green Creek. Miss Carson is a 1976 graduate of Polk Central High School and has attended Isothermal Community College and Mrs Hill College. She will be the Office Clerk.