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Weather Thursday: high 78, low 58. Rain at 7 a.m. Friday was .10. Friday was a beautiful spring day.

Inflation slowed to a 7.5 percent annual rate in March, the lowest pace since last summer, due largely to moderating energy prices, the government said Thursday.

President Reagan will address Congress and the nation Tuesday.

Home buyers' monthly payments could rise or fall as fast — and as far — as current market interest rates under a broad new home-loan regulation approved Thursday by the government.

Most of us are still trying to get adjusted to Daylight Saving Time.

The Tryon Kiwanis Club meets Tuesday at 12:45 p.m. at the Pacolet River Plantation.

The Tryon Little Theater Box Office opens today. Performances of "The Importance of Being Earnest" will be held Thursday, Friday and Saturday at 8:30 p.m. at the Fine Arts Center.

P.C. Little League

Monday

5—Braves vs Red Sox

Hostage Thanks Mayor Tucker

Tryon Mayor Ken Tucker has received a thank you from Bert C. Moore, 16919 Glen Road, Mount Vernon, Ohio. Mr. Moore was one of the hostages in Iran. The note was as follows:

April 20, 1981

Dear Mayor Tucker:

Thank you for forwarding me a copy of your proclamation of January 24, 1981. I want you and the citizens of Tryon, North Carolina to know that I appreciated your support and prayers during my captivity in Iran.

Thank you very much for caring.

Sincerely Yours,
Bert C. Moore

Crime Watch In Mill Spring

The Mill Spring Community Crime Watch Meeting will be held Thursday at 7:30 p.m. at the Mill Spring Elementary School. C. J. Conner will show a film on "Crime Prevention" and the first order of the crime watch signs are expected at that time. The entire community is invited and urged to attend.

W.M.U. Meeting

The Carolina Association W.M.U. will hold its annual meeting May 4th at 7 p.m. at the Saluda First Baptist Church. Carolyn Weatherford, Executive Secretary of the Southern Baptist Convention will be the speaker.

Raise \$2200 For Educated Mice

Did anyone say that times were hard? The children of Polk County have proved otherwise, bringing in more than \$2200 for the American Cancer Society in only two weeks. Hardly a family, neighbor or friend has escaped the "nibbling" of these young Crusaders, who were determined to send as many mice as possible "to college" to aid in cancer research.

Grand champions (and old hands) at fund raising were the students of Tryon Elementary and Middle School, who garnered some \$1450 in an intensive one-week effort. Urged on by Chairman Kathy Potter, they left no pockets untouched in their search for nickels, dimes and quarters.

Also ferreting out coins with unprecedented success were the school children of Sunny View, Stearns, Mill Spring and Saluda.

"It was fun for all," said Chairman Jo Ann Moss of Mill Spring. The kids really enjoyed their mission and had a chance to feel they had an important part in the overall crusade.

Other "Mouse-to-College" Chairmen were George Finnie, Stearns; Tom Johnson, Saluda and Rev. John Godfrey of Sunny View.

Winners in each of the schools will soon be announced. — Reporter

Tigers And Patriots Split Doubleheader

The Tryon Tigers and the Polk Central Patriots split a baseball doubleheader Thursday at Polk Central. The Tigers won the opening 5 innings game 2-0 behind Jeff Sherer's no hitter. Polk Central took the night cap 5-4 in nine innings.

In the first game Jeff Sherer aided his cause with 2 hits as the Tigers collected five off of Kenny Hutcherson.

The second game also scheduled for 5 innings went into extra innings before Polk Central won in the 9th. Jeff Sherer pitched the first three innings and Kevin Pack the final 6 for Tryon while Kenny Hutcherson pitched 8 innings and Price the ninth. For Tryon Tony Cunningham had 2 for 5 and Robert Nelson 2 for 3 (one a double). For Polk Central, Hill, Hutcherson and Edwards had 2 hits each with one of Edwards being a triple.

First Game

Tryon	020 00 - 5
Polk Central	000 00 - 0
Sherer and Pack; Hutcherson and Rhymer.	

Second Game

Tryon	001 100 020 - 4
Polk Central	001 100 021 - 5
Sherer, Pack and Pack, Sherer, Hutcherson, Price and Rhymer.	

Senior League

Thursday's Results

Astros 10, Angels 3
White Sox 5, Cubs 4