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Weather Monday, high 90, low 51; Tuesday was another beautiful day.

Wilton Werbe Clary was sentenced to life imprisonment Monday afternoon in Hendersonville after he confessed to premeditated murder of Pamela Denise Durham during a brief trial. Miss Durham, 16, was a voice student of his.

Gov. Jim Hunt proposed Monday a 3-cents per gallon increase in the state tax on gasoline and coupled it with an income tax credit of up to \$22.50 a year aimed at offsetting the higher levy for individuals and families. Hunt also recommended an unspecified increase in the state tax on alcoholic beverages and increased fees for truck registration, driver's licenses and various other highway related fees.

The body of a small black male adult was found in the Chattahoochee River near Atlanta on Monday. The body has been identified as 21-year-old Jimmy Ray Payne, who was last seen at his southwest Atlanta home five days ago. Payne's

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Emergency Management Council Meeting

There will be a meeting of Emergency Management Council members at 7:30 p.m. on May 6, in the Commissioners Meeting Room. Ken Faulkner, Emergency Management Coordinator, will explain the function of the council. A discussion will be made on problems and solutions so that the county will be prepared for any kind of emergency situation.

Pre-School At Mill Spring

There will be a pre-school orientation at Mill Spring School on Tuesday, May 5, at 8:30 a.m. for all children in Mill Spring School district who will begin kindergarten this fall. Parents should accompany their children and bring the child's birth certificate and immunization records. To be eligible for kindergarten a child must be 5 years old on or before October 15, 1981. Any student who did not attend kindergarten this year and will be starting first grade in the fall should also attend the orientation. If you are unable to attend, please call the school at 894-8904 to register your child.

Girls Track

Wednesday
Conference Meet at Edneyville

Forest Fires

There were two woods fires Monday afternoon about 4:30. The Tryon Fire Department was called to the Huntingwood section of Rock Cut Road and the Columbus Fire Department was called to A. B. Taylor property on White Oak Mountain.

The firemen with the aid of the Forestry Service put the fires out.

Talks To Congressional Delegation

Jim Lowry, who is chairman of the North Carolina Indian Affairs Commission, addressed the North Carolina Congressional Delegation in Washington Tuesday concerning Indian programs.

Civic League Meets Friday

The Civic League of Landrum will meet Friday, May 1st at 3 p.m. at the Civic Center in Landrum. The program will feature "Dolls of Other Countries and the United States" from the collection of Miss Jody Brown and Mrs. Ralph Cash.

The hostesses for the afternoon will be Edith Manor, Hazel Young, Lois Ayers, Helen Bauvelt, and Dorothea Hambel. All members are asked to attend this meeting which will be the last until September.

Homecoming

Columbus United Methodist Church on Peake St., Columbus, will celebrate their 3rd annual Homecoming on Sunday, May 3rd at 11 a.m. services. Rev. Rex Gibbs of Salisbury, will bring the message.

A family dinner will be held immediately following the service.

All friends and former members are invited.

Buy Property

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Parks of Pharr, Texas have purchased the property of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Layton at Many Levels in the Hunting Country.

Lydia Clontz of Gaut-Pruette Associates and Town and Country Knoblock Realty handled the transaction.

Tennis

Wednesday
Chase at Tryon
Friday
Conference Tournament at Tryon

THERMAL BELT BRIDGE

Winners at the Thermal Belt Men's Duplicate Bridge Club Monday, April 27th were: Al Daniel and Art Pomeroy 1st; Boyd Dunbar and Jim Johnson, 2nd; Lionel Davis and Gren Sewall, 3rd.

Next game will be May 11th at Jim Johnson's.