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Weather Monday: high 94, low 71. That's hot! The early mornings have been nice, but after that it heats up.

Britain agreed Monday to cut the price of oil it produces from the North Sea by \$4.25 a barrel, a further sign of the downward pressure on world oil prices.

Authorities in Texas pulled more bodies out of swollen rivers Monday as the death toll from a weekend of torrential rain and tornadoes in the central and eastern parts of the nation rose to 20. States of emergency were declared in Kansas and Ohio as surging rivers and creeks went over their banks and roared into homes

GE lays off 8,000 production workers at its Appliant Park in Louisville, Ky. to adjust inventories. The total is half the production force at the plant, which is General Electric's largest appliance manufacturing facility.

Observing that Consititution does not guarantee "comfortable prisons," the U. S. Supreme Court said Monday that wo inmates may be housed in a ell designed for one, and does not violate the Constitution's protection against cruel and

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Mrs. Cooley Retires

Mrs. Geraldine High Cooley nas retired from teaching school, after 3312 years, of which 31 years were spent at the Mill Spring School.

A native of Spartanburg County, she is a graduate of Boiling Springs High School and received her AB degree from Asheville College in 1943. She did graduate work at Wofford College.

Mrs. Cooley was named the Mill Spring Teacher of the Year for 1980-81 and was honored this year by the students who gave her a plaque and planted a tree at the school in her honor.

Mill Spring Principal Alan Peoples stated that Mrs. Cooley was loved by her students and other school personnel. A fifth grade teacher, she taught English to the 4th, 5th and 6th grade students this past year. Mr. Peoples said that she was an excellent teacher and that the school would miss her ability and

## **Buy Property**

Mr. and Mrs. James Simon of Hendersonville, N. C. recently purchased 18 acres from Benjamin Wade and William Kelly in the White Oak Township.

Mr. Simon represents National Health Laboratories of Winston Salem, N. C. The Simons are anxious to move to the area and will be starting construction on their home in the near future.

The transaction was handled by Earl Thompson of Town and Country-Knoblock Realty Gallery of Homes.

#### Donkey Softball Friday At 8 P.M.

The craziest show on earth, Donkey Softball is coming to Green Creek Ball Field on June 19th at 8:00 p.m. The Green Creek Ruritan is sponsoring the game. Fans will be absolutely delighted as the donkeys of Tarheel Donkey Ball Co. of Denver, N. C. attempt to make softball as difficult as possible for the players.

Appearing at the game will be Easy Rider who is billed as America's Buckingist Donkey. After hundreds of attempts, Easy Rider still has not had anyone to ride him.

Bob McKinley, nationally famous rodeo clown will also be appearing with a hilarious halftime show featuring comedy animal acts.

The entire game will offer family entertainment featuring thrills, laughter and surprises. The donkeys have no respect for riders or persons and feel no remorse by dumping the riders their "Dignity." Unpredictable moments and hilarious action is what the game is all about.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Wright of Vineyard Rd., Tryon have returned from the LPGA championship, held last weekend at the Jack Nicklaus Sports Center, Mason, Ohio. They were guests of their son, John Wright, who is Director of Sports and Special Events for Warner-Amex Cable TV, Cincinnati.

### Mrs. Feagan Retires At Stearns School

Catherine W. Feagan, (Mrs. Charlie) of Columbus has retired from Stearns School after 30 years of teaching. She teaches the fifth grade.

Mrs. Feagan, the former Catherine Walker of Mill Spring, taught at Mill Spring Elementary 1946-47; Stearns School 1947-52 and Stearns School 1958-81. She received her degree at Western Carolina Teachers College in 1942 and has done further study at Wofford, Gardner-Webb. Western Carolina Appalachian.

Mrs. Feagan was named the 1981 Polk County Teacher of the Year. Over the years she has special projects and plays for pupils in her grade. She has taught her three sons and two of her grandchildren

Mrs. Feagan is active in the Columbus Baptist Church and in community affairs.

#### Peach Festival Road Race

The 4th annual Peach Festival Road Race will be held Saturday, July 18th at Gaffney, S. C. The Fun run is at 8:10 a.m.; 5,000 and 10,000 meter race at 8 a.m. Deadline for T-shirts is July 4th and the cost is \$5. No T-shirt entry the cost is \$2. If registration is not closed out by race day, registration will be from 6:30 a.m. to 7:30 a.m. at race headquarters. (Limestone College Gymnasium)