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Weather Monday: high 90, low

70, humidity 76%, rain at 7 a.m.

Tuesday was .35. Tuesday

morning was delightful, one of

those mornings we brag about

Social Services Bd. Says "NO" To County Commissioners

The Polk County Board of Social Services voted Monday afternoon to reject the tentative appointment of a Social Services Attorney appointed by the Polk County Commissioners.

The law gives the County Commissioners the authority to appoint the attorney subject to the approval of the Social Services Board.

William A. McFarland has been serving as the attorney, but the County Commissioners terminated his services, and Wm. H. Miller to appointed succeed him. The Social Services Board took the position that Mr. McFarland had been doing a good job and should have been contacted about the position and given the opportunity to accept or reject the position. The Board felt that the qualifications of the attorneys were not involved, but the ethics of the way the matter was handled

The motion was made by Paul Butler and seconded by Ruth Ann Arledge, and agreed to by Clifford Stott. Joan Nash, a newly appointed member of the Board was not present. Harold Burrell is the Board Chairman.

The Upstairs Players will present American Vistas, an evening of the poetry and prose of Walt Whitman tonight at 8 o'clock at 117 S. Trade St., Tryon.

Physicals July 31 For Patriots

Football Coach Ken Brumley has announced that all those planning to play football at Polk Central (grades 9 — 12) this fall, report for their physicals on Friday, July 31st at 6:30 p.m. at the Polk Central gym. Shoes may be purchased for \$22 at this time.

Practice begins Saturday, Aug. 1st from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m.

Donate 93 Pints

93 pints of blood were collected from the 104 people attending the July 20th bloodmobile in Tryon. This was the first of 14 visits in Polk County for the 1931-82 year. There were 16 first time donors. These included participants from the Polk County Sheltered Workshop whose donations helped to make the bloodmobile visit a success.

New Arrival

Mr. and Mrs. William R. Smothers of Green Creek are parents of a daughter, Margaret Roena, born on Saturday, July 18th at Rutherford County Hospital. She weighed 7 pounds.

Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert R. Smothers of Columbus. The maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Randolph Price, Sr., of Rutherfordton and the maternal great-grandmother is Mrs. J. R. King of Williamston, S. C.

Margaret has an older brother, William Lucas

Tryon Police Make Raid

The Tryon Police along with the State ABC officers in Asheville raided 4 places in Tryon that were selling beer and liquor without licenses. The police served 17 warrants and arrested 8 persons who were charged with everything from selling intoxicating beer and liquor to possession of gambling devices.

Perform Thursday

The Swannanoa Chamber Players will perform Thursday July 23 at 8 p.m. at Blue Ridge Technical College Auditorium.

The program will include String Quartet, number 11, in F minor by Beethoven, featuring members of the Laurentian String Quartet; Duo for Violin and Viola by Mozart; Sextet for Piano and Winds by Poulenc, featuring Ruth Geiger, pianist, and the Woodwind Quintet.

Pea Ridge 4-H'ers

On July 14 the Pea Ridge 4-H meeting came to order by saying our pledges.

Natalie Harris talked about Butterflies and we talked about where we can get vitamin C.

The next meeting will be July 28. — Deborah Simpson, Reporter

and haven't been getting.
The Senate was told Monday by
John Graziano, the inspectorgeneral designate for the
Agriculture Dept. that more and
more, counterfeiters are
churning out food stamps.

William R. Roberson, Jr., 63, was sworn in Monday to succed Tom Bradshaw as the new secretary of Transportation in North Carolina.

John Dusenbury, who is employed by Scali McCabe Advertising Agency in New York is in Tryon this week visiting family and friends.

A number of people in the proposed annexation area of Tryon believe that being taken in by the Town of Tryon will make them also pay the Tryon School tax. This is false. If they live in Tryon Township, they are already paying the special Tryon School tax. The Tryon School System is called the Tryon City Administrative Unit, but in reality it is the Tryon Township Administrative Unit.

"The King and I" opens today Continued On Back Page