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Weather Friday: high 52, low 33, humidity 43%; Saturday: high 47, low 37, hum. 32%; Sunday: high 51, low 30, hum. 33%.

A surprise blizzard hit New England over the weekend, leaving up to a foot of snow in many areas.

Libyan leader Col. Moammar Khadafy denies sending hit squads to assassinate President Reagan and challenged the U. S. to prove that such a plot exists.

Marcus Allen, the Southern California running back was named the Heisman Trophy winner Saturday night.

An airplane taking skydivers to a football game jump Saturday in Hawaii sputtered and spun into Pearl Harbor near the USS Arizona Memorial. Eleven of the 12 people believed aboard were killed.

Monday was the 40th anniversary of Pearl Harbor. Many of us remember what we were doing at the time and how it changed our lives.

At the 1981 WNC Community Development Program Saturday, Pea Ridge Community was 4th in division "B" (100-200 families) and Saluda was fourth in division "C" (more than 200 families). Stony Knoll was honorable

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Tryon Teams Win Landrum Tip-Off Tournament

The Tryon girls and boys won the Landrum Tip-Off Basketball Tournament Saturday night at the Landrum gym with wins over Polk Central. The Tryon girls won 55-44 and the boys took a 47-27 win. The Tryon girls reached the finals with a 39-23 win over Chesnee and the Tryon boys beat Chesnee 62-49. Polk Central girls beat Landrum 48-29 and the Polk Central boys beat Landrum 60-56 to gain the finals.

Tryon girls and boys are now 3-0; Polk Central girls are 4-1 and the Polk Central boys are 1-4. Landrum girls are 0-3 and the boys are 1-2.

In the girls championship game Tryon jumped out to a 20-4 lead at the end of the first quarter and were never headed. Brenda Keys was the leading scorer with 20 points, while Denise Booker had 14 and Camille Ratliff had 13 points and blocked a number of shots. Donna Carson had 10 points for Polk Central.

Tommy Hill led the scoring for the Tryon boys with 17 points, followed by Tony Cunningham with 13 and Clement Booker with 12 points. Patrick Hines had 10 points for Polk Central.

GIRLS CHAMPIONSHIP

TRYON (55) — Littlejohn 5, Booker 14, Keys 20, Sherer 4, C. Ratliff 13, Lonnes, Bradley, A. Ratliff, Whitmire, Fant.

POLK CENTRAL (44) — Rickman 6, Pack 6, Marlowe 4, D.

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Hunt Names Lowry To NC 2000 Commission

The newly established Commission on the Future of North Carolina held its first major working session on December 7 in Raleigh. Governor Jim Hunt has appointed Jimmy R. Lowry of Tryon to serve on that commission, which is chaired by UNC President William C. Friday.

The commission was established by Hunt to prepare for the growth and change expected in North Carolina between now and the year 2000.

The Commission is composed of state leaders in education, business, law, medicine, the environment and other fields; members of the N. C. General Assembly; and members of the State Goals and Policy Board. Elizabeth Koontz, assistant superintendent for teacher education with the Department of Public Instruction, serves as vice chairman of the commission.

Lowry is president of Lowry Chevrolet, Inc. He is a founding chairman of Metrolina Native American Association in Charlotte, chairman of the N. C. State Commission on Indian Affairs and a member of the Tryon Chamber of Commerce.

Some projections for the future, if present trends continue, which can dramatically affect North Carolina and its citizens lifestyles include:

— North Carolina's population

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Wreck

A one-car accident took place Sunday at 12:30 a.m. at the junction of Carolina Road and Hwy. 176. A 1977 Chevrolet Vega operated by Dawna Lynch Horton of Rt. 1, Landrum went off the highway and into the ravine. Mrs. Horton and her husband, Barry, were taken to St. Luke's Hospital where they were treated and released. About \$2,000 damage was done to the car.

The accident was investigated by Tryon Police officers Bill Steppe and Raphael Foy.

A New Arrival

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Morse of Tryon are parents of a daughter, Wendy Renee, born Friday, Dec. 4th at Mary Black Hospital. She has a sister, Lisa and brothers, Brian and Jody.

The maternal grandmother is Mrs. Fred Porter of Tryon.

The paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Jack Morse of Saluda.

Fire

The Columbus Volunteer Fire Department was called to a fire Sunday at 12:30 a.m. on the Jack Story Hill near Hwy. 108 and old No. 19. The unoccupied large frame house was destroyed.

Raleigh Parker has returned to Hammond, Ind. after spending Thanksgiving with his mother, Mrs. Eunice Parker in Tryon.