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Weather Monday high 46, low 39, hum. 80%, rain at 7 a.m. Tuesday was 01 Tuesday morning was sunny and clear.

There should be a law not to allow football games to begin at 9 p.m. It makes it hard to get up the next morning. The North Carolina Tar Heels defeated Arkansas 31-27 in the fog at the Gator Bowl Monday night.

The Soviet news agency Tass on Monday praised the "resolute resistance" of West Germany and other Western governments in Europe to what it called "Washington's policy of blackmail and gross interference" in Polish affairs.

A Massachusetts school teacher whose Fallopian tubes had been removed gave birth Monday to America's first test-tube baby, a healthy 5-pound, 12 ounce girl named Elizabeth Jordan Carr. The baby, conceived last April in a laboratory at a Norfolk, Va. clinic, was delivered by Caesarean section at Norfolk General Hospital. Her parents are Judith and Roger Carr of Westminster, Mass.

Jerry Tolley, who led Elon College to NAIA football titles in 1980 and 1981, resigned as head

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## Horse Creek Masons Elect Officers

Horse Creek Masonic Lodge No. 719 elected the following officers for the year 1982: Gene Green, Master; Reid Mace, S. W.; Morris Ruff, J. W.; Billy Feagan, Secretary; Odell Matthews, Treasurer; Wayne Black, S. D.; Joe Cates, J. D.; Chester Hudson, Chaplain; Don Pittman and Jessie Mac Shehan, Stewards; Ricky Barker, Tyler.

The Lodge is having open installation Saturday, January 2nd at 7 p.m. Public is invited. A covered dish supper is planned.

## Special Meeting

There will be a special meeting of the St. Luke's Hospital Board of Trustees Thursday, January 7, at 5:00 p.m. in the Medical Library

## Watch Night Service

There will be a Watch Night Service at Mountain Valley Baptist Church in Green River Cove Thursday, December 31, beginning at 7:30 p.m. Public is invited.

Imposition of the 55 mph speed limit eight years ago is probably the major cause for an average decline of 400 highway deaths per year in North Carolina since then, the state Highway Patrol says. Lance said the state's traffic fatality rate is nearly half of what it was before the speed limit was lowered.

## New Year's Eve Service

Blue Ridge Freewill Baptist Church will have a New Year's Eve Service beginning at 7 p.m. Other churches joining them are Oak Grove Baptist Church, Redeemed Baptist Church, Fellowship Baptist Church, State Line Baptist Church and Independent Church. Rev. Robert Price is the pastor of the Blue Ridge Baptist Church. The public is invited.

## A New Arrival

Mr. and Mrs. Carston Holthouser of Imperatriz, Brazil are parents of a son, Carston Costa, born Dec. 17th. He has two sisters, Elizabeth, age 5 and Christina, age 3.

The maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Louis Costa of Guanambis, Brazil and the paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Holthouser of Elkin, formerly of Tryon.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Clement of Detroit, Mich., are visiting his mother, Mrs. Esther Falls of Tryon for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Placak of Skyuka Road, Columbus had their children as guests for the holidays. Mr. and Mrs. Michael Dill from Forest City, Mr. and Mrs. Chris Robinson from Charleston and Robert, Jr. from Cleveland, Ohio.

## In Tribute

June 9, 1927 — December 13, 1981  
Charles Lindbergh Twitty

Words cannot express the loss of a man such as Lynn Twitty.

With 15 plus years service to the Polk County Sheriff's Department Lynn not only will be missed by his family and friends but by people all over Polk and surrounding counties. His smiling face and friendly greetings will be cherished memories for all.

Lynn had an uncanny ability to rationalize with whom ever he encountered or whatever situation came before him. He stood firm when necessary but spoke softly to avoid antagonizing the situation.

A family man Lynn Twitty saw that his wife and children were cared for in many ways but possibly most important spiritually. His love for his family and fellow man were second only to his love for the Lord. In this day and time when a word of testimony is seldom heard Lynn spoke daily of his King above. A life long member of Green Creek Baptist Church he served in many capacities and til his death active daily.

"Service wasn't a word to Lynn but a way of life."

Our sympathy and love go to his family and friends and as the days have past it's still hard for me to realize Lynn is no longer with us.

Sheriff Boyce Carswell  
& Staff