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Weather Tuesday: high 72, low 41, hum. 39%. Rain at 7 a.m. Wednesday was .01.

Four Army paratroopers were killed and at least 71 were injured Tuesday when they jumped through gusty desert winds at Fort Irwin, Calif. About 2,000 soldiers participated in the jump, one of the largest parachute exercises ever held in the United States.

Bell Federal Savings and Loan Association of Inman, which also has offices in Spartanburg and Chesnee will become part of American Federal Savings and Loan Association of Greenville within a few weeks. The merger is contingent on final approval by the Federal Home Loan Bank

Tryon Mayor Ken Tucker has expressed appreciation to all the participants in the Clean-Up week, especially the Mayor's Advisory Task Force, Kiwanis Club, Working to Travel, Inc., the students and staff at Tryon Elementary School and Tryon High School, the North Carolina Division of Highways, the Tryon Garden Club, and the Tryon/Polk County Board of Realtors.

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Youth Choir At Music Festival

The Youth Choir of the First Baplist Church of Landrum will attend the Sunshine Music Festival Friday and Saturday at the Convention Center at Myrtle Beach. The choir, which will be participating in a massed choir of 500 to 600 voices, has learned six choral anthems for the festival. The 24 youths and 6 chaperons are staying at Longview Motel at Myrtle Beach and will return home Saturday evening. Chaperons for the group are Loran Bradey, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hamrick, Mrs. Bobby Lee, Miss Rhonda McClure and Ronald Searcy. Mr. Searcy is the Minister of Music and Director of the Choir. Miss Kerry Ward of Spartanburg is the accompanist.

Square Dancing And Clogging

Square dancing and clogging will be held Saturday from 8 to 11 p.m. at Stearns gym in Columbus. Special guests band this week is the country music band from Pacolet, S. C. along with the Polk County Bluegrass Band. No admission and the public is invited.

Band Boosters Meet Monday

There will be a Tryon Band Boosters meeting Monday, April 5th in the band room at 7:30 p.m. Booster officers and board will meet at 7.

Win First Place



The Central Business District Committee of Tryon, won first place in the villages and towns up to 5,000 population category Monday at the N. C. Beautiful Contest Awards luncheon held in Raleigh.

Reagan Ammons, Polk County Extension Agent, attended the meeting with Charles Lott, Tryon Town Manager, Mr. Ammons presented the plaque for first place to the Central District Committee, co-chairmen R. B. Scruggs and Gen. Harry Evans along with Mayor Ken Tucker and former Councilman Charles Lankford on Tuesday at the Tryon Kiwanis Club meeting at the Pacolet Plantation. Shown above holding the plaque are: (left to right) R. B. Scruggs, Ken Tucker, Charles Lankford and Harry Evans.

4-H Funfest Winners

Last Saturday the 4-H Funfest Talent Show was held at the Tryon Fine Arts Center. All of the Tryon r me as exceptionally good, and it involved children from kindergarten to high school

There was quite a variety of acts with everything from acts with closest state of the cloggers and pantomime. All of the solos and parameters in of the kids involved were winners in preliminary shows, however, preliminary snows, nowever, here are the top finishers from

In the K-4 category: 2nd place: In the n-a category: and place:
Tina Price and Amanda Owensby
their baton routing Tina Price and chinama Owensby for their baton routine to is inkytown"; 1st. nlage for their baton routine to "Funkytown"; 1st. place: "Funkytown; lst. place:
Mickey and Joey Jackson place:
duo — "The Duke Boys"; Overall

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