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The weather Wednesday: high 72, low 58. 82 percent hum. And 2.32 delicious, soaking inches of rain had fallen by 7 a.m. Thursday.

Isn't the rain nice when the temperature is warm and the water just pours out steady and strong? One just hopes, in this decade of heightened environmental consciousness, that Wednesday's rain also fell clean and pure. It sure felt good.

As you probably know already, Joan Nash was edged out of the Republican primary nomination by eight votes Tuesday. The three winners were Tim McCormack, Ken Faulkner and Bill Crowell.

"The best men won," Nash said Thursday. "I plan to support them in November." In November, the Republican nominees will square off against incumbent Rachel Ramsey, Carson Deck and Sue Cochran.

In the Democratic U.S. Senate primary, second-place finisher Mike Easley called Wednesday for a run-off. First place finisher Harvey Gantt appealed to Easley to change his mind.

"Now should be a time to move on to the campaign against Jesse Helms," Gantt said. "Think twice, think carefully, choose

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No Bulletin Memorial Day

The Tryon Daily Bulletin will not be published Memorial Day, May 28, so that the staff may have a day with their families.

All regular Monday news and advertising will be placed in the Friday, May 25 and Tuesday, May 29 issues.

Rock & Mineral Club

Isothermal Rock and Mineral Club will be in Tryon May 15th at NCNB. Meeting starts at 7:30. Anyone interested in the study of Rock and Minerals and Collecting Rocks are welcome.

Exchange Students Will Speak

Miss Nadia Cabrera from Mexico and Jean Francois Noulet of Belgium will speak of their countries and the exchange program at Kiwanis May 15 at Western Steer at 12:45 p.m.

Louis Brinson is in charge of the program.

Buys Property

Mr. and Mrs. Richard A. Jackson of Green Creek, N.C. recently purchased a parcel of property adjoining their home on Hwy. 9 from Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McDowell.

Rick Viehman of Foothills Realty was the listing agent and Myrna Viehman also of Foothills Realty was the selling agent.

Elected To Heart Association Board



Pierce A. Cassidy, a former textile executive from Charlotte and a Tryon resident since 1983, has been elected to the Board of Directors of the Polk County Unit of the American Heart Association. He was nominated by Dr. Ben Woodward, AHA unit president, and was elected by the directors at their latest meeting on Apr. 26.

Mr. Cassidy, an Amherst College graduate in 1943, served as a U.S. Navy pilot during World War II in the Pacific Theater, flying at various times the complete repertoire of U.S. Navy planes.

An avid sailor, golfer and skier, he met his wife, Ursula, while skiing in St. Moritz, Switzerland in 1969. They have four children: Corinne Maier of Columbus, O., Marsha Griffin of

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Landrum To Host Battle Of Brains

WSPA Radio with Bill Drake will broadcast the finals in the Spartanburg County Battle of the Brains contest from the Landrum High School Media Center on Wednesday, May 16th at 10 a.m. Landrum will serve as host to Fairforest Junior High in the contest. — Reporter

First Communion



Meghan Corcoran and Michael FitzSimmons both in second grade at Tryon Elementary received First Communion, May 6th at St. John The Baptist Catholic Church.

A reception was held afterwards for their families and friends, catechists and children of the Parish. — Nine Wolfe, cre