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*The weather Wednesday: high 55, low 36, hum. 95 percent, and by Thursday at 7 a.m. Robert Dedmond had .75 inches of rain in his gages. Snow was in the air Thursday and fingers were crossed.*

The February meeting of the Foothills Humane Society Board of Directors will be held Monday, Feb. 18 at 4 p.m. in the NCNB meeting room.

The Tryon Hounds will meet Saturday at 9 a.m. at Iron Bridge.

Waynesville Mountaineer writer Ken Morrison offered "A Rose to Polk County," in his column Monday.

"Many states have a Polk County, but the one I am praising is here in North Carolina. Its county commission voted unanimously to place a one-year moratorium on billboards while a new sign ordinance is drafted. Many more counties should take similar action before visual pollution is in such an advanced state that it will be too costly to deal with."

The Polk County Planning and Zoning Board deserves much of that praise, along with both the county commissioners presently serving and those who recently

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## Subscription Rates Hiked For Postage

Due to the recent increase in second class postal rates, which are now nearly 20 percent higher than before, the *Tryon Daily Bulletin* subscription rates have been increased, editor and publisher Jeffrey A. Byrd announced today.

A yearly subscription will now cost \$35, up from \$30.

The increase represents 42 cents a month.

A six-month subscription will now cost \$19.25, a three-month subscription \$11, and a one-month subscription, \$4.50.

"We will continue to do our best to assemble the wealth of news and advertising information that you find in the Bulletin each day," said Byrd, "So that the extra few cents each month for your subscription will be returned to you in value, several times over."

## Rock 'N' Roll Analyzed

Parents - concerned about the music your children listen to? Need help? Join us Feb. 16 at 10 a.m. at the Tryon Church of God as we present the video *Hell's Bells - The Dangers of Rock 'n' Roll*. Lunch will be provided free of charge. For more information call 859-6319.

## Office Closed

Polk County Veteran Service and Emergency Management office will be closed Feb. 18-24.

## Williams-Johnson



Mr. and Mrs. Joe N. Williams of Landrum announce the engagement of their daughter, Susanne Annette, to Joe Perry Johnson III.

Johnson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Perry Johnson of Inman. He is a graduate of Boiling Springs High School and Wofford College, where he earned a Bachelor's in Business Economics. He is employed as vice-president of High Tech Heat Inc.

Susanne is a graduate of Landrum High School and the University of South Carolina at Columbia, where she earned a Bachelor's in Psychology. She is now employed by Greenville Memorial Hospital.

The wedding will take place April 27 at Landrum First Baptist Church.

## Vining To Gather Farming History

Polk County Extension Director John Vining is gathering photographs of Polk's agricultural heritage.

Vining has agreed to serve on a committee of Tryon-Thermal Belt Chamber of Commerce members who are publishing a pictorial history of the area.

Anyone with photographs of farming, logging, and other agricultural pursuits, from times past up until the present, should call John at the extension office, 894-8218, or drop them by the office at the courthouse complex.

John is being assisted by former county director Paul Culberson.

"A Sense of Heritage: A Pictorial History of the Thermal Belt Area," will be published in the fall. You can reserve a copy now at the pre-publication price of \$29.95 by contacting the chamber office at 859-6236. The price for the book will rise to \$45 after March 31.

## Foothills Bridge

Results of the Foothills Duplicate Bridge played Tuesday, Feb. 12 at the Tryon Youth Center, with six tables in play, were: 1st - Pat Lehner and Virginia Davis (67 percent game); 2nd - Dot Paulsell and Evelyn Warrington; 3rd - Eva Barker and Elinor Tomlinson.  
- Reporter.