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The weather Wednesday: high 88, low 63, hum. 58 percent.

The only man allowed on the Habitat for Humanity building site in Charlotte Tuesday was the building inspector - and he

wore a wig.

That's the report we read about the "women only" Habitat project underway in the Queen City. Former First Lady Rosalynn Carter's participation brought lots of media attention.

Mrs. Carter's t-shirt read,

"Look, Look, See Jane Build." Charlotte Habitat does a wonderful job. But, according to our sources, you should know that the Thermal Belt Habitat for Humanity organization is building as many houses (17 and 18 are underway) based on population ratios as the best Habitat organization around.

Three cheers for the women. Three cheers for Habitat!

This just in from Chuck Ross: "You heard about the guy who was tar-and-feathered and run out of town on a rail? He said, 'You know, if it wasn't for the honor, I'd just as soon walk!"

The Tryon Community Chorus 1991 Spring Concert takes the stage for three performances

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County Budget To Be Presented

County Manager John Lewis's 1991-92 budget proposal will be presented to the board of commissioners when it meets Monday at 3:30 p.m., Lewis said Thursday.

Lewis said he and county finance director Rowena Sweezy were still working on the budget and he did not have any final figures.

Lewis said the board will begin budget work sessions

A new budget must be adopted by July 1, but some jurisdictions are adopting interim budgets due to the continuing uncertainty surrounding the state budget.

New Arrival

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Harris of Flat Rock, announce the birth of a daughter, Ashley Michelle, born Tuesday, May 14th at Memorial Mission Hospital. Ashley weighed 8 lbs. 10 oz. and was 21 1/2 in. long. Maternal grandmother is Mrs. Gwen Garren of Saluda and the maternal great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Pace of Sal-

Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Harris of Flat Paternal greatgrandparents are Mrs. Alice Harris of Mill Spring and the late L.A. Harris, Jr. and Mr. and Mrs. Nick Camp of Flat Rock. Community Reporter



Donna Marie Dawson Valedictorian



Jason Candler Bond Co-Salutatorian



Paula Lynn Hardin Co-Salutatorian

Polk Central **Honor Graduates**

The Polk Central 1991 Honor Graduates are as follows: The Valedictorian of the class (Continued On Back Page)

Two 333-Foot Spans Over Green Planned

H.B. Rowe and Co. of Mt. Airy, N.C. was awarded a \$13.8 million contract May 10 to build 6.3 miles of U.S. 74 in Polk and Rutherford counties.

C.W. Hardin of Canton, a member of the N.C. Board of Transportation, said grading should begin later this month for the four-lane corridor from west of S.R. 1330 in Polk County to west of the Broad River in Rutherford County.

Hardin said construction of dual bridges 333 feet long over the Green River is included in the contract.

During construction, safe-guards will be taken to protect small streams and wetlands from contamination by soil or construction materials, Hardin said. Grass will be planted over bare ground caused by construction.

The grading work is scheduled to be completed in June 1993. A contract to pave the highway is expected to be considered by the board in May 1993, Hardin said.

Landrum Reunion

Landrum High School Class of 1930 will celebrate the 61st anniversary of graduation on May 17, 1991. The reunion will be held at Brannon's Restaurant starting at 3 p.m. with a Dutch Treat Dinner at 5:30. Friends and well wishers are invited to join us.

Community Reporter