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The weather Tuesday: high 76, low 64, hum. 65 percent, and by 7 a.m. Wednesday .04 inches of rain had fallen.

On the matter of village business, Holland Brady weighs in today with a communication urging all of us to support a healthy downtown.

And Kathy Woody, executive secretary at the Tryon Thermal Belt Chamber of Commerce, called to point out that she keeps the chamber office open every Saturday from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. to aid out of town visitors.

The Associated Press has released a story on The World's Smallest Daily Newspaper this week, and a reader of the *Sumter (S.C.) Item* sent us a copy. It will be interesting to see what papers pick up this incredible tale.

The Sumter editors chose a picture of Tony Elder oiling the press to illustrate the article.

About taxes: Polk County Manager John Lewis came by Tuesday morning to discuss the proposed property transfer tax for Polk County.

He said some misinformation and some shallow arguments are being offered by the oppo-

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Saluda Passes Interim Budget

The Saluda Town Council Tuesday night opted to pass an interim appropriation budget.

The council decided to wait for the state to determine its budget before passing a 1991-92 budget. The amount of state shared revenues N.C. towns will receive has not been determined yet.

The usual deadline for passage of a new budget is July 1 for all municipalities and counties in the state. However, an interim budget is allowed.

Ceri Dando

On Dean's List

Three students from Polk County are among 708 students named to the Western Carolina University Dean's List for spring semester 1991, according to an announcement by John Wakeley, WCU vice chancellor for academic affairs.

To qualify for the dean's list, students must achieve at least a 3.5 grade-point average out of a possible 4.0 on a regular semester's work of not less than 12 hours, excluding remedial courses, with no grades of D or F. Polk County students on the WCU Dean's List are: Michael Andrew Mower, Mill Spring; Sheryl Lynn Johnson McCall, Rt. 1, Saluda; Cathy Ellen Brooks, Tryon.

—Community Reporter



Willard R. Daggett

Daggett At Rotary

On Monday, July 1, the Guest Speaker at the Tryon Rotary lunch meeting at the Vineyard will be Willard R. Daggett, ED.D. Dr. Daggett is nationally known for his leadership in educational reforms that

respond to societal and industrial changes facing the nation. The changes specifically address the rapidly increasing influx of technology to the workplace and the home, and to the economic and demographic changes in America.

Attending the meeting with Dr. Daggett will be Jim Causby, Superintendent and Susan Leonard, Asst. Superintendent, both of Polk County Schools.

—Community Reporter

Childbirth Preparation

St. Luke's Hospital and David A. Ellis, MD will offer a Labor and Childbirth Preparation Course on July 8 and 10, from 6:30 to 9:30 p.m. This six-hour course will be held in the classroom at the hospital.

"All expectant parents are invited to attend, regardless of which physician they are seeing for obstetrical care," said Teri Smith, director of public relations at St. Luke's.

Lynn Blythe, RN, childbirth educator and certified obstetrical nurse from Pardee Hospital, will be the course instructor. After a general overview of pregnancy, Blythe will discuss preparation for labor and birth, covering topics such as: True or False Labor, When to Go to The Hospital, and Stages of Labor. Additionally, the class will offer video of actual deliveries, which include discussion of different methods of delivery and various types of anesthesia.

Dr. Ellis will meet with the group for the second half of the course to talk about the physician's perspective and to answer questions.

The cost of the course is \$5 per person. Couples are encouraged to attend together. To register, call St. Luke's Hospital Education Dept., 894-3311, Ext. 3350.

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