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The weather Tuesday: high 77, low 59, hum. 62 percent.

The Raleigh News & Observer on August 14 ran a story on North Carolina's "Dubious distinctions" as its Scene section feature. Tryon was recognized for being the home of the world's smallest daily newspaper.

Salvo, N.C., was recognized as home of the second smallest post office in the United States, and Mount Olive as pickle capital of the South.

On the matter of distinctions, there is just one thought we wish to leave with you today: "The rooster crows, but the hen delivers." From title of a Stephen "Banjo Dancin'" Wade tune.

What's happening:

Today at 2 p.m. and 7 p.m. the staff of the Polk County Cooperative Extension Service will teach their Southern Cookery class. It will be held in the conference room of the Agriculture Building in Columbus.

The Columbus Town Council meets tonight at 7:30 in the Town Hall.

Tickets for the Arthur Farwell Day luncheon, to be held at The Vineyard Sept. 21, go on sale
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Board To Appoint Committee To Study E-911 Management

Leaders of Polk County's various emergency services will soon be asked to study the county's Emergency-911 communications center.

The Polk County Board of Commissioners decided Tuesday to appoint a study committee to include the sheriff, and the chiefs of police of Tryon, Columbus, and Saluda, along with EMS, fire department and rescue squad leaders.

The question that will be put to them is this: Who should be responsible for managing the communications center on a day to day basis?

Members of the board have been considering moving the center from under Sheriff Boyce Carswell's control and instead creating a new department under the county manager.

"The issue is management responsibility," commissioner Tim McCormack said Wednesday. "It is not a political question. It is a logical business question."

The board members have refused to say more.

An angry group of people supporting Carswell, however, strongly questioned the board's motives Tuesday night.

"The only thing I get is that they want more control," Roy Case said Wednesday morning. "They have absolute control of the money now. The sheriff
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Stewart Rivers & Laurie Pierce

Pierce-Rivers

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Pierce of Landrum, announce the engagement of their daughter, Laurie Arlene Pierce, to Stewart Lathay Rivers, Jr. son of Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Rivers, Sr. of Greenville, S.C.

A Nov. 23 wedding is planned at the First Baptist Church of Tryon. Reception following wedding at the Mimosa Inn.

Miss Pierce was graduated from Landrum High School and Greenville Technical College. She is employed with Radiologic Consultants of Greenville.

Mr. Rivers was graduated from Greenville High School. He is employed with Flowers Baking Co.

Ruth Proctor Twitty is in the Sinal Hospital, 6767 West Outer Drive, Detroit, Michigan, 48235. 919-493-6917. She would love to hear from her family and friends.

Hunters Complain About County Law

County officials have received several calls from angry hunters since the county passed a new firearms ordinance.

The ordinance passed on Aug. 19 restricts anyone from firing a gun within prescribed distances of dwellings, roads and other people.

It is aimed primarily at hunters, Board of Commissioners chairman Jeannie Martin said, and it hit the target.

"We've been getting lots of complaints," said Martin. "People say we're trying to stop hunting in the county."

Martin said that is not the case at all.

"They can hunt safely all they want to," she said. "If they will read the ordinance, they will see the common sense. You don't fire a gun across a road, or near a dwelling, because you could hit a car or a person."

"If they are already using common sense, this ordinance won't change a thing they're doing," Martin said.

Hunters can still hunt on their own property, and the property of any others who give permission, Martin said.

State wildlife officers will not be the ones enforcing the ordinance, as they can only enforce state laws, Martin said. Local law enforcement officers will enforce Polk's ordinance.