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The weather Friday, high 60, low 42, hum. 50 percent; Saturday, high 53, low 37, hum. 77 percent and .25 inches of rain fell; Sunday, high 59, low 39, hum. 60 percent and .92 inches of rain fell.

Looking to 1992, our nation is struggling with recession and a loss of confidence. Suddenly we are realizing that Japan and Germany took the lead in world economic competition while we were investing in military dominance. Our production efficiency declined. Jobs went overseas. Our workers are poorly educated and unprepared for the work place of the future.

It is interesting to look back to what was surely a golden era for inspiration in these times.

Eighty-five years ago on New Year's Day it was a springlike 55 degrees in Washington, D.C. - "Roosevelt weather." People were lining the streets waiting to shake hands with the President.

"Roosevelt may be the fastest handshaker in history (he averages fifty grips a minute), but he is also the most conscientious, insisting that all citizens who are sober, washed, and free of bodily advertising

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New Arrival

Susan and John Jackson of Landrum are parents of a son, John Robert, born December 12, 1991 at Mary Black Hospital, Spartanburg, S.C.

He weighed 7 lbs., 6 oz. He also has 2 sisters, Elisabeth, age, 5 and Sarah, age 2.

Maternal grandparents are Bobby and Irene Settle of Landrum.

Paternal grandmother is Mrs. Doris Jackson and the late Rev. Lawrence Jackson of Landrum.

ASU Recognizes Former Tryon Student

On Jan. 25, 1992, Greg Lair will receive recognition as a member of the Appalachian State University Mountaineers Championship football team.

ASU, the Southern Conference Champion, participated in the NCAA Division 1AA playoffs.

Greg, an outside linebacker, started as a special team player during the 1991 season. The ASU senior letterman graduated from Forest Hills High School in 1988; he attended Tryon schools from 1980 to 1984.

Greg is the son of Robert and Judith Lair of Alexandria, Virginia.

-Community Reporter

Did your last bunch of homemade French fries turn out brown and burned-looking? Perhaps you sliced and fried a baking potato. Types of potatoes are not interchangeable.

Women's Indoor Track Results

The Polk County Lady Wolverines participated in an indoor track competition at UNC-Chapel Hill Dec. 20 and 21.

Participating in the 600 meter dash were Pat McEntyre, who set a new school record at 1:42.15, Natalie Jackson, 1:49.76, Monica Ruff, 2:06, Tonya Cunningham, 2:13, and Kelly Sparks, 2:10.

Karen Godlock took first overall in the 100 yard dash with a time of 2:52.9.

In the 300 meter dash, Natalie Jackson ran a 45.2, Rhonda Burnett 47.02. Also participating was Traci Gilbert.

Karen Godlock won first overall in the two-mile run, setting a new school record with a time of 11:35.9. Also participating was Jennifer Owens, who ran 16:47.

Participating in the high jump was Tami Wilson, who jumped 4'8", which was also a new school record.

Participating in shot put was Nicki Hulst.

Karen Godlock was first overall in the mile run with a time of 5:18.36. Also participating were Pat McEntyre, 6:18 and Jennifer Owens, 7:47.

Karen Godlock and Tami Wilson qualified for the next competition to be held in February.

The coach is Steve Aldred.

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Using Well Water?

Did you know that 51% of the residential dwellings in Polk County use well water for their water source? This year the Polk County Advisory Extension Council members identified safe drinking water as one of communities' main concerns.

On Thurs., Jan. 30 there will be a special educational program on well construction and maintenance, sponsored by the Cooperative Extension Service of Polk County. Dr. Ron Huffman, Extension Groundwater Specialist from N.C. State University will be in Polk County explaining how wells are constructed. He will also discuss what maintenance should be considered.

The program will be offered at two different times, one at 2:30 p.m. and a second, repeated at 7 p.m. Spaces are limited and you must be pre-registered to attend. Anyone interested in attending may pre-register by calling the Extension Center at 894-8218.

-Community Reporter

Landrum Civic League

The Landrum Civic League will meet Fri., Jan. 3, 1992 at 3 p.m. at the Civic Center for the annual business and planning meeting.

Hostesses for the meeting will be the executive board, Mrs. Juanita Brown, Mrs. Kathryn Holland, Mrs. Ruth Hollands, and Mrs. Helen Blauvelt.

-Community Reporter