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The weather Tuesday, high 73, low 31, hum. 40 percent. Official weather recorder Robert Dedmond is 77 years old today. "Time marches on," he says. Happy birthday, Robert!

Jerry Attwood of Tryon has asked if any Bulletin readers know the Cherokee names for "river" and "rock".

We would add our own request for help in determining the Cherokee names for "hard-head", "garbonzo bean", and "rocket scientist."

Thank you.

What's happening:

Remember tonight is the Spring Concert by the Polk County High School Band and Chorus at 7:30 at the Tryon Fine Arts Center. Admission is free and open to the public.

Raffle tickets are on sale for a handmade quilt crafted by Lynn Carlson of Lake Lanier large enough for a twin-size bed. The \$1 tickets can be purchased from any Tuesday School parent.

The Children's Theater Festival Super Saturday is this Saturday.

Photo Graphia Gallery of Fine Collectible Photography will hold an opening reception Saturday.
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Brush Fire Burns Acre On Old Hwy. 19

A trash fire on old Hwy. 19 near the Highwood Apartments got out of hand Tuesday and spread across the road.

About 20 firemen from Columbus, Mill Spring, Tryon and the N.C. Forest Service were on the scene for two hours from 12:24 to 2:25 p.m.

Columbus Fire Chief Geoff Tennant said that the fire came close to burning out of control. Had it crossed a ridge into some cut over land, it would not have been possible for Columbus firemen to stop it with their equipment, Tennant said.

Tennant Resigns As Athletic Director

Geoffrey Tennant, Polk County Schools athletic director, and football coach Dennis Stokes resigned their positions recently.

Supt. James Causby said he and the Board of Education decided that in order to attract a top candidate to Polk County they would need to combine the positions of athletic director and head football coach.

"They made a decision I don't necessarily concur with, but I don't want to get a controversy started that will detract from getting someone to help these kids next year," Tennant said.

Causby said Tennant officially retired a year ago and was working on a one-year, part-
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Wesley Wolfe

Wins 4-H Talent Show

4-H member Wesley Wolfe played a Civil War Medley to win "Best In Show" at the annual "4-H Entertains" Talent Show on March 14. His piano teacher is Pam McNeil Thompson at Discovery House of the Arts, where Wolfe is a scholarship student. Shown above at the Christmas Expo sponsored by Discovery House, Wolfe will go on to compete at the district level 4-H talent competition. He is in the ninth grade at Tryon High.

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Wolverine Tennis

The Polk County Wolverines evened their record to 1-1 Tues. afternoon with a victory over Chase.

In singles, Josh Hartman (PC) defeated Adam Rollins 10-7, Jeff Combs (PC) defeated Brandon Hawkins 10-8, Charlie Hearon (PC) defeated Brent Allen 11-9. Ethan Schulman (PC) defeated Lewis McDowell 11-9, Anthony Womack (PC) defeated Ed Hines 10-2, Hugh Finch (PC) defeated Howie Splawn 10-5.

In doubles play, Adam Rollins and Brandon Hawkins (C) defeated Mike Chaffin and Chad Edwards 8-6, Brent Allen and Lewis McDowell (C) defeated Jeff Combs and David Eckert 9-8 in a tiebreaker. The score of the tiebreaker was 7-4; Joey Couch and Mitch Davis (PC) defeated Anthony Sinclair and Tad Scavo 8-2.

Polk County travels to W. Henderson today, (Thurs., Mar. 19).

-Patty Aired

Men's Bridge

Results of the Tryon Men's Duplicate Bridge Club match at the home of Lou Pettit on Tues., Mar. 17 were: 1st Joe Doti and Bill Stoddard, 2nd Tom Kofodimos and Lou Pettit, 3rd tie R.B. Scruggs and Austin Woody with Dick Petura and Charlie Stratford.

The next match will be at the home of Dick Petura on Tues., Mar. 24.

-Community Reporter