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The weather Wednesday, high 73, low 68, hum. 72 percent, and by Thursday at 7 a.m. 1.21 inches of rain had fallen, and fallen, and fallen...

O.K., it's the moment we've all been waiting for. It's time to finish our game of "Citizen Knowledge of the Future!"

(Applause. Applause.)

Thank you. Thank you very much. You may recall that on June 1st we posed 19 questions regarding the future from a quiz which Kathy Woody of the Tryon Thermal Belt Chamber of Commerce received at a regional chamber workshop.

She revealed the answers to the chamber board of directors Wednesday, and today we reveal them to you knuckleheads.

B,C,C,B,A,C,B...

O.K., all kidding aside. The questions and answers are:

1) Currently, the percentage of the population living in rural, urban and suburban areas is 23.3%, 31.5% and 44.6% respectively. The one category expected to decrease in the future is: a) urban; b) rural; or c) suburban.

Survey says: b) rural.

2) An estimated ___% of baby boomers will have no children.
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Planned Power Outage Sunday

Duke Power has issued a planned power outage from I-26 through Columbus to Turner Shoals Power Dam on Hwy. 9 and covering all of Mill Spring from 6-6:30 a.m. Sunday, June 14.

The power outage will allow Duke Power to conduct preventive maintenance in the Columbus sub station.

Classwork Sessions For New Bus Drivers

Art Smith will conduct classwork sessions for new school bus drivers on Tues., Wed. and Thurs., June 16, 17 and 18 from 8:30 a.m. - 3 p.m. in the Library/Auditorium of Isothermal Community College, Spindale Campus.

Participants must be 18 years of age or older and must attend all three days.

-Community Reporter

A Graduate

Douglas Lane Allen, son of Mr. and Mrs. John M. Parris, of Columbus graduated from Southern College of Seventh-day Adventist on May 3. in Collegedale, Tenn.

Allen received his associate degree in allied health (pre-physical therapy). He plans to continue study toward a master's degree at Andrews University.



Receive Top Girl Scout Awards

The following Girl Scouts were awarded the high achievement in Girl Scouting. The Girl Scout Gold Award. Shown in the photo from left to right: (back row) Angela Rogers, Kelly Corcoran, Olivia Pleasants; (back row) Tamara Wilson, Erin Ann Corcoran (also won Silver Award), Sara Fitzsimmons.

Update On Africa

If you attended the Great Decisions series held this spring at the Polk County Campus of Isothermal Community College, you heard an excellent presentation on events in Africa from Dr. Dwight Mullen of the University of North Carolina in Asheville. Dr. Mullen is not only exceptionally well informed about the rapidly changing political, cultural and social climate of the various nations on the African continent, but he is also the kind of speaker who really holds the attention of his

audience. Dr. Mullen has agreed to do an update on Africa on Tues., June 16, from 3 to 5 p.m. in the Lecture Room at the Polk Campus. He will answer questions and discuss issues as part of the presentation. Dr. Mullen graduated from Loma Linda University with a B.A. in History and Political Science, and received his M.A. and Ph.D. from Atlanta University in the same field. There is no charge for this update, but we would like to know about how many people to prepare for, so please call 894-3092 if you would like to attend.

-Community Reporter