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The weather Monday, high 89, low 64, hum. 50 percent.

There is some small type in the upper left hand corner of your Tryon tax bill that you may want to look for, Paul Petty of Carolina Drive advises.

It reads: "Discount 2% Through August. Par, September through December."

If you want to save 2 percent of your bill, pay sometime before August 31. The town will thank you for it.

What's happening:

The Columbus Town Council meets Thursday at 7:30 p.m. in the Town Hall.

The United Methodist Women of the Columbus United Methodist Church on North Peak Street will hold their annual Peach Festival on Friday from 4:30 to 8 p.m.

The Princess and the Magic Pea play will be featured Thursday and Friday nights at 7 in the Tryon Elementary School auditorium (which is air conditioned!). Tickets are \$3 for adults, and \$2 for children.

The Tryon Fine Arts Center Summer Social will be held Saturday starting at 10 a.m.

The Summer Art Lecture Series at Isothermal Commu-

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State-Of-The-Art Training Facility Under Construction

Drivers on Collinsville Road in Green Creek needn't scratch their heads anymore as they negotiate the big curve just before Highway 14. No, it's not a dirt bike track or an airplane hangar under construction in the former hay field.

It's Carlo and Alice Vittorini's answer to the need for a state-of-the-art equestrian training facility in the area.

And state-of-the-art it will be, Mr. Vittorini says. The 23,000 sq. ft. indoor riding arena, the 18-stall barn, the six individually fenced pastures, the 20-foot-wide galloping trail, and outdoor riding ring all guarantee that. And when you add trainer Martha Kemmer to the equation, the sum is a first-class dressage and combined training facility.

The thousands of exposed yellow pine boards in the roof trusses of the indoor riding arena are what's been attracting most of the attention for the past few weeks. Besides being curious about the arena itself, area residents seem most perplexed by the double row of fencing surrounding the property. Mr. Vittorini explains that the fencing is simply a way to create defined trails within the fifty acre tract. According to Martha Kemmer, it is also a way of ensuring the safety of the horses with two highways

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Football Practice Underway

Polk County head football coach Marshall Seay was in the field with his troops this week, preparing for the first game of the season August 28. The Tryon Daily Bulletin will preview the upcoming season and take a look at the Polk and Landrum football programs in a special report to be published August 26. (Photo by Marcie Chaffin)

Tonight At Toastmasters

Terrell Ball, Dan Marley and Bill Kuhn are the scheduled speakers at tonight's Toastmasters meeting, 7 p.m., at B.B. Tubbs, (formerly the Western Steer). The club will also be discussing the theme of "Intuition" in the Table Topics portion of the meeting. Tonight's speech evaluators will include Julie Davis and Ross Fox. Frank L. Palumbo will be the Toastmaster of the Evening.

Toastmasters invites you to attend our meeting at B.B. Tubbs. If you have been a guest

before, we welcome you back for another visit. We are constantly looking for new members to join and help enrich their lives through improved public speaking. Toastmasters is an organization committed to helping you improve your communication skills. We look forward to seeing you tonight.

-Community Reporter

In Heaven an angel is nobody in particular.

-George Bernard Shaw