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Shown with Coach Paul Hampton, are first row from left, Joe Wilson, Kenny Smooth, Terry Jones, Second row, Mitch Rice, John Soper, Darrell Snapp, Sidney Anderson, Third row, Kurt Kelley, Kenny Livingsood, and Dennis Berry.

## Jaycee Bicentennial resolution

The Carlisle Jaycees at their last meeting passed a resolution regarding plans to be made by the American Revolution Bicentennial Commission for celebration of our nation's Bicentennial in 1976.

The Jaycees read in a newspaper publication that plans being made by the Commission, which was established by Congress, include a proposal to create at federal expense a State Bicentennial Park in each state.

The Jaycees, feeling that efforts should be made to have this money spent in Kentucky in improving and developing Blue Licks Battlefield State Park, site of the last battle of the Revolution, passed the following resolution:

RESOLUTED

WHEREAS, the Carlisle Jaycees are aware of plans being made nationally to celebrate our country's Bicentennial in 1976; and

WHEREAS, we further understand that those plans include a proposal for 50 states, to be built on federal land at federal expense of about \$22 million per park, said parks to be operated by the

state, during and after the Bicentennial; and

WHEREAS, Blue Licks Battlefield State Park, site of the "last battle of the Revolution" is in great need of development, due to its central location in our Commonwealth, proximity to metropolitan areas, location on a newly improved major highway, lack of adequate recreational, dining and lodging facilities in its immediate area, and great state and national historical significance; and

WHEREAS, Blue Licks Battlefield State Park, being in need of development and further having particular great historical significance in connection with the Bicentennial celebration, being the site of the "last battle of the Revolution," would seem to be the logical and appropriate place to concentrate any resources, financial or otherwise, to be expended in our Commonwealth in establishing a State Bicentennial Park;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Carlisle Jaycees petition the appropriate state officials of the Commonwealth of Kentucky and urge them to give every consideration to the develop-

## CHS alumni names officers

At the annual Carlisle High School alumni banquet held Aug. 12 the following new officers were elected.

Bill Power, president; Walter Hoffmaler, vice-president; Roberts T. Axler, secretary and Lois G. Calbraith, treasurer.

The speaker for the event was Spencer Payne of Lexington, class of 1911. "Homelife" was his topic.

The oldest lady present at the banquet was Miss Mary Frances Fisher, class of 1906, Oldest gentleman, Russell O'Connell, class of 1915, the youngest lady, Mrs. Mary Logan Hutton, class of 1963, youngest gentleman, Wayne Gaunce, class of 1951, each was presented a boutonniere.

Mrs. Grimes Caywood and Mrs. George Dale, who divorced for the banquet, and Edgar Allison, who presented the music, also received boutonniere.

Bill Power acted as Master of Ceremonies.

## Homemakers style revue

The Nicholas County Homemakers Association will present a Fall style revue tonight (Thursday) at the Nicholas County Elementary School at 8 p.m.

Co-chairmen for the Style Revue are Mrs. Edgar Scott and Mrs. George Dale.

Models will be Mrs. Chad Whitaker, Mrs. John Allison, Mrs. Russell Shores, Mrs. Thomas Metcalfe, Miss Nina Young, Mrs. Billy Doyle, Mrs. Gary Hurst, Miss Janie Snapp, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Snapp, Mrs. Frances Taylor, Mrs. Allen Hamon, Mrs. Ralph Crouch and Mrs. Earl Hamon.

## School starts Monday

Nicholas county schools will start on Monday, Aug. 28, at 8:45 a.m. The session on Monday will last about two hours and there will be no lunch served that day, also the bus schedule will be the same as last year, according to J.P. Parrelly, superintendent of Nicholas county schools.

On Tuesday, Aug. 29 the classes will be held in regular sessions and lunch will be served.

Mr. Parrelly stated the mobile school units purchased before the new elementary school was built, would be moved to the new elementary school grounds to be used for the Head Start program. Head Start will begin the school year Oct. 2. After this year, it should run the regular school session.

## Cook named floor leader at convention

Senator Marlow Cook has been designated a regional whip for the Republican National Convention to assist Senator Hugh Scott in the management of delegation activities.

Tom whips and two assistant whips, all senators and congressmen, will meet daily with Scott and convention chairman Congressman Gerald Ford regarding the agenda and other day activities.

Senator Cook will work with the Kentucky, Alabama, Maine, Minnesota, South Carolina and Washington delegations.

Supply money will again be \$5 this year for pigging students.



Mrs. Lewis ("Miss Carriette") Robbins relates a most interesting tale to this group of youngsters, Friday morning at the Nicholas County Library during the last day's session of Story Hour sponsored this summer by the Library. Mrs. Robbins started the Story Hour in 1947 when the Memorial Library was in the Courthouse.—Mercury picture

## Lettermen

### NICHOLAS COUNTY HIGH

## School grid season opens Friday

The Nicholas County High School football team will open the season with a game against the Georgetown Buffalos, Friday night, Aug. 25 at Georgetown. The Jackets take a two-game winning streak into the contest and are confident they will have their best season in a number of years.

Coach Paul Hampton has a squad of 30 let-ting to lettermen. Seven are seniors that have lettered for two years, and played on Nicholas county's first football team. They include Sidney Anderson, Dennis Berry, Kurt Kelly, Kenny Livingsood, Mitch Rice, Darrell Snapp, and John Soper. Other lettermen are Joe Wilson, Kenny Smooth, and Terry Jones.

Two senior lettermen and several other prospects have not appeared for practice.

Coach Hampton has been pleased with practice seasons, but stated, "we got a few positions that have

not been nailed down."

High Cornelius returns to Nicholas county an assistant coach after absence of two years. He coached the 1969 Freshman team and looks forward to these boys having a good senior season.

Most observers agree that the Jackets can have a good season, with the experienced players they have back. They will have Joe Wilson at quarter back, and Simot, Berry and "Ball" Livingsood—last year's "Outstanding Offensive" back in the backfield. The line will have Anderson, Jones, Kelly, Rice, Snapp and Soper—last year's "Outstanding Defensive Player," Billy Allen, Raymond Compton and Roy Eryman, who have shown a lot of promise in practice and will be playing a lot of football.

Coach Hampton says "Nicholas county will be small, but they can make this up with desire and quickness."

A—away; H—home

Nicholas County Football Team schedule is as follows:		
Aug. 25	Georgetown	A
Sept. 1	Fleming Co.	A
Sept. 8	Morgan Co.	A
Sept. 15	Conner	H
Sept. 22	Paris	H
Sept. 29	Open	
Oct. 6	Bath	H
Oct. 13	Montgomery Co.	H
Oct. 20	Berea	H
Oct. 27	M.M.I.	H
Nov. 3	East Coll.	H

## Two named Arthritis campaign co-chairmen

Mrs. Tom Metcalfe and Mrs. Ralph Taylor have been named 1972 Arthritis campaign co-chairmen for Nicholas county. The appointment was made by Judge Bert T. Combs and Mrs. John Sherman Cooper, Arthritis state co-chairmen. The state campaign is scheduled for the month of September with a goal of \$40,000.00.

The Arthritis Foundation is the only voluntary agency working in the field of arthritis which affects over 250,000 Kentuckians. Arthritis, the country's Number One crippling disease, actually is a variety of diseases. The cruelest most severe type is Rheumatoid Arthritis, which afflicts some five

million people. Two variations, one sudden and violent in its attack and the other relatively mild, strikes children in the form known as Juvenile Rheumatoid Arthritis.

The state co-chairmen are urging for 100 percent participation in this year's campaign for all Kentuckians. Arthritis is a serious disease financially, emotionally and physically and is one that warrants the support of all. If anyone in the county wishes to help the county chairmen, please contact the campaign leadership immediately.

The campaign in Nicholas county will have the active support of the Nicholas County High School FHA Chapter.

## Car backfires ignites gasoline

The Nicholas County Volunteer Fire Department answered an alarm about 7:45 p.m. Monday at the Blue Licks State Park swimming pool, where an automobile operated by Eddie Shearer was on fire.

Shearer told Woody Wilson, fire chief, that the carburetor was backing gas and the vehicle had backfired through the device. Considerable damage was done to wiring and hood piping before the blaze could be extinguished.

## Bond sales hit \$11,804 in June

Sales of Series E and H Savings Bonds in Nicholas county for June were \$11,804 while sales for the first six months totaled \$53,357 or 86% of the county's annual goal of \$78,400. Sales a year ago were \$24,421.

## Ladies night

The Nicholas County Fish and Game Club will host the Ladies Friday night, Aug. 25, at 7:30 with a turkey dinner. All directors are urged to attend, in fact, the wording was "must attend."

## Squirrel hunting season opens August 19

The first part of Kentucky's squirrel hunting season will open Aug. 19 and continue through Oct. 31. The squirrel season will run on Nov. 10 and run through Dec. 31.

The daily bag limit is six squirrels per day, and 12 in possession after two or more days of hunting. Hunters are not permitted to hold a possession limit of 31 squirrels in the field, however.

Squirrel hunting should be exceptionally good this year, according to the poster contest and

## Anonymity

The Reader's Digest "Fascinating World of Animals," a unique "Saturday" through our strange and surprising animal kingdom was given to the Nicholas County Library in memory of Miss Jane

King, 1912-1972. Here Mrs. Warren Fisher presents the book to Mrs. Taylor Steelling, librarian. The donor of the book to the library wishes to remain anonymous.—Mercury photo

## 'Hire a veteran' poster contest

The Veterans Administration is sponsoring a national "Hire a Veteran" poster contest. The contest is open to all high school students, grades 9-12, in public, parochial and private schools throughout the nation.

Three national prizes of scholarships have been announced in the amounts of \$1,500, \$1,000 and \$500. These national finalists will be selected from state winners and will be invited to Washington for presentation of awards on Oct. 21, 1972. During their visit there, they will see personal photos of Donald E. Johnson, administrator of Veterans Affairs, and participate in Veterans Day ceremonies at Arlington National Cemetery on Oct. 23.

State prizes of U.S. Savings Bonds will be awarded by VA's Louisville Regional Office on Oct. 10. J.C. Kallie, director of the office, stated that the winner will receive a \$100 Bond, and a \$50 bond for third place.

The American Legion's Department of Kentucky is giving its support to the poster contest and

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## Story time

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