

### Donovan named Girl Scout fund drive chairman

Bill Donovan will be chairman of a Girl Scout fund drive in Nicholas County.

His appointment was announced yesterday by Mrs. Adron Doras of Morehead State University, general chairman of drives designed to raise a minimum of \$15,000 in 39 of the 57 counties of the Wilderness Road Girl Scout Council.

Mr. Donovan is Assistant vice-president of the First National Bank of Carlisle and president of the Carlisle Jaycees.

The money raised will go toward support of a 1972 budget of \$293,554 for the Council, which serves 55 counties in Central and Eastern Kentucky, plus one each in Ohio and Tennessee.

Mrs. Doras noted that the remainder of the \$293,554 budget would come principally through citizens giving to United Funds, 12 of the 57 counties and through profits from the annual Girl Scout cookie sale.

In announcing Mr. Donovan's appointment, Mrs. Doras, wife of the president of Morehead State University and herself an educator, called for citizen support of the drive. The drive will be starting the week of Sept. 26 to Oct. 2.

### Ladies night Friday

Friday, Sept. 22 will be Ladies night at the Fish and Game Club when they will hold their regular meeting at the club house on the History Ridge Road.

A special supper will be served at 7:30 p.m.

### Three local men held in robbery

Three local men were arrested in Nicholas County early Monday morning and charged with strong armed robbery of a man in Bourbon County, Sunday morning.

The three suspects, Larry Cooper, 24, Melvin Glass, 22, and W. J. Yazel, 21, were arrested by State Trooper Steve Boy.

The trio is charged with beating and robbing Larry G. Gilvin, 26, of Carlisle, Route 4.

Gilvin said the three men offered him a ride home from a restaurant on East Main Street in Paris but that the men took him to the Spears Mill Road in Bourbon County, beat him and robbed him of \$150.

Gilvin was treated at the Bourbon County Hospital for multiple cuts and abrasions.

Bonds for the three suspects was set at \$1,000 each. They will appear in Bourbon County Court before Judge J. M. Leer.



From left, Mr. and Mrs. James Neal Wood receive Master Conservation award from Edgar Allen Darrell, Soil District chairman.

### Master Conservation awards presented to three persons

Stanley Alexander, member of the Nicholas County Conservation District Board of Supervisors presented James Anderson and Mr. and Mrs. James W. Lane with certificates and Master Conservationist Awards at the recent annual cooperators' meeting.

This award was also presented to Mr. and Mrs. James Neal Wood by Edgar Allen Darrell, Chairman of the District, at the regular monthly Board of Supervisors meeting. They were unable to attend the annual meeting.

This award is presented to farmers in the county by the District as a means of recognizing outstanding conservation work. A conservation farm plan has been prepared for each of these farms by SCS personnel and according to a team of judges they have com-

pleted more than 90 percent of the planned practices within the land capabilities.

Judges are representatives of the local Conservation District Board of Supervisors, Vocational Agriculture Teacher, Extension Agents, SCS representative, and FHA representative.

James Anderson, Soney Creek Community, received his award on 22 acres of land. His main crop is tobacco, but he also has a dairy operation and other livestock.

James W. Lane of the Sharpburg Community owns 270 acres of land and his chief operations are tobacco and beef cattle.

James Neal Wood, on the Upper Jackstown Road, received his award on 156 acres of land with his main operations also being tobacco and beef cattle.



From left, James Anderson, Mrs. James Lane, and Mr. Lane, receiving Soil Conservation District awards from Stanley Alexander, board member.

### Licking River Hounds Hunt Horse Show is Saturday

The Licking River Hounds Hunt located in Nicholas County will hold its annual Breakfast and Horse Show Saturday, Sept. 23 on Far Cry Farm, Carlisle.

Breakfast will be served by members of the hunt to landowners in the area as well as exhibitors and their guests at 11:00 a.m. Mrs. Jerome Rich of Cincinnati will judge a variety of classes for

ponies, children's young horses and seasoned horses during the afternoon, beginning at 1:00 p.m.

Highlights of the day include competition for several perpetual trophies. Amateur-Owner hunters vie for the lovely trophy donated by John Ward, well-known thoroughbred owner and trainer.

Working hunters will fight for the very beautiful sculptured Robert Warren Memorial trophy. Ye Ole Foxhunters for horses who have hunted in the field for at least one season, jump a course embellished with many of the hazards actually found out in the hunting country for a trophy donated by Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnson also donated the trophy for the best working hunter class in honor of Mrs. M. C. Randolph, Master Foxhounds of the Piedmont Foxhounds in Virginia, who supplied the original American Foxhounds for the Licking River Hounds pack.

Far Cry Farm, home of the Licking River Hounds kennel, is located six miles northwest of Carlisle, just off Route #68 or the Mayesville Road, on Route 32/36 towards Cynthiana. The public is invited for a pleasant day in the country at no charge. Breakfast reservations must be made by September 22 by calling Mrs. Henry Hersey at 299-6654.



Libba Hughes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Hughes of Forest Retreat Farm, takes her mount, "Night Cap" over a jump in an easy manner. See Libba and other young riders embus at Licking River Hounds Hunt, annual Breakfast and Horse Show, Saturday.

### Veterans rep here

Mr. Ellens, a Contact Representative of the Bureau of Veterans Affairs, will be present on Sept. 26 at the County Judge's Office in Carlisle to assist Veterans and their dependents with claims for benefits due them as a result of their military service.

He will be present from 12:00 until 3:00 p.m.



### Larry Wills seriously hurt Sunday

Larry G. Wills, 21, Carlisle Route 2, was seriously injured in an accident Sunday afternoon at 4:50 o'clock four-tenths of a mile west of Carlisle on Ky. 36, according to State Trooper Steve Boy, who investigated the accident.

Wills, a member of the local National Guard Unit, was driving a 1 1/4-ton jeep which skidded on wet pavement near the J. E. Drive Inn, slid up a bank striking a stump which tore from the ground, also slamming a tree before turning completely over landing on its wheels.

According to the trooper report he was taken to the Nicholas County Hospital by Mathers-Shearer ambulance service and later removed to a Lexington hospital.

A check with Mrs. Charles Mann, RN., Tuesday, revealed young Wills suffered a broken neck causing partial paralysis from the neck down. It was thought that he would undergo surgery either today or Friday depending on his condition to remove bone fragments and to do a bone graft.

Wills is still a patient in intensive care at the Veterans Hospital, Lexington.

### Jackets drop fourth

By Pat Conley

The question in the minds of Nicholas County football fans was whether or not the Bluejackets could bounce back from last week's demoralizing defeat at the hands of relatively "easy" Morgan County in time to prepare for mighty Coner, a team with three times the number of Bluejacket players, and each one just as strong, big, and fast as anyone the Jackets could produce.

The Jackets just couldn't pull off a miracle, however, and were outplayed notably in every phase of the game as Coner scored a humiliating 52-0 win.

After a delay of almost two hours due to faulty lighting the game got underway with Nicholas County receiving the first half kick. The Jacket offense opened up with sophomore Billy Darrell in the line-up for blocking purposes in place of regular starter Ken Smoot. The typical impotent Jacket offense responded as usual, unable to move the ball.

Coner returned the punt to their forty yard line and six plays later were on the board with a two yard plunge for a touchdown. The run for the extra point was good, giving Coner an early indicative 8-0 lead.

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### Discuss recording equipment grant

Jack Conley (left), Nicholas county member of the Bluegrass Area Regional Crime Council, discussed with Gerard Gerhard, Executive Director of the Council, the courtroom improvement grant to be received by Nicholas county. The grant involves installation in the Nicholas Circuit Court Room of \$4000 worth of public address and recording equipment for use in criminal trials, to be paid 75% with federal funds and 25% with county funds. Below, Nicholas County Judge Floyd Clark signs acceptance of the grant.—Mercury pics

### Prospective jurors named for September court term

The September term of Nicholas County Circuit Court will open Monday, Sept. 25, 1972 at 9 a.m. with Judge John Lair of Cynthiana presiding.

Prospective jurors are as follows: Lenora Anderson, Herschel Howard, Wilfred Doyle, Layne Holter, James N. Wood, Strawder McDonald, John W. Holland, Anna Sparks, Jack Clark, Frank Terrell, Harry Duncan, Jack Randolph, Clay Mynar, Wilburn Clark, Joe W. Crutch, Courtney Gum, Ailie C. Vice, Patsy F. Smoot, Robert L. Hatton, J. W. Ecton, Edgar C. Wagener, Ira Gilley, Frazier Earlywine, Earlie Flora, Elsie Smelling, Dennis Haney, Emerson Baker, Howard Stidle, Paul Day, Billy Joe Gates, Calvin Minton, John W. Cleaver,

### National Hunting Day proclaimed

President Richard M. Nixon has proclaimed Saturday, Sept. 23 as National Hunting and Fishing Day. The Nicholas County Fish and Game Club will honor this day with special activities including an Open House, Flea Market and Court Day to be held at the clubhouse.

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Front Row: Ronnie Letcher, coach, Mark McDonald, Tony Ritchie, Timmy Banta, Pat Letcher, Mark Ruddell, Jerry Hughes, coach, Second Row: Edward Earlywine, Mark

Evans, Mike Herby, Jimmy Caswell, Jeff Mattox, Mark Mattox, Thiel Rowe, Chris Kenny, Timmy Wilson, Joe Ruddell, Bobby Tincher, Todd Scott, Darrell Gray.

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