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## Class of '32

as they look today



This is the 1932 Carlisle High School graduating class as they looked 50 years later...last Saturday night, at their 50th anniversary. The occasion was the Alumni Banquet. First row from left, are Charles M. Cox, Beattie Storey Smith, Lena Pumphrey, Marie Snapp Gause, Ann Beers Freeman, Walter Hovernal, Ivan Kendall, Cecil Stone Allen, Pauline Hosteller Bauer, Second row from left, Elizabeth Maxine Kimbrough, Mildred Conway Gearty, Janice Kennedy Kerns, Frank Kokendoller, Mary Lou Ring

## Nicholas pummels Fleming 26-6

"The ball just bounced right for Nicholas County Friday night," said Coach Ben Pumphrey after the Bluejackets' victory, 26-6, over Fleming in the opening game of the season. Coach Pumphrey stated that the key to winning Friday's game was the Bluejacket defense in the first half. Fleming was the toner of the coin and chance to receive. Nicholas County's Danie Baker recovered a fumble made by Fleming on the opening kickoff. The first two touchdowns of the game came in the first quarter and were both scored by NCHS. The first touchdown was made on a handoff from quarterback Eric McGuffey to Robert Hopkins. The two-point pass conversion from McGuffey to Rocky Young was successful.

In the last minutes of the first quarter, Fleming attempted to punt from their own 10 yard line. Bluejacket Darin Robinson blocked the punt and Terry Ledford recovered it making a second jacket touchdown. The two-point pass conversion was once again successful. The Bluejacket defense proved itself in the beginning of the second quarter. Paul Tubbs and Keith Williams snatched Fleming quarterback Darryl Perler, for a loss of 14 yards. On the very next play, senior David Hunter made another sack against Fleming for a loss of another nine yards, forcing the Panthers to punt. With Nicholas in control of the ball, quarterback Eric McGuffey ran 40 yards. He was pulled down on the Fleming five-yard line by John McDonald. But that wasn't enough to stop the Jackets. McGuffey passed to Anderson to score the third touchdown of the game. At the end of the second quarter the score was 10-0. At the beginning of the third quarter two consecutive 13 yard personal fouls were assessed to Nicholas, putting Fleming on the NCHS 13 yard line. Jeff Young rushed 13 yards for the Panthers first and only touchdown of the game. The extra point kick was successful. In the last minutes of the third quarter McGuffey intercepted and ran for Fleming 18 yard line. Anderson completed a pass to supplement Rocky Young for another jacket touchdown.

The two-point pass conversion from McGuffey to Ken Baker was successful. The score at the end of the third quarter was 26-0. In the fourth quarter another team scored. However Bluejacket Terry Ledford did manage to sack the Fleming quarterback again to stop the Panthers' last minute efforts to score. The overall team stats were impressive. Anderson carried the ball eight times for 20 yards, one scoring touchdown. He had two interceptions for 18 yards and one touchdown. Keith Williams carried the ball 11 times for 18 yards. He had one pass reception. Robert Hopkins carried the ball 23 times for one touchdown and a total of 47 yards. Eric McGuffey carried the ball three times for 64 yards. He completed four passes, one scoring a touchdown, and one scoring a two-point pass conversion. Rocky Young had two receptions for 17 yards and one touchdown. Ken Baker had one reception for 60 yards. Terry Ledford lacked ten times and made one touchdown on the recovery of a blocked punt. Scott Ranney had eight tackles. Paul Tubbs, Steve Anderson

and Robert Hopkins each had five tackles. Keith Williams and Greg Robinson made four tackles. Darin Robinson blocked one punt. Danie Baker made one fumble recovery and Eric McGuffey made one pass interception. The Nicholas County Bluejackets will now have another home game this Friday, Aug. 27. NCHS will take on the highly respected Richmond Madison team. Game time is 8 p.m. \*See Nicholas on page 18.

## Jobless rate is 9.7 percent

Nicholas County's unemployment rate for the month of June remained just under 10 percent, where it has been since last spring, according to state figures just released. The official rate for June was 9.7 percent with a total of 318 Nicholas County residents out of work. The Bluegrass area, of which Nicholas is a part, had the lowest unemployment rate of any region in the state, an average of 7.7 percent.

## State Auditor alleges Former sheriff owes county \$856

Former Nicholas County Sheriff J.W. Ecton Jr. settled up his tax-collecting incorrectly for the four years from 1977 to 1980 and owes the taxing districts involved \$856, according to an audit of the county's books by the State Auditor of Public Accounts. The audit, routinely performed, does not allege that any criminal wrongdoing took place, but only that the books were figured up incorrectly. In 1977, according to the audit, a summary of which is published elsewhere in the Mercury, Ecton overpaid on his tax collection by \$464 and also overpaid in 1978 by \$290. However in 1979, the report says, Ecton underpaid by \$495 and also underpaid in 1980 by \$671, making a total due of \$856.

"I was contacted by the fiscal court," John H. Snook, executive director of the county, told the Mercury, "and made one of the audit findings. In fact, it appeared before the fiscal court to discuss the matter and asked for a little time to take care of it." Two other "weaknesses" in the county's books, according to the State Auditor's office, have also been corrected. Snook said.



1982-83 Nicholas County Bluejackets football team

The Bluejackets started off their season on a winning note Friday. (See story elsewhere.) Front row, from left, are Rocky Young, David Allison, Greg Robinson, Terry Ledford, David Hunter, Jeff Hammond, Danie Baker, Steve Kirby and Ken Baker. Second row from left, Judy Hansen, Brian Watkins, Paul Tubbs, Steve Anderson, Eric McGuffey, Keith Williams, Robert Hopkins, Scott Ranney, Darin Robinson

## Class of '32 holds alumni banquet here

John Y. Brown Sr. returns too

The Carlisle High School Alumni Banquet was held on Saturday night at 1:30 p.m. at the Nicholas County Elementary School. It was a "working" affair, thanks to the incumbent officers: William Powers, president; Bobby Reynolds, vice president; Betty Fay, treasurer; Carolyn Terrell, secretary. There were 212 persons present to partake of the festivities which included an excellent meal of turkey, mashed potatoes, dressing, balls, giblet gravy, broccoli, roasted fruit salad, hot rolls and white cake with green icing depicting the school colors, all of which was expertly prepared by the cooks of the elementary school. Some of the highlights of the evening were as follows: — Reception of the class of 1932, who were celebrating their 50th anniversary as graduates from Carlisle High School. It was the largest class in the history of the school comprising 47 members. Nine of the class are deceased, five were physically unable to attend and 29 of the remaining 32 were present, coming from all parts of the country, including one from Honolulu, Hawaii. They won the sterling silver cup for best class attendance. — After words of welcome by William Power and invocation by Charles M. Cox and enjoying the delicious dinner, the group was entertained by Honorable John Y. Brown Sr., who had given the graduation address in 1932. His after dinner talk was well received by the audience. It was given in a dramatic setting as a gift which was handmade by Carl Powers. — Immediately following Mr. Brown's departure, the group was entertained by a barbershop quartet of Carlisle High School graduates, Neil Wilson, Paul Allison, Mary Katherine Knapke and Martha Smart Sprague.

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A new jury list for circuit court has been announced by Sally E. Watkins, Circuit Clerk for Nicholas County. The following names are reported 9 a.m. on Thursday, August 21: Corinne B. Adair, Ronald L. Adamson, Reynolds L. Allison, Lyle B. Anderson, Roger Baird, Coralee E. Blair, Roger A. Banta, Virginia A. Bellamy, Dennis G. Berry, Carlisle W. Blair, Robert A. Brady, Elizabeth E. Brewer, Ronnie E. Broderick, Alton F. Cannon, Buck E. Carter, Norma H. Cawell, Robert Caywood, Dorothy G. Clark, Elizabeth D. Cleaver, Emogene C. Clinkenshead, Gladys S. Cook, Carl Coburn, Raymond D. Cook, J. Brown, Everett C. Dale, Annetta J. Danney, David G. Darrell, Betsy L. Darrell, Edgar H. Day, Earl Y. Deary, C.H. Eise, William M. Donovan, Furry Duncan, Eddie T. Earlywine, Wanda B. Elder, Gardner H. Feuchst, Alan Lee Finch, Everett O. Flora, Sarah C. Fryman, Virginia A. Fryman. \*See Jury on page 18.

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## KU to ask for increase

subject to suspension by the Commission for hearing and review, and it is likely that the increase will not become effective until March 1983. The filing is necessary because of increased costs of fuel, construction and financing. The Company has not yet determined the total increase that will be requested, but it is anticipated that rates for all classes of service will be affected. The Company, consistent with its policy of long standing, will ask for the minimum increase necessary to provide a fair return to its investors and to maintain continued reliable service to customers.