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## Turkey Shoot Sunday

# Christmas Parade entries mounting



At least eight flocks, and possibly three bands, will be featured in the annual Christmas Parade sponsored by the Carlisle-Nicholas County Chamber of Commerce.

"The more the merrier," Chamber president John Burke said this week. "We'd like to have as many entries as possible," for the Saturday, Dec. 3, event.

The parade kicks off at 7 p.m. Burke indicated the Nicholas County High School band will be on hand. He is still negotiating with marching bands from Bourbon and Montgomery county schools.

Events have been entered by the following groups and organizations: Carlisle Community Women's Club, Girl Scouts, Lions Club, 4-H Teen Club, 4-H Horse Club, Nicholas County High School PPA, 4-H Oaks, and the Nicholas County Hospital.

Turkey Shoot No. 2  
Meanwhile, the Chamber will sponsor a Turkey Shoot this Sunday, Nov. 20, beginning at 12:30 p.m. at the County Farm on U.S. 26.

Turkeys and hams will be awarded Grand and second-place ribbons in three events - shotgun, small bore rifle and pistol competition. A quality ham will be given to the overall winner.

According to Burke, only field guns will be allowed. Any shooter under 14 must be accompanied by an adult. Entry fee is each competition is \$1 and may be paid at the shoot site. No pre-registration is required.



Nicholas Square has 36 rental units

Barring a last-minute delay, the 36-unit Nicholas Square Apartments complex was set to open Tuesday. Located just off North Street near Kennedy Heights, the development features one, two and a limited number of three bedroom apartments. Mrs. Leona Corbin of Carlisle is resident manager. — *Mercury photo.*

## New apartment complex ready to open this week

The long-awaited opening of Nicholas Square Apartment complex was expected to take place this week.

According to Mrs. Libby Ford, spokesman for Winterwood Property Management Co., a Lexington-based firm handling the operation for the P. A. Williams Development Co. also of Lexington, the 36-unit complex needed only a final inspection from the Farmers Home Administration, which funded the project.

Approval was expected Tuesday, after the Mercury's deadline. An open house will be held in the near future, Ford said.

Resident manager of Nicholas Square Apartments is Mrs. Leona Corbin of Carlisle. To date, she has received inquiries from about 12-15 persons interested in renting either a one, two or three bedroom unit.

"The nice thing about it is that Mrs. Corbin will be an onsite manager in case any problems arise," Ford pointed out.

At the present Mrs. Corbin is taking applications and showing apartments between the hours of 10 a.m. and 6 p.m. The office is located on the left side of the complex, just inside the North Street entrance.

Basic rental prices, geared to low-to-moderate to moderate income families, start at \$195 for one bedroom units, \$215 for two bedrooms and \$265 for three bedrooms. Of the 36 units, 12 have

one bedroom, 20 have two bedrooms and four have three bedrooms.

All units have equipped kitchens and are fully carpeted and color coordinated.

A bath and bedroom in the two and three bedroom apartments are located upstairs.

The kitchen features woodgrain cabinets. Appliances are stainless white, as are the walls. Tan shades are at the windows. Drapes and curtains are to be furnished by the tenant.

A recreation room, not as yet furnished, is available free of charge to tenants.

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## A stranger in these parts

Albert (Trapper) Shields, left, and Earl Lee Planck Sr. were returning from a pleasant hunting trip to Nebraska early last Thursday morning when their car struck and killed this coyote near Fryman's Used Car lot on Highway 36, at the edge of Carlisle. A second coyote escaped injury and disappeared in the darkness. The animal, native to the western United States and rarely found in this part of the country, weighed 28½ pounds and was about 1½ years old, according to Richard Hines, Clay Wildlife Management Area manager. Shields planned to skin it and tan the hide. Junior Planck and Jesse Smith, not shown, were also on the hunting trip. — *Mercury photo.*



'Tis the season to write Santa

The Carlisle Mercury will once again feature a Letters to Santa column in its issues between now and Christmas.

All youngsters in Carlisle and Nicholas County are invited to send Santa a list of what they want for Christmas and mail or bring it to the Mercury office not later than Dec. 14. Letters will be published weekly, as space permits, through the issue of Dec. 25.

So, get busy, kids and get your letter to us right away. This list may ask mother or daddy for help in writing. Please include your name, age, and address so Santa won't have trouble finding your home.

## Commodity distribution next Tuesday

The Nicholas County Community Center, in cooperation with the Cabinet for Human Resources, will distribute commodities Tuesday, Nov. 22, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Persons unable to come in and wish someone else to pick them up should send their commodity card and a signed statement giving that person permission to pick up the commodities. It was pointed out.

## Fire destroys fishing camp

A frame fishing camp on the banks of Licking River near Myers Station was completely destroyed in an early morning fire Nov. 11.

The Nicholas County Fire Department responded to a 2 a.m. call from Farmington police in Carlisle police that the building, owned by Virgil Richter, was ablaze.

According to Chief Woodrow Wilson, the camp and its entire contents were lost in the blaze. No estimate of the loss was available.

## Council hears tax proposals

Whether or not to have a payroll occupational tax - or whether to have an additional license for business and contractors out of town - was a key issue discussed at Monday night's city council meeting.

Council members were in agreement on the idea that businesses are having a hard enough time as it is in Carlisle without adding another tax.

Having out-of-town concerns continue into Carlisle is under consideration. Tommy Vaughn moved to table the issue and turn it over to the Finance Committee for study and suggestion.

Businessmen in attendance at the meeting were Bobby Crockett, Lloyd Wells, Doug Garrett and Roy Bowen.

Mayor breaks it  
Another controversy centered around the question of whether a person should pay a sewer charge

## Next week's paper comes a day early

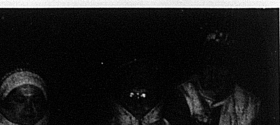
Because of the Thanksgiving holiday next Thursday, Nov. 24, and the fact that the post office will be closed that day, The Carlisle Mercury will be printed and mailed a day early.

This means that advertising and editorial copy for the issue of Nov. 18 MUST BE in the Mercury office not later than noon on Monday, Nov. 14, rather than the usual Tuesday deadline.

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Local mail subscribers will receive their Mercury on Wednesday, Nov. 23.

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Susanne Jones flagbearer at national 4-H convention

Nicholas County High School senior Susanne Jones has been named flagbearer for the November Kentucky delegation attending the National 4-H Club convention beginning Nov. 27 in Chicago.

Susanne, a state winner in Career Exploration, will compete against other state winners throughout the country.

Her week-long, all-expense paid trip begins Friday, Nov. 25.

According to her instructor, Mrs. Sharon Wilson, Susanne is the only state winner she has taught in the past years she has been 4-H agent here. The last state winner from NCHS was Richard Booth, some 18 years ago.

Susanne, a 4-H member since the fifth grade, has an impressive portfolio to enter in national competition. Mrs. Wilson feels she has completed all work in speech-making, demonstration, projects, talent shows and team leadership. An article she wrote for the Mercury this summer is included in her project record book for national judging.

An alternate on the NCHS academic team, Susanne is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Guthrie of Carlisle.

Phyllis and Otis Ramsey, in foreground, were prepared for the worst. Even baseball coach Billy K. Anderson appears chilled to the bone. Action on the field didn't warm matters as the Jackets lost, 3-0. — *Photo submitted.*

Nicholas County football fans experienced the first freezing temperatures of the four-month-long season Friday night when they followed the team to northern Kentucky for a Class 1-A playoff game against Beechwood.