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Christmas Parade plans taking shape



First kill of season

Edward Mitchell, 106 McCracken Street, shot this seven pound dove Saturday, November 9 while hunting in Owen County. Weight after field dressing was 115 pounds. Saturday was opening day of the 1985 gun season for doves. — *Staff Photo*

Board of Education okays 18 measures

The Nicholas County Board of Education met in regular session on November 11 at the Board office. The following orders were recommended by Superintendent Donald Elder:

- * To allow Rotary Club use of the elementary building Nov. 22 for an installment sale.
- * To purchase two sets of metal fixtures for basketball gymnasium for \$450.
- * To allow Biology II class to take field trip with Gaither Child Development Class on Nov. 11.
- * To allow Home Economics group use of a school bus on Saturday, Nov. 13 to travel to Jessamine County High School for "HAIHers" State competition.
- * To allow Mrs. Amanda Byers to attend a remanual math seminar Dec. 14 at Columbus, OH.
- * To adopt a competitive foods policy.
- * To install shades at Nicholas County High School at cost of \$200.
- * To allow V.G. Ag. students to take field trips to Louisville Nov. 11 and

'2nd time around' favors Bentz, Tyrer

A new mayor and one councilman will join five veteran policy makers on city council, once January 1.

Leo C. Bentz, unsuccessful in his 1981 bid as Carlisle's mayor, defeated incumbent Frank Hagler 215 to 77 in the November 4 General Election.

Jeff Tyrer, thwarted in his initial attempt to gain a council seat two years ago, also found "the second time around" the political scene



Heritage skills demonstrated
The Home Ec. Adult Education class participated in Heritage

Santa's helpers are busy with plans for "A Small Town Christmas," theme of this year's November 16 Christmas Parade sponsored by the Carlisle-Nicholas County Chamber of Commerce.

Elementary school students will make ornaments to decorate a Christmas tree that will adorn the second floor balcony of the courthouse.

The tree will be decorated by students parade morning beginning at 10 a.m. and will be hoisted in place before the 1 p.m. parade start-up.

The Junior High Band will supply music for parade, which will include the color guard from Kentucky National Guard of Carlisle who will escort queen, candidates, candidates, all NCHS students, are expected to be accompanied next week, Dudley Vaughn said.

The Carlin's Chargers will march in the parade and put on a clothing exhibition in front of the reviewing stand on Main Street.

PARADE entries include floats representing the Nicholas County Hospital, Homeport parents, Carlisle Community Women's Club, Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts and Gager's School of Dance. A number of others are expected.

Prize money for the best floats are \$100, \$75 and \$50 for the top three finishers.

Groups or organizations interested in entering the float competition are asked to call Barbara Hopkins, chairman, at 399-2621.

Additional plans involving possible merchant participation and a breakfast/lunch are being discussed.

According to John Burke, street decorations will be in place prior to the parade, creating a "Small Town Christmas" atmosphere.

Grandparents Day Nov. 20 at schools

The Nicholas County Schools will host "Grandparents Day" on Wednesday, Nov. 20 between the hours of 1:30 and 3 p.m.

All grandparents of students in the Nicholas County Schools are encouraged to visit the Nicholas County High School to learn more about the schools which their grandchildren attend.

Those attending will be given guided tours of the building and have a chance to see the classes in session. Refreshments will be served.

Grandparents Day is being held in observance of American Education Week and to encourage grandparents to do something many seldom do — visit their grandchildren's schools.

Ambulance service bid opens Nov. 20

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A break in the action

City Council voted Monday night to give all city employees a 10% Christmas bonus. Twenty-four full and part-time employees and 12 volunteer firemen will receive the bonus.

Employees will also enjoy the annual Christmas dinner which will be held December 7 at Spruce Street Tavern, catered by Keller's Restaurant.

"In the roll call vote on the 10% bonus motion, Councilman Cord and Lester voted no. Lester felt that either the bonus or the dinner was enough, but not both," Cord said. "It's not that they (city employees) don't deserve it, but where's it spending money going to?"

"As an inducement to boost sales of local businesses during the Christmas buying season, free parking will be allowed downtown during the month of December."

A request for a street light to be installed on Bayne Street in Louisa Subdivision is under consideration by council.

Mayor Frank Hughes requested that the city books be audited as of Dec. 31, 1985, which will include six months from the annual audit which was conducted the last of June. The request was granted.

Council approves employee bonuses

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Blood drive November 18

Nicholas County help provide a steady blood supply to the patients in local hospitals. With the group's support, CKAC drives maintain an inventory of 1,600 units of blood and blood components.

Call Steve Allen Campbell at 281-1244 for more information.



Skills, with Nicholas County Homemakers demonstrating a variety of crafts. At left, Margie Wilson, county extension agent for home economics found Bobby Adams interested in basket-