F. HOWARD COVEY

F. Howard Covey, 86, a lifelong volunteer worker for many charitable organizations and a founder in 1916 of the Nassau County Council of the Boy Scouts, died yesterday in the Mimi Dee Nursing Home in Syosset, L.I.

He was a past president of the county's Red Cross, the Grand Jurors Association and Legal Aid Society. At the age of 82, Covey assumed the presidency of the Waldemar Research Foundation in Woodbury, L.I. He was an executive of the Wilco Letter Service in Williston Park, L.I.